

## Thomas Cook (India) Limited

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July 25, 2023

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Dear Sir/ Madam,

### **Sub: Communication to Shareholders - Intimation on Tax Deduction on Dividend – Gentle Reminder**

In continuation to the earlier intimation dated July 05, 2023, please note that the Company on even date has sent a reminder via email communication to all the shareholders having their email ID's registered with the Company/Depositories explaining the process on withholding tax from dividends paid to the shareholders at prescribed rates along with necessary annexures and also about the extended timeline for submission of necessary documents on tax determination/deduction to Monday, 7th August, 2023 from Tuesday, 1st August, 2023.

In this regard, please find enclosed herewith an email communication circulated.

This is for your information and records. This communication will also be available on the website of the Company at <https://www.thomascook.in/stock-exchange-intimation>

Thank you,

Yours faithfully,  
For **Thomas Cook (India) Limited**

**Amit J. Parekh**  
*Company Secretary and Compliance Officer*

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#### **Registered & Corporate Office:**

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25<sup>th</sup> July, 2023

### **REMINDER - EXTENSION OF TIMELINE UPTO 7<sup>th</sup> AUGUST, 2023 - COMMUNICATION ON TAX DEDUCTION**

#### **THIS COMMUNICATION IS IMPORTANT AND REQUIRES YOUR IMMEDIATE ATTENTION**

Dear Shareholder,

In continuation to our e-mail dated 5th July, 2023, all the Shareholders are hereby requested to note that Company has extended the timeline for submission of necessary documents on tax determination/deduction to **Monday, 7th August, 2023 from Tuesday, 1st August, 2023**. Any communication on the tax determination/deduction received post Monday, 7<sup>th</sup> August, 2023 shall not be considered.

We have been informed by few shareholders that their reply emails sent to our earlier communication dated 5th July, 2023, was not delivered to the Company and hence we request all of you to please resend your declarations (irrespective) so that we can take necessary action at our end.

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Dear Shareholder,

Trust you and your family are safe and in good health.

We are pleased to inform you that the Board of Directors of the Company, at its meeting held on 18<sup>th</sup> May, 2023, has recommended a dividend of Re. 0.40 (Paise Forty only) per equity share of face value Rs. 1/- each, for the Financial Year ended March 31st, 2023.

As you are aware, as per the provisions of the Income Tax Act, 1961 (Act), dividend paid or distributed by a company shall be taxable at the hands of shareholders. Therefore, the Company is required to deduct tax at source (TDS) at the rates applicable on the amount distributed to the shareholders, if approved at the 46th Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the Company scheduled to be held on Wednesday, 23rd August, 2023.

This communication provides a brief of the applicable Tax Deduction at Source (TDS) provisions under the Act for Resident and Non-Resident shareholder categories.

#### **I. For Resident Shareholders**

Tax is required to be deducted at source under Section 194 of the Act, at the rate of 10% on the amount of dividend where shareholders have registered their valid Permanent Account Number (PAN). In case, shareholders do not have PAN / invalid PAN/ not registered their valid PAN details in their account or classified as specified person in the income-tax portal, TDS at the rate of 20% shall be deducted under Section 206AA of the Act.

##### **a. Resident Individuals**

No tax shall be deducted on the dividend payable to resident individuals if:

- i. Total dividend amount to be received by them during the Financial Year (FY) 2023-24 does not exceed Rs. 5,000/-; or

- ii. The shareholder provides Form 15G (applicable to individual) / Form 15H (applicable to an Individual above the age of 60 years), provided that all the required eligibility conditions are met. Please note that all fields are mandatory to be filled up and Company may at its sole discretion reject the form, if it does not fulfil the prescribed requirement under the Act. The template of Form 15G and 15H are enclosed as **Annexure 1** and **Annexure 2**, respectively.
- iii. Exemption certificate is issued by the Income-tax Department, if any.

b. **Resident Non-Individuals**

No tax shall be deducted on the dividend payable to the following resident non-individuals where they provide details and documents as per the format attached in **Annexure 3**.

- i. **Insurance Companies:** Self declaration that it qualifies as 'Insurer' as per section 2(7A) of the Insurance Act, 1938 and has full beneficial interest with respect to the ordinary shares owned by it along with self-attested copy of PAN card and certificate of registration with Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority (IRDA)/ LIC/ GIC.
  - ii. **Mutual Funds:** Self-declaration that it is registered with SEBI and is notified under Section 10 (23D) of the Act along with self-attested copy of PAN card and certificate of registration with SEBI.
  - iii. **Alternative Investment Fund (AIF):** Self-declaration that its income is exempt under Section 10 (23FBA) of the Act, and they are registered with SEBI as Category I or Category II AIF along with self-attested copy of the PAN card and certificate of AIF registration with SEBI.
  - iv. **New Pension System (NPS) Trust: Self-declaration that it qualifies as NPS trust and income is eligible for exemption under section 10(44) of the Act and being regulated by the provisions of the Indian Trusts Act, 1882** along with self-attested copy of the PAN card.
  - v. **Other Non-Individual shareholders:** Self-attested copy of documentary evidence supporting the exemption along with self-attested copy of PAN card.
- c. In case, shareholders (both individuals or non-individuals) provide certificate under Section 197 of the Act, for lower / NIL withholding of taxes, rate specified in the said certificate shall be considered, on submission of self-attested copy to the company.

II. **For Non-resident Shareholders**

a. **As per Domestic Tax Law**

Taxes are required to be withheld in accordance with the provisions of Section 195 of the Act as per the rates as applicable. As per the relevant provisions of the Act, the withholding tax shall be at the rate of 20% (plus applicable surcharge and cess) on the amount of dividend payable to them. In case, non-resident shareholders provide a certificate issued under Section 197/195 of the Act, for lower/ Nil withholding of taxes, rate specified in the said certificate shall be considered, on submission of self-attested copy of the same.

b. **As per Double Tax Avoidance Agreement (DTAA)**

As per Section 90 of the Act, the non-resident shareholder has the option to be governed by the provisions of the DTAA between India and the country of tax residence of the shareholder, if they are more beneficial to them. For this purpose, i.e., to avail DTAA benefit, the non-resident shareholders are required to submit the following:

- i. Self-attested copy of the PAN card allotted by the Indian Income Tax authorities.
- ii. Self-attested copy of Tax Residency Certificate (TRC) (financial year April 1, 2023 to March 31, 2024) obtained from the tax authorities of the country of which the shareholder is a resident.
- iii. For shareholders who have PAN and proposes to claim treaty benefit, they need to mandatorily file the Form 10F online at the link <https://eportal.incometax.gov.in/> with effect from April 1, 2023 to avail the benefit of DTAA.
- iv. Self-declaration by shareholder of meeting treaty eligibility requirement and satisfying beneficial ownership requirement. (financial year April 1, 2023 to March 31, 2024) (format attached herewith as **Annexure 4**).
- v. In case of Foreign Institutional Investors and Foreign Portfolio Investors, copy of SEBI registration certificate.
- vi. In case of shareholder being tax resident of Singapore, please furnish the letter issued by the competent authority or any other evidence demonstrating the non-applicability of Article 24 - Limitation of Relief under India-Singapore Double Taxation Avoidance Agreement (DTAA).

It is recommended that shareholders should independently satisfy their eligibility to claim DTAA benefit including meeting of all conditions laid down by DTAA.

Kindly note that the Company is not obligated to apply beneficial DTAA rates at the time of tax deduction / withholding on dividend amounts. Application of beneficial rate as per DTAA for the purpose of withholding taxes shall depend upon completeness and satisfactory review by the Company of the documents submitted by the non-resident shareholder.

Accordingly, to enable us to determine the appropriate withholding tax rate applicable, **we request you to provide these details and documents as mentioned, above, on or before 1st August, 2023 (cut off period)**. Any documents submitted after cut-off period will be accepted at sole discretion of the Company.

## **PAYMENT OF DIVIDEND**

The dividend on Equity Shares for FY 2022-23, once approved by the shareholders of the Company at the 46th AGM, will be paid after deducting the tax at source as mentioned in the earlier paragraphs. The following provisions under the Act will also be considered to determine the applicable TDS rate:

### **A. TDS to be deducted at higher rate in case of non-filers of Return of Income**

The provisions of Section 206AB require the deductor to deduct tax at higher of the following rates from amount paid/credited to specified person:

- i. At twice the rate specified in the relevant provision of the Act; or
- ii. At twice the rates or rates in force; or
- iii. At the rate of 5%

The non-resident who does not have the permanent establishment and resident who is not required to file a return under section 139 of the Act are excluded from the scope of a specified person.

However, as directed by the Central Board of Direct Taxes vide Circular No. 11 of 2021 dated June 21, 2021, the Company will be using functionality of the Income-tax department for determination of specified person for the purpose of Section 206AB of the Act.

### **B. TDS to be deducted at higher rate in case of non-linkage of PAN with Aadhaar**

As per Section 139AA of the Income Tax Act, every person who has been allotted a PAN and who is eligible to obtain Aadhaar, shall be required to link the PAN with Aadhaar. In case of failure to comply to this, the PAN allotted shall be deemed to be invalid/inoperative and tax shall be deducted at the rate of 20% as per the provisions of section 206AA of the Act. The Company will be using functionality of the Income-tax department for the above purpose.

### **C. Declaration under Rule 37BA**

In terms of Rule 37BA of the Income Tax Rules 1962, if dividend income on which tax has been deducted at source is assessable in the hands of a person other than the deductee, then such deductee should file declaration with Company in the manner prescribed in the Rules.

### **D. For shareholders having multiple accounts under different status / category:**

Shareholders holding Ordinary shares under multiple accounts under different status / category and single PAN, may note that, higher of the tax as applicable to the status in which shares held under a PAN will be considered on their entire holding in different accounts.

## **SUBMISSION OF TAX RELATED DOCUMENTS:**

The documents such as Form 15G/ 15H, documents under section 196, 197A, etc. can be uploaded on the link <https://tcpl.linkintime.co.in/formsreg/submission-of-form-15g-15h.html> on or before August 1, 2023 to enable the Company to determine the appropriate TDS / withholding tax rate applicable. Any communication on the tax determination/deduction received post Tuesday, August 1, 2023 shall not be considered.

Shareholders can send the other documents at the following email id:

Resident Shareholders	Non-Resident Shareholders
<a href="mailto:Csq-exemptforms2324@tcplindia.co.in">Csq-exemptforms2324@tcplindia.co.in</a>	<a href="mailto:NRI.exemptiondocs@thomascook.in">NRI.exemptiondocs@thomascook.in</a>

Documents sent to any other email ids may lead to non-submission of documents and attract TDS as per the provisions of the Act.

It may be further noted that in case the tax on said dividend is deducted at a higher rate in the absence of receipt of the aforementioned details/documents from you, there would still be an option available with you to file the return of income and claim an appropriate refund, if eligible.

The tax credit can also be viewed in Form 26AS by logging in with your credentials (with valid PAN) at TRACES <https://www.tdscpc.gov.in/app/login.xhtml> or the e-filing website of the Income Tax department of India <https://www.incometaxindiaefiling.gov.in/home>

**UPDATION OF BANK ACCOUNT DETAILS:**

In order to facilitate receipt of dividend directly in your bank account, shareholders are requested to ensure that their bank account details in their respective demat accounts/physical folios are updated, to enable the Company to make timely credit of dividend in their bank accounts. We seek your cooperation in this regard.

Thank you.

For Thomas Cook (India) Limited

**Amit J. Parekh**

*Company Secretary & Compliance Officer*

<b>Name of the Company</b>	<b>DP. ID – Client ID/ Folio No.</b>
[Thomas Cook (India) Limited]	

## INCOME-TAX RULES, 1962

### <sup>1</sup>FORM NO. 15G

[See section 197A(1), 197A(1A) and rule 29C]

**Declaration under section 197A(1) and section 197A(1A) to be made by an individual or a person (not being a company or firm) claiming certain incomes without deduction of tax**

#### PART I

1. Name of Assessee (Declarant)		2. PAN of the Assessee <sup>1</sup>					
3. Status <sup>2</sup>	4. Previous year (P.Y.) <sup>3</sup> (for which declaration is being made) FY 2023-24		5. Residential Status <sup>4</sup>				
6. Flat/Door/Block No.	7. Name of Premises	8. Road/Street/Lane	9. Area/Locality				
10. Town/City/District	11. State	12. PIN	13. Email				
14. Telephone No. (with STD Code) and Mobile No.	15. (a) Whether assessed to tax under the Income-tax Act, 1961 <sup>5</sup> (b) If yes, latest assessment year for which assessed		<table style="margin-left: auto; margin-right: auto;"> <tr> <td style="padding: 0 10px;">Yes</td> <td style="padding: 0 10px;">No</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;"><input type="checkbox"/></td> <td style="text-align: center;"><input type="checkbox"/></td> </tr> </table>	Yes	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Yes	No						
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16. Estimated income for which this declaration is made		17. Estimated total income of the P.Y. in which income mentioned in column 16 to be included <sup>6</sup>					
18. Details of Form No.15G other than this form filed during the previous year, if any <sup>7</sup>							
Total No. of Form No.15G filed		Aggregate amount of income for which Form No.15G filed					
19. Details of income for which the declaration is filed							
Sl. No.	Identification number of relevant investment/account, etc <sup>8</sup>	Nature of income	Section under which tax is deductible				
			Amount of income				

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*Signature of the Declarant*<sup>9</sup>

***Declaration/Verification***<sup>10</sup>

\*I/We.....do hereby declare that to the best of \*my /our knowledge and belief what is stated above is correct, complete and is truly stated. \*I/We declare that the incomes referred to in this form are not includible in the total income of any other person under sections 60 to 64 of the Income-tax Act, 1961. \*I/We further declare that the tax \*on my/our estimated total income including \*income/incomes referred to in column 16 \*and aggregate amount of \*income/incomes referred to in column 18 computed in accordance with the provisions of the Income-tax Act,1961, for the previous year ending on 31-MAR-2024. relevant to the assessment year 2024-2025.will be *nil*. \*I/We also declare that \*my/our \*income/incomes referred to in column16 \*and the aggregate amount of \*income/incomes referred to in column 18 for the previous year ending on 31-MAR-2024. relevant to the assessment year 2024-2025 will not exceed the maximum amount which is not charge-able to income-tax.

*Place:* .....

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*Date:*.....

*Signature of the Declarant*<sup>9</sup>

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1. Substituted by IT (Fourteenth Amdt.) Rules 2015, w.e.f. **1-10-2015**. Earlier Form No.15G was inserted by the IT (Fifth Amdt.)Rules, 1982, w.e.f. 21-6-1982 and later on amended by the IT (Fifth Amdt.) Rules, 1989, w.r.e.f. 1-4-1988, IT (Fourteenth Amdt.) Rules, 1990, w.e.f. 20-11-1990 and IT (Twelfth Amdt.) Rules, 2002, w.e.f. 21-6-2002 and substituted by the IT (Eighth Amdt.) Rules, 2003, w.e.f. 9-6-2003 and IT (Second Amdt.)Rules, 2013, w.e.f. 19-2-2013.



## PART II

**[To be filled by the person responsible for paying the income referred to in column 16 of Part I]**

1. Name of the person responsible for paying		2. Unique Identification No. <sup>11</sup>	
3. PAN of the person responsible for paying	4. Complete Address	5. TAN of the person responsible for paying	
6. Email	7. Telephone No. (with STD Code) and Mobile No.	8. Amount of income paid <sup>12</sup>	
9. Date on which Declaration is received (DD/MM/YYYY)		10. Date on which the income has been paid/credited (DD/MM/YYYY)	

*Place:* .....

*Date:* .....

.....  
*Signature of the person responsible for paying the income referred to in column 16 of Part I*

\*Delete whichever is not applicable.

<sup>1</sup>As per provisions of section 206AA(2), the declaration under section 197A(1) or 197A(1A) shall be invalid if the declarant fails to furnish his valid Permanent Account Number (PAN).

<sup>2</sup>Declaration can be furnished by an individual under section 197 A (1) and a person (other than a company or a firm) under section 197A(1A).

<sup>3</sup>The financial year to which the income pertains.

<sup>4</sup>Please mention the residential status as per the provisions of section 6 of the Income-tax Act, 1961.

<sup>5</sup>Please mention "Yes" if assessed to tax under the provisions of Income-tax Act, 1961 for any of the assessment year out of six assessment years preceding the year in which the declaration is filed.

<sup>6</sup>Please mention the amount of estimated total income of the previous year for which the declaration is filed including the amount of income for which this declaration is made.

<sup>7</sup>In case any declaration(s) in Form No.15G is filed before filing this declaration during the previous year, mention the total number of such Form No.15G filed alongwith the aggregate amount of income for which said declaration(s) have been filed.

<sup>8</sup>Mention the distinctive number of shares, account number of term deposit, recurring deposit, National Savings Schemes, life insurance policy number, employee code, etc.

<sup>9</sup>Indicate the capacity in which the declaration is furnished on behalf of a HUF, AOP, etc.



<sup>10</sup>Before signing the declaration/verification, the declarant should satisfy himself that the information furnished in this form is true, correct and complete in all respects. Any person making a false statement in the declaration shall be liable to prosecution under section 277 of the Income-tax Act, 1961 and on conviction be punishable-

- (i) in a case where tax sought to be evaded exceeds twenty-five lakh rupees, with rigorous imprisonment which shall not be less than six months but which may extend to seven years and with fine;
- (ii) in any other case, with rigorous imprisonment which shall not be less than three months but which may extend to two years and with fine.

<sup>11</sup>The person responsible for paying the income referred to in column 16 of Part I shall allot a unique identification number to all the Form No. 15G received by him during a quarter of the financial year and report this reference number along with the particulars prescribed in rule 31A(4)(vii) of the Income-tax Rules, 1962 in the TDS statement furnished for the same quarter. In case the person has also received Form No. 15H during the same quarter, please allot separate series of serial number for Form No. 15G and Form No. 15H.

<sup>12</sup>The person responsible for paying the income referred to in column 16 of Part I shall not accept the declaration where the amount of income of the nature referred to in sub-section (1) or sub-section (1A) of section 197A or the aggregate of the amounts of such income credited or paid or likely to be credited or paid during the previous year in which such income is to be included exceeds the maximum amount which is not chargeable to tax. For deciding the eligibility, he is required to verify income or the aggregate amount of incomes, as the case may be, reported by the declarant in columns 16 and 18.

<b>Name of the Company</b>	<b>DP. ID – Client ID/ Folio No.</b>
[Thomas Cook (India) Limited]	

**<sup>1</sup>FORM NO. 15H**

[See section 197A(1C) and rule 29C]

**Declaration under section 197A(1C) to be made by an individual who is of the age of sixty years or more claiming certain incomes without deduction of tax.**

**PART I**

1. Name of Assessee (Declarant)		2. Permanent Account Number or Aadhaar Number of the Assessee <sup>1</sup>		3. Date of Birth(DD/MM/YYYY)	
4. Previous year(P.Y.) <sup>3</sup> (for which declaration is being made)		5. Flat/Door/Block No.		6. Name of Premises	
FY 2023-24					
7. Road/Street/Lane		8. Area/Locality		9. Town/City/District	
10. State		11. PIN		12. Email	
		13. Telephone No. (with STD Code) and Mobile No.			
14 (a) Whether assessed to tax <sup>4</sup> :				Yes	No
(b) If yes, latest assessment year for which assessed					
15. Estimated income for which this declaration is made					
16. Estimated total income of the P.Y. in which income mentioned in column 15 to be included <sup>5</sup>					
17. Details of Form No.15H other than this form filed for the previous year, if any <sup>6</sup>					
Total No. of Form No.15H filed		Aggregate amount of income for which Form No.15H filed			
18. Details of income for which the declaration is filed					
Sl. No.	Identification number of relevant investment/account, etc. <sup>7</sup>	Nature of income	Section under which tax is deductible	Amount of income	

*Signature of the Declarant*

1. Substituted by the IT (Fourteenth Amdt.) Rules, 2015, w.e.f. **1-10-2015**. Earlier Form No. 15H was amended by the IT (Fifth Amdt.) Rules, 1982, w.e.f. 21-6-1982, IT (Fifth Amdt.) Rules, 1989, w.r.e.f. 1-4-1988, IT (Fourteenth Amdt.) Rules, 1990, w.e.f. 20-11-1990, IT (Twelfth Amdt.) Rules, 1992, w.e.f. 1-6-1992, IT (Seventh Amdt.) Rules, 1995, w.e.f. 1-7-1995, IT (Thirty-second Amdt.) Rules, 1999, w.e.f. 19-11-1999, IT (Twelfth Amdt.) Rules, 2002, w.e.f. 21-6-2002, IT (Eighth Amdt.) Rules, 2003, w.e.f. 9-6-2003, IT (Fourteenth Amdt.) Rules, 2003, w.e.f. 1-8-2003 and IT (Second Amdt.) Rules, 2013, w.e.f. 19-2-2013.

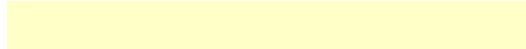
***Declaration/Verification***<sup>8</sup>

I ..... do hereby declare that I am resident in India within the meaning of section 6 of the Income-tax Act, 1961. I also hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief what is stated above is correct, complete and is truly stated and that the incomes referred to in this form are not includible in the total income of any other person under sections 60 to 64 of the Income-tax Act, 1961. I further declare that the tax on my estimated total income including \*income/incomes referred to in column 15 \*and aggregate amount of \*income/incomes referred to in column 17 computed in accordance with the provisions of the Income-tax Act, 1961, for the previous year ending on 31-MAR-2024 relevant to the assessment year 2024-2025 will be *nil*.

*Place:* .....

*Date :* .....

Signature of the Declarant Signature



## PART II

[To be filled by the person responsible for paying the income referred to in column 15 of Part I]

1. Name of the person responsible for paying		2. Unique Identification No. <sup>9</sup>	
3. Permanent Account Number or Aadhaar Number of the person responsible for paying	4. Complete Address		5. TAN of the person responsible for paying
6. Email	7. Telephone No. (with STD Code) and Mobile No.		8. Amount of income paid <sup>10</sup>
9. Date on which Declaration is received (DD/MM/YYYY)		10. Date on which the income has been paid/credited (DD/MM/YYYY)	

Place: .....

Date: ..... *Signature of the person responsible for paying the income referred to in column 15 of Part I*

\*Delete whichever is not applicable.

1. As per provisions of section 206AA(2), the declaration under section 197A(1C) shall be invalid if the declarant fails to furnish his valid Permanent Account Number or Aadhaar Number.

2. Declaration can be furnished by a resident individual who is of the age of 60 years or more at any time during the previous year.

3. The financial year to which the income pertains.

4. Please mention "Yes" if assessed to tax under the provisions of Income-tax Act, 1961 for any of the assessment year out of six assessment years preceding the year in which the declaration is filed.

5. Please mention the amount of estimated total income of the previous year for which the declaration is filed including the amount of income for which this declaration is made.

6. In case any declaration(s) in Form No. 15H is filed before filing this declaration during the previous year, mention the total number of such Form No. 15H filed along with the aggregate amount of income for which said declaration(s) have been filed.

7. Mention the distinctive number of shares, account number of term deposit, recurring deposit, National Savings Schemes, life insurance policy number, employee code, etc.

8. Before signing the declaration/verification, the declarant should satisfy himself that the information furnished in this form is true, correct and complete in all respects. Any person making a false statement in the declaration shall be liable to prosecution under section 277 of the Income-tax Act, 1961 and on conviction be punishable—

- (i) in a case where tax sought to be evaded exceeds twenty-five lakh rupees, with rigorous imprisonment which shall not be less than six months but which may extend to seven years and with fine;
- (ii) in any other case, with rigorous imprisonment which shall not be less than three months but which may extend to two years and with fine.

9. The person responsible for paying the income referred to in column 15 of Part I shall allot a unique identification number to all the Form No. 15H received by him during a quarter of the financial year and report this reference number along with the particulars prescribed in rule 31A(4)(vii) of the Income-tax Rules, 1962 in the TDS statement furnished for the same quarter. In case the person has also received Form No.15G during the same quarter, please allot separate series of serial number for Form No.15H and Form No.15G.

10. The person responsible for paying the income referred to in column 15 of Part I shall not accept the declaration where the amount of income of the nature referred to in section 197A(1C) or the aggregate of the amounts of such income credited or paid or likely to be credited or paid during the previous year in which such income is to be included exceeds the maximum amount which is not chargeable to tax after allowing for deduction(s) under Chapter VI-A, if any, or set off of loss, if any, under the head “income from house property” for which the declarant is eligible. For deciding the eligibility, he is required to verify income or the aggregate amount of incomes, as the case may be, reported by the declarant in columns 15 and 17.

<sup>1</sup>*[Provided that such person shall accept the declaration in a case where income of the assessee, who is eligible for rebate of income-tax under section 87A, is higher than the income for which declaration can be accepted as per this note, but his tax liability shall be nil after taking into account the rebate available to him under the said section 87A.]*

Date:

To  
Thomas Cook (India) Limited  
11<sup>th</sup> Floor, Marathon Futurex  
N M Joshi Marg  
Lower Parel (East)  
Mumbai- 400 013

**Subject: Declaration regarding Category and Beneficial Ownership of shares**

**Ref: PAN –  
Folio Number / DP ID/ Client ID –**

With reference to the captioned subject, and in relation to the appropriate withholding of taxes on the Dividend payable to me / us by **Thomas Cook (India) Limited** (the Company), I / We hereby declare as under:

1. I/We, \_\_\_\_\_, holding share/shares of the Company as on the record date, hereby declare that I am /we are tax resident of India for the period April 2023-March 2024 (Indian Fiscal Year).

2. I/We hereby declare that (Select Applicable)

- I am an Individual has linked the Aadhar number with PAN Card.
- We are **Insurance Company** and are the beneficial owner of the share/shares held in the Company; and we are submitting self-attested copy of PAN Card.
- We are **Mutual Fund** specified in Section 10(23D) of the Income Tax Act, 1961 and are the beneficial owner of the share/shares held in the Company; and we are submitting self-attested copy of PAN Card and registration certificate.
- We are **Alternative Investment fund** established in India and are the beneficial owner of the share/shares held in the Company; and our income is exempt under Section 10(23FBA) of the Act and are governed by SEBI regulations as Category I or Category II AIF; and we are submitting self-attested copy of the PAN card and registration certificate.
- We are **New Pension System Trust** established in India and are the beneficial owner of the share/shares held in the Company; and our income is exempt under Section 10(44) of the Act and being regulated by the provisions of the Indian Trusts Act, 1882; and we are submitting self-attested copy of the PAN card and registration certificate, as applicable.
- We are **category of the entity** and are the beneficial owner of the share/shares held in the Company; and are not subject to withholding tax under section 196 of the Income Tax Act; and we are submitting self-attested copy of the documentary evidence supporting the exemption status along with self-attested copy of PAN card.

- Other category - we are exempted from withholding of Tax u/s194 of the Act and we

are submitting self-attested copy of the documentary evidence supporting the exemption status along with self-attested copy of PAN card documents.

3. I/We hereby confirm that the above declaration should be considered to be applicable for all the shares held in the Company under PAN/ accounts declared in the form.
4. I/ We further indemnify the Company for any penal consequences arising out of any acts of commission or omission initiated by the Company by relying on my/ our above averment.

Thanking you.  
Yours faithfully,  
For Name of the shareholder

Authorized Signatory - Name and designation

*Note: Kindly strikethrough whichever is not applicable*

Date:

To  
Thomas Cook (India) Limited  
11<sup>th</sup> Floor, Marathon Futurex  
N M Joshi Marg  
Lower Parel (East)  
Mumbai- 400 013

**Subject: Declaration regarding Tax Residency and Beneficial Ownership of shares**

**Ref: PAN** – Mention PAN of Shareholder  
**Folio Number / DP ID/ Client ID** – Mention all the account details

With reference to the captioned subject, and in relation to the appropriate withholding of taxes on the Dividend payable to me / us by **Thomas Cook (India) Limited** (the Company), I / We hereby declare as under:

1. I / We, Full name of the shareholder , holding share/shares of the Company as on the record date, hereby declare that I am /we are tax resident of country name for the period April 2023-March 2024 (Indian Fiscal Year) as per tax treaty between India and country name (hereinafter referred to as 'said tax treaty').
2. I / We hereby declare that, I am /we are the beneficial owner of the share/shares held in the Company as well as the dividend arising from such shareholding; and I/ we have the right to use and enjoy the dividend received/ receivable from the above shares and such right is not constrained by any contractual and/ or legal obligation to pass on such dividend to another person.
3. I/We confirm that I/We are entitled to claim the benefits under the Treaty as modified by the multilateral convention to implement tax treaty related measures to prevent base erosion and profit shifting (MLI) including but not limited to the Principal Purpose Test (PPT), limitation of benefit clause (LOB), Simplified Limitation of Benefits (SLOB), period of holding of shares etc. as applicable. We specifically confirm that my affairs / affairs were not arranged such that the main purpose or the principal purpose thereof was to obtain tax benefits available under the applicable tax treaty.
4. I/We hereby furnish a copy of valid Tax Residency Certificate dated \_\_\_\_\_ having Tax Identification number \_\_\_\_\_ issued by \_\_\_\_\_ along with digital Form 10F duly filled in accordance with law.



5. I/We further declare that I/we do not have and will not have any taxable presence, fixed base or Permanent Establishment in India as per the said tax treaty during the period April 2023 – March 2024.
6. I /We have any PE or fixed base in India as construed under relevant Articles of the applicable tax treaty but the dividend income receivable by me/us from investment in the shares of The Tata Power Company Limited is not effectively connected to said permanent establishment in India. Further I/We hereby declare and confirm that I/We do not fall under the definition of 'specified person' as provided in section 206AB of the IT Act
7. I/ We further indemnify the Company for any penal consequences arising out of any acts of commission or omission initiated by the Company by relying on my/ our above averment.
8. I/We hereby confirm that the above declaration should be considered to be applicable for all the shares held in the Company under PAN/ accounts declared in the form.

The shareholders are required to provide a Declaration strictly as per the specified format given above, failing which the Company reserves the right to deny the Treaty benefits.

Thanking you.  
 Yours faithfully,  
 For Name of the shareholder  
 <<insert signature>>

Authorized Signatory - Name and designation  
 Contact address: \_\_\_\_\_ [Please insert]  
 Email address: \_\_\_\_\_ [Please insert]  
 Contact Number: \_\_\_\_\_ [Please insert]  
 Tax Identification Number \_\_\_\_\_ [Please insert]

*Note: Kindly strikethrough whichever is not applicable*

(\*In case of any Authorised Signatory being other than Director/ Managing Director, please attach the valid Power of Attorney authorising the individual as an Authorised Signatory)

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