

# G.S. AUTO INTERNATIONAL LTD.



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Dated: 18.07.2022

Department of Corporate Services, **Bombay Stock Exchange (BSE) Limited,** Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers, Dalal Street, Mumbai, Maharashtra-400001

Scrip Code: 513059

SUBJECT: POSTAL BALLOT NOTICE FOR APPOINTMENT OF INDEPENDENT DIRECTOR

# REF: REGULATION 30 OF SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE BOARD OF INDIA (LISTING OBLIGATIONS AND DISCLOSURE REQUIREMENTS) REGULATIONS, 2015

Dear Sir / Madam,

Pursuant to Regulation 30 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, please find enclosed herewith the Postal Ballot Notice dated July 14, 2022, seeking approval of Members of the Company by way of Special Resolution(s) on the following resolution through Postal Ballot Process (e-Voting):-

1.	L. To appoint CA Kanwalpreet Singh Walia (DIN: 00266474) as an Independent Dire	
	the Company	

The Postal Ballot Notice shall be sent only through electronic mode to all the Members, whose names appear in the Register of Members / list of Beneficial Owners as received from National Securities Depository Limited and Central Depository Services (India) Limited and whose email ID is registered with the Company/ Depositories, as on Tuesday, July 12, 2022 (Cut-off Date). The Company has engaged the services of CDSL as the agency for providing remote e-voting facility. The detailed procedure for remote e-voting is provided in the Notes to the Notice of the Postal Ballot.

Further, the shareholders who have not registered their email address and in consequence could not receive the Postal Ballot Notice may get their email registered by writing to the Company/RTA/Depository Participant (DP).

The e-voting facility will be available during the following period:-

Commencement of e-Voting	Wednesday, July 20, 2022 at 09:00 a.m. IST
End of e-Voting	Thursday, August 18, 2022 at 05:00 p.m. IST
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The e-voting module will be disabled by the service provider i.e. Central Depository Services (India) Limited (CDSL) after 5:00 P.M. IST on Thursday, August 18, 2022. The result of the Postal Ballot shall be declared on or before 2 working days from the conclusion of e-voting process. The Members can vote on resolution through remote e-voting facility only. Assent or Dissent of the Members on the resolutions mentioned in the Notice would be taken through remote e-voting system only.

The Postal Ballot Notice is also available on the website of the Company www.gsgroupindia.com.

Kindly note and display the notice on your notice board for the information of the members of your exchange and general public.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

For G. S. AUTO INTERNATIONAL LIMITED

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(DAKSHI NARANG) COMPANY SECRETARY & COMPLIANCE OFFICER

M.No.: A66398

Encl.: As above



## G.S. AUTO INTERNATIONAL LIMITED

CIN: L34300PB1973PLC003301 Registered Office Address: G.S. Estate, G.T. Road, Ludhiana,. PUNJAB-141010 (INDIA) T: 0161-2511001-05, F: 0161-2510885

Website: www.gsgroupindia.com

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#### NOTICE OF THE POSTAL BALLOT AND E-VOTING INFORMATION

(Pursuant to Section 110 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 20 and 22 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 and the MCA Circulars as defined below)

Dear Member(s),

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of Section 108 and Section 110 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act") read with Rule 20 and Rule 22 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 ("the Rules"), Regulation 44 of Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("SEBI Listing Regulations"), read with the General Circular No.14/2020 dated April 8, 2020, General Circular No. 17/2020 dated April 13, 2020, General Circular No. 22/2020 dated June 15, 2020, General Circular No. 33/2020 dated September 28, 2020, General Circular No. 39/2020 dated December 31, 2020, General Circular No. 10/2021 dated June 23, 2021, General Circular No. 19/2021 and General Circular No. 20/2021 dated December 08, 2021 by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs (hereinafter collectively referred as the "MCA Circulars") and any other applicable laws, regulations and circulars [including any statutory modification(s), amendment(s) thereto or reenactment(s) thereof for the time being in force], to transact the below mentioned proposed special resolution by the members of G S Auto International Limited ("the Company") through postal ballot ("Postal Ballot") only through remote e-voting ("E-voting").

The Company will send Postal Ballot Notice by email to its members who have registered their email addresses with the Company / RTA/ Depository / Depository Participants ('DP") and the communication of assent / dissent of the Members will only take place through the remote evoting system. This Postal Ballot is accordingly being initiated in compliance with the MCA Circulars.

In compliance with the requirements of the MCA Circulars, hard copies of Postal Ballot Notice along with Postal Ballot Forms and pre-paid business reply envelope will not be sent to the members for this Postal Ballot and members are required to communicate their assent or dissent through the remote e- voting system only.

You are requested to peruse the proposed Special Resolution set out below with its Explanatory Statement and thereafter record your assent or dissent by means of remote e-Voting facility provided by the Company not later than 5:00 p.m. IST on Thursday, August 18, 2022, failing which it will be strictly considered that no reply has been received from the Member. Members desiring to exercise their votes are requested to carefully read the instructions of e-Voting.

The Scrutinizer will submit his report to the Chairman of the Company (the "Chairman") or any other duly authorized person of the Company after the receipt of assent or dissent of the Members (including e-voting). The result of the Postal Ballot (including e-voting) shall be declared by the Chairman or any other duly authorized person of the Company on or before August 22, 2022. The voting results of e-Voting will be communicated to the recognized stock exchange, depositories, RTA and shall also be displayed on the Company's website, <a href="www.gsgroupindia.com.com">www.gsgroupindia.com.com</a> in accordance with the provisions of SEBI Listing Regulations.

#### **SPECIAL BUSINESS:**

# 1. <u>APPOINTMENT OF CA KANWALPREET SINGH WALIA (DIN: 00266474)</u>, AS AN INDEPENDENT DIRECTOR OF THE COMPANY

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

**"RESOLVED THAT** pursuant to the provisions of Sections 149, 150 and 152 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 ('the Act'), the Companies (Appointment and Qualification of Directors) Rules, 2014 and any other applicable rules made thereunder, read with Schedule IV of the Act and Regulation 16(1)(b) and Regulation 25 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ('SEBI Listing Regulations') (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force), on the basis of the recommendation and approval of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee and the Board of Directors of the Company respectively and in respect of whom the Company has received notice under Section 160 of the Companies Act, 2013, CA Kanwalpreet Singh Walia (DIN: 00266474), who was appointed as an Additional Director (Non-Executive Independent) of the Company with effect from May 24, 2022, pursuant to Section 161 of the Act and Articles of Association of the Company and who has submitted a declaration that he meets the criteria of Independence as provided under the Act and the SEBI Listing Regulations, be and is hereby appointed as an Independent Director of the Company to hold office for a term of 3 (three) consecutive years with effect from May 24, 2022 to May 23, 2025, not liable to retire by rotation.

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Board of Directors of the Company be and is hereby authorized to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things and take all such steps as may be necessary, proper, desirable or expedient to give effect to this resolution including filing of all necessary returns with the Registrar of Companies (ROC) and to make necessary entries in the statutory records and registers of the Company in relation to appointment of the aforesaid person as an Independent Director on the Board of the Company."

By order of the Board of Directors For G S AUTO INTERNATIONAL LIMITED

Place: LUDHIANA Date: July 14, .2022

> Sd/-(DAKSHI NARANG)

**COMPANY SECRETARY & COMPLIANCE OFFICER** 

M. No.: A66398

#### **NOTES:**

- 1. The Explanatory Statement pursuant to Section 102 and Section 110 of the Act read with rules made there under, stating all material facts and the reasons for the proposal set out above is annexed herewith.
- 2. The Notice is being sent to all the Members whose names appear on the Register of Members/List of Beneficial Owners as received from the depositories i.e. National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL) and Central Depository Services (India) Limited (CDSL) as on close of working hours i.e. 5.00 P.M. on 12.07.2022 in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013, read with Rules made thereunder and Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Government of India's General Circular No. 17/2020, General Circular No. 19/2021 and General Circular No. 20/2021.
- 3. Members may note that this Postal Ballot Notice will also be available on the Company's websitei.e.www.gsgroupindia.com, websites of Stock Exchange i.e. BSE Limited at <a href="https://www.bseindia.com">www.bseindia.com</a>.
- 4. The voting rights for the Equity Shares of the Company are one vote per equity share, registered in the name of the member. The voting rights of the members shall be in proportion to the percentage of paid-up share capital of the Company held by them, which will be determined on the basis of the paid up value of shares registered in the name of each member as on July 12, 2022, being the cut-off date fixed for the purpose.
- 5. Resolutions passed by the members through postal ballot are deemed to have been passed as if they are passed at a General Meeting of the members.
- 6. In compliance with provisions of Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013, read with Rule 22 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014, as amended from time to time, Regulation 44 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, and other applicable laws, and General Circular Nos. 14/2020 and 17/2020 dated 8th April 2020 and 13th April 2020, General Circular No. 19/2021 and General Circular No. 20/2021 dated 08th December 2021 respectively issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) the Company is pleased to offer e-voting facility to its Members holding equity shares as on July 12, 2022 being the cut-off date, to exercise their right to vote electronically on the above resolution.
- 7. In compliance with Sections 108 and 110 of the Act and the rules made thereunder, the Company has provided the facility to members to exercise their votes electronically and to vote on all resolutions through the e-voting service facility arranged by Central Depository Services Limited (hereinafter referred to as "CDSL"). The instructions for electronic voting are annexed to this Postal Ballot Notice. Members cannot exercise votes by proxy, though corporate and institutional members shall be entitled to vote through their authorized representatives with proof of their authorization.
- 8. The Board of Directors of the Company in its meeting held on Thursday, July 14, 2022 has appointed Mr. Pritpal Singh Dua, Practicing Company Secretary (CP No. 3934) of M/s P.S. Dua & Associates, Company Secretaries, as Scrutinizer for conducting the Postal Ballot / e-Voting process in a fair and transparent manner. Mr. Pritpal Singh Dua has given his consent to act as the Scrutinizer and would be available for the purpose of ascertaining the requisite majority.

- 9. The Scrutinizer will submit his report to the Chairman or any other person authorized by the Chairman after the completion of scrutiny, and the result of the voting by Postal Ballot will be announced by the Chairman or any director of the Company duly authorized, on or before August 22, 2022 and will also be displayed on the Company's website <a href="www.gsgroupindia.com">www.gsgroupindia.com</a> and will be intimated to the Stock Exchange where the shares of the Company are listed i.e. BSE Limited, in accordance with the provisions of SEBI Listing Regulations.
- 10. The Scrutinizer's decision on the validity of the postal ballot shall be final and binding.
- 11. The Resolution, if passed by the Members through Postal Ballot are deemed to have been duly passed on the last date specified for the e-voting i.e. August 18, 2022 in terms of Secretarial Standard 2 on General Meetings ("SS-2") issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India.
- 12. A member cannot exercise his vote by proxy on Postal Ballot.
- 13. All the material documents referred to in the explanatory statement will be available for electronic inspection on the website of the Company at www.gsgroupindia.com from the date of dispatch of this notice to the date of declaration of the results of Postal Ballot.
- 14. In terms of MCA Circulars, the Company is sending Postal Ballot Notice in electronic form only and express its inability to dispatch hard copies of Postal Ballot Notice along with Postal Ballot Form and pre-paid business reply envelope to the members for this Postal Ballot. To facilitate such members to receive this notice electronically and cast their vote electronically, the Company has made special arrangement for registration of email addresses in terms of the MCA Circulars. The process for registration of email address is as under:
  - a. For voting in the resolution proposed in the Postal Ballot through remote e-voting, members who have not registered their email address may get their email address registered by sending an email to the Company by writing an email at <a href="mailto:cs@gsgroupindia.com">cs@gsgroupindia.com</a>. The members shall provide the following information in the email-—

Full Name, No of shares held,
Folio Number (if shares held in physical) and PAN,
Share certificate number (if shares held in physical) and PAN,
DP ID & Client ID (if shares are held in demat), Email id to be registered and Mobile No.

- b. Post successful registration of the email, the member would get soft copy of the notice and the procedure for e-voting along with the User ID and Password to enable e-voting for this Postal Ballot. In case of any queries, member may write to <a href="mailto:cs@gsgroupindia.com">cs@gsgroupindia.com</a>.
- c. It is clarified that for permanent registration of email address, members are required to register their email addresses, in respect of electronic holdings with their concerned Depository Participants and in respect of physical holdings, with the Company's Share Transfer Agent i.e. admin@skylinerta.com; parveen@skylinerta.com.

- d. Those shareholders who have already registered their email address are requested to keep their email addresses validated with their Depository Participants / the Company's Registrar and Share Transfer Agent to enable servicing of notices / documents / Annual Reports electronically to their email address.
- 15. As required by Rule 20 and Rule 22 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 read with the MCA Circulars and the SEBI Listing Regulations, the details pertaining to this Postal Ballot will be published in one English national daily newspaper circulating throughout India (in English language) and one daily newspaper published in the language of the region, where registered office of the Company is situated (i.e. in Punjabi language).
- 16. Members can also contact Ms. Dakshi Narang, Company Secretary and Compliance Officer of the Company to resolve any grievances with regard to voting by Postal Ballot. Address: G.S. Estate, G.T. Road, Ludhiana-141010, Punjab, India, Email id: cs@gsgroupindia.com, Phone number 0161-2511001-05.
- 17. In compliance with Sections 108 and 110 of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Rules made thereunder, the Company has provided the facility to the Members to exercise their votes electronically and vote on all resolutions through the e-voting service facility arranged by Central Depository Services Limited (hereinafter referred to as "CDSL"). The instructions for electronic voting are given in this Notice. E-Voting will commence on July 20, 2022 at 9:00 a.m. IST and will end on August 18, 2022 at 5:00 p.m. IST. E-Voting shall not be allowed beyond the said time and date.
- 18. In accordance with Regulation 44 (1) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and Rule 22 of the Rules, the Company is pleased to offer e-voting facility to shareholders who have registered their e-mail id's with the Company or the Registrar and Transfer Agent/ Depository Participants. Necessary arrangements have been made by the Company with Central Depository Services Limited (hereinafter referred to as "CDSL") to facilitate e-voting as an alternate to the dispatch of Postal Ballot Forms.
- 19. All papers relating to Postal Ballot including voting by remote e-Voting shall be under the safe custody of the scrutinizer till the Chairman considers, approves and sign the minutes.
- 20. Dispatch of the Notice shall be deemed to be completed on the day on which Company or CDSL sends out the Postal Ballot Notice by e-mail to the members of the Company.

#### 21. IMPORTANT DETAILS REGARDING THE REMOTE E-VOTING FACILITY ARE PROVIDED BELOW:

Cut-off date for determining the Members	Tuesday, July 12, 2022.
entitled to vote through e-Voting	
Commencement of voting	Wednesday, July 20, 2022 at 09:00 a.m. IST
End of voting	Thursday, August 18, 2022 at 05:00 p.m. IST

During the period, shareholders of the Company holding shares either in physical form or in dematerialized form, as on cut-off date of Tuesday, July 12, 2022 may cast their vote electronically. The e-Voting module will be disabled by the Service provider i.e. CDSL after 5:00 P.M. on Thursday, August 18, 2022.

#### 22. VOTING THROUGH ELECTRONIC MEANS

As per SEBI Circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD/CIR/P/2020/242 dated December 9, 2020 under Regulation 44 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, on e-Voting Facility provided by Listed Entities, "individual shareholders holding shares of the Company in demat mode" can cast their vote, by way of a single login credential, through their demat accounts / websites of Depositories / Depository Participants. Members are advised to update their mobile number and email id in their demat accounts in order to access e-Voting facility. The procedure to login and access remote e-Voting, as devised by the Depositories / Depository Participant(s), is given below:

## Option 1 — Login through Depositories

NSDL	CDSL	
1. Members who have already registered for	1. Members who have already registered for	
IDeAS facility to follow below steps:	CDSL Easi/Easiest facility to follow below	
	steps:	
(i) Go to URL: <a href="https://eservices.nsdl.com">https://eservices.nsdl.com</a>		
(ii) Click on the "Beneficial Owner" icon under	(i) Go to URL:	
"Login" which is available under 'IDeAS'	https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasi/home/lo	
section.	<u>gin</u>	
(iii) A new page will open. Enter the existing User	or	
ID and Password. On successful	(ii) URL: <u>www.cdslindia.com</u> and then go	
authentication, you will be able to see e-	to login icon and select New System	
Voting services. Click on "Access to e-voting".  (iv) Click on the Company name or e-voting	Myeasi. (iii) Login with existing user id and	
service provider and you will be re-directed	(iii) Login with existing user id and password.	
to e-voting service provider website for	(iv) Click on e-voting. The option will be	
casting the vote during the remote e-voting	made available to reach e-Voting page	
period.	without any further authentication.	
, '	(v) Click on Company name or e-Voting	
	service provider name to cast your	
	vote during the remote e-Voting	
	period.	
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(i) To register click on link:	(i) Option to register is available at	
https://eservices.nsdl.com.	https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasi/Registrati	
Select option "Register Online for IDeAS" or	on/EasiRegistration	
click at		
https://eservices.nsdl.com/SecureWeb/Ideas		
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(ii) Proceed with completing the required fields.	(ii)Proceed with completing the required fields.	

- 3. Users can directly access e-Voting module of 3. Users can directly access e-Voting module **NSDL** and follow the below process:
- (i) Go to URL: https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/
- (ii) Click on the icon "Login" which is available under 'Shareholder/Members' section.
- number held with NSDL), Password/OTP and a Verification Code as shown as the screen.
- redirected to NSDL Depository site wherein you can see e-Voting page.
- service provider name and you will be redirected to e-voting service provider website for casting your vote during the remote e-voting period.

- of CDSL and follow the below process:
- (i) Go to URL: www.cdslindia.com
- (ii) Click on the icon "E-Voting"
- (iii) Provide Demat Account Number and PAN
- (iii) Enter User ID (i.e. 16-digit demat account (iv) System will authenticate user by sending OTP on registered Mobile & Email as recorded in the Demat Account.
- (iv) On successful authentication, you will be (v) After successful authentication, the user will be provided links for the respective ESP where the E-Voting is in progress.
- (v) Click on the Company name or e-Voting (vi) Click on the Company name and you will be redirected to e-voting service provider website for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period.

### Option 2 - Login through Depository Participants.

You can also login using the login credentials of your demat account through your Depository Participant registered with NSDL/CDSL for e-Voting facility. After successful login, 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. Click on the Company name or e-Voting service provider name and you will be redirected to e-Voting service provider website 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. CDSL and NSDL

Login Type	Helpdesk details
Individual Shareholders holding securities in Demat mode with <b>CDSL</b>	Members facing any technical issue in login can contact CDSL helpdesk by sending a request at <a href="helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com">helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com</a> or contact at 1800-225-533.
Individual Shareholders holding securities in Demat mode with <b>NSDL</b>	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

(a) Login method for e-Voting for shareholders other than individual shareholder holding in Demat form and physical shareholders:

- (i) The Members should log on to the ~ e-Voting website www.evotingindia.com.
- (ii) Click on "Shareholders" module.
- (iii) Now enter your User ID
  - a. For CDSL: 16 digits beneficiary ID,
  - b. For NSDL: 8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digits Client ID,
  - c. Shareholders holding shares in Physical Form should enter Folio Number registered with the Company.
- (iv) Next enter the Image Verification as displayed and Click on Login.
- (v) If you are holding shares in demat form and had logged on to <a href="www.evotingindia.com">www.evotingindia.com</a> and voted on an earlier e-Voting of any company, then your existing password is to be used.
- (vi) If you are a first time user follow the steps given below:

For Shareholders holding shares in Demat form other than individual and Physical Form				
PAN	Enter your 10 digit alpha-numeric PAN issued by Income Tax Department (Applicable for both demat shareholders as well as physical shareholders)			
	Members who have not updated their PAN with the Company/Depository Participant are requested to use the sequence number sent by Company/RTA or contact Company/RTA.			
Dividend Bank Details <b>OR</b> Date of Birth (DOB)	Enter the Dividend Bank Details or Date of Birth (in dd/mm/yyyy format) as recorded in your demat account or in the company records in order to login.			
	If both the details are not recorded with the Depository or Company, please enter the member ID / folio number in the Dividend Bank details field as mentioned in instruction (3)			

- (vii) After entering these details appropriately, click on "SUBMIT" tab.
- (viii) Members holding shares in physical form will then directly reach the Company selection screen. However, Members holding shares in demat form will now reach 'Password Creation' menu wherein they are required to mandatorily enter their login password in the new password field. Kindly note that this password is to be also used by the demat holders for voting for resolutions of any other company on which they are eligible to vote, provided that company opts for e- Voting through CDSL platform. It is strongly recommended not to share your password with any other person and take utmost care to keep your password confidential.
- (ix) For Members holding shares in physical form, the details can be used only for e-Voting on the resolutions contained in this Notice.
- (x) Click on the EVSN: 220714001 for <G. S. AUTO INTERNATIONAL LIMITED> on which you choose to vote.
- (xi) On the voting page, you will see "RESOLUTION DESCRIPTION" and against the same the option "YES/NO" for voting. Select the option YES or NO as desired. The option YES

- implies that you assent to the Resolution and option NO implies that you dissent to the Resolution.
- (xii) Click on the "RESOLUTIONS FILE LINK" if you wish to view the entire Resolution details.
- (xiii) After selecting the resolution you have decided to vote on, click on "SUBMIT". A confirmation box will be displayed. If you wish to confirm your vote, click on "OK", else to change your vote, click on "CANCEL" and accordingly modify your vote.
- (xiv) Once you "CONFIRM" your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.
- (xv) You can also take a print of the votes cast by clicking on "Click here to print" option on the Voting page.
- (xvi) If a demat account holder has forgotten the login password then Enter the User ID and the image verification code and click on Forgot Password & enter the details as prompted by the system.

## (xvii) Additional Facility for Non-Individual Shareholders and Custodians — for Remote e-Voting only

- Non-Individual shareholders (i.e. other than Individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) and Custodian are required to log on to <a href="https://www.evotingindia.com">www.evotingindia.com</a> and register themselves in the "Corporates" module.
- A scanned copy of the Registration Form bearing the stamp and sign of the entity should be emailed to <a href="mailto:helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com">helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com</a>.
- After receiving the login details a compliance user should be created using the admin login and password. The Compliance User would be able to link the account(s) for which they wish to vote.
- The list of accounts should be mailed to <a href="mailed-to-helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com">helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com</a> and on approval of the accounts they would be able to cast their vote.
- A scanned copy of the Board Resolution and Power of Attorney (POA) which they have issued in favour of the Custodian, if any, should be uploaded in PDF format in the system for the scrutinizer to verify the same.
- Alternatively, Non-Individual shareholders are required to send the relevant Board Resolution/Authority letter etc. together with attested specimen signature of the duly authorized signatory who are authorized to vote, to the Scrutinizer and to the Company at the email address viz; <a href="mailto:info@gsgroupindia.com">info@gsgroupindia.com</a>, if they have voted from individual tab & not uploaded same in the CDSL e-Voting system for the Scrutinizer to verify the same.

# 2. PROCESS FOR THOSE SHAREHOLDERS WHOSE EMAIL ADDRESSES / MOBILE NO. ARE NOT REGISTERED WITH THE COMPANY / DEPOSITORIES:

- a. **For Physical shareholders** please provide necessary details like 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 Aadhaar Card) by email to cs@gsgroupindia.com.
- b. <u>For Demat shareholders</u> please update your email id & mobile no. with your respective Depository Participant (DP).
- c. <u>For Individual Demat shareholders</u> Please update your email id & mobile no. with your respective Depository Participant (DP) which is mandatory while e-Voting & virtual meetings, if any, through Depository.

If you have any queries or issues regarding e-Voting from the CDSL e-Voting System, you may write an email to <a href="mailto:helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com">helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com</a> or contact 1800-225-533.

All grievances connected with the facility for voting by electronic means may be addressed to Mr. Rakesh Dalvi, Manager, (CDSL) Central Depository Services (India) Limited, A Wing, 25th Floor, Marathon Futurex, Mafatlal Mill Compounds, NM Joshi Marg, Lower Parel (East), Mumbai - 400013 or send an email to <a href="mailto:helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com">helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com</a> or call on 1800-225 533.

By Order of the Board of Directors For G S AUTO INTERNATIONAL LIMITED

Place: Ludhiana Sd/-Date: July 14, 2022 (DAKSHI NARANG)

**COMPANY SECRETARY & COMPLIANCE OFFICER** 

M. NO.: A66398

#### **EXPLANATORY STATEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 102 OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013**

### **ITEM No.1**

The Board of Directors of the Company, based on the recommendation of Nomination and Remuneration Committee and pursuant to the provisions of Section 161(1) of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act") read with the Articles of Association of the Company has approved the appointment of CA Kanwalpreet Singh Walia (DIN: 00266474), as an Additional Director under the category of Independent Director for a term of 3 years with effect from May 24, 2022, subject to the approval of the Members of the Company.

In accordance with the provisions of Section 149 read with Schedule IV to the Act, appointment of Independent Directors requires approval of the members of the Company. Further, in terms of Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("SEBI Listing Regulations"), effective 1st January 2022, the listed Companies are required to obtain the approval of the shareholders for appointment of a Director, at the next general meeting or within a time period of three months from the date of appointment, whichever is earlier. Accordingly, the appointment of CA Kanwalpreet Singh Walia shall require the approval of the Members of the Company by 23<sup>rd</sup> August, 2022.

The Company has received from CA Kanwalpreet Singh Walia, consent to act as a Director of the Company along with a declaration to the effect that he is not disqualified from being appointed as a Director in terms of Section 164 of the Act and has not been debarred or disqualified from being appointed or continuing as a Director of the Company by Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("SEBI Listing Regulations"), Ministry of Corporate Affairs or any such other Statutory Authority. The Company has also received declarations from CA Kanwalpreet Singh Walia that he meets the criteria of independence as prescribed under Section 149(6) of the Act, rule 6(3) of Companies (Appointment and Qualification of Directors) Rules, 2014 and SEBI Listing Regulations.

The Company has, in terms of Section 160(1) of the Act received in writing, a notice from a Member proposing the candidature of CA Kanwalpreet Singh Walia for the office of Director of the Company.

CA Kanwalpreet Singh Walia, aged about 67 years is a practicing Chartered Accountant, qualified from the prestigious Institute of Chartered Accountants of India and is the Prop. of M/s Walia & Walia, Practising Chartered Accountants firm. He is having an extensive knowledge, skill set and experience in the fields of Accounting, Taxation and Audit. In the past, he has also served as Director of Director of M/s Punjab Woolcombers Limited, a Listed Company and various other Unlisted Companies including M/s Nahar Fibres Limited (Amalgamated) and M/s Profin Lease and Investments Private Limited among others.

In the opinion of the Board, CA Kanwalpreet Singh Walia fulfills the conditions for appointment as an Independent Director as specified in the Act and the SEBI Listing Regulations. CA Kanwalpreet Singh Walia is a person of integrity and independent of the Management and possesses appropriate skills, experience and knowledge. Considering the extensive knowledge and experience

of CA Kanwalpreet Singh Walia in the field of Finance, Taxation and Audit, appointment of CA Kanwalpreet Singh Walia as an Independent Director is in the interest of the Company.

CA Kanwalpreet Singh Walia is not inter-se related with any other Director or Key Managerial Personnel of the Company. The copy of the draft letter of appointment of as an Independent Director setting out the terms and conditions of appointment shall be available for inspection to the members at the Registered Office of the Company during normal business hours on any working day.

A brief profile of CA Kanwalpreet Singh Walia, in terms of in terms of Regulations 26(4) and Regulation 36(3) of the SEBI Listing Regulations and the Secretarial Standard on General Meetings (SS-2) issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India, has been provided as the Annexure to this Postal Ballot Notice.

The Board of Directors of the Company recommends the passing of the Special Resolution at Item No. 1 of the accompanying Postal Ballot Notice.

## **Memorandum of Interest:**

Except for CA Kanwalpreet Singh Walia, being the appointee, none of the Directors, Key Managerial Personnel of the Company or their respective relatives are in any way concerned or interested, financially or otherwise, in the Special Resolution at Item No. 1.

# Details of the Directors pursuant to Regulations 26(4) and 36(3) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements), Regulations, 2015 and Secretarial Standard-2 on General Meetings issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India, as applicable

CA Kanwalpreet Singh Walia
Independent Director
September 30, 1954/67 years
May 24, 2022
3 (Three)
Chartered Accountant (CA)
Mr. Walia has extensive experience and exposure in handling directorship in various companies of manufacturing category. His key strengths in functional areas include wide exposure in the area such as Finance, Taxation and Audit. He has more than 35 years of experience in the said aforesaid fields.
3 (Three) years
As per Letter of Appointment
200 shares

Company	
Directorship in other	Nil
listed companies as on	
date of this notice	
Chairman/Member of	Nil
Committee(s) of other	
listed companies as on	
date of this notice	
Listed entity from	Nil
which the Director	
resigned in last 3 years	
Disclosure of	CA Kanwalpreet Singh Walia is not related to any Director(s) and Key
relationship	Managerial Personnel of the Company.