## Consolidated Scrutinizer's Report on Remote e-voting and e- voting at the Annual General Meeting

[Pursuant to Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules 2014]

To

The Chairman of 25<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting of Ponni Sugars (Erode) Limited held at 11.00 AM on 20<sup>th</sup> July 2021 thro Video Conference / Other Audio Visual Means

Dear Sir,

- I, A.S.Kalyanaraman, Practicing Chartered Accountant (Membership No.201149) have been appointed by the Board of Directors of Ponni Sugars (Erode) Limited (the company) by a resolution passed at their meeting held on 7<sup>th</sup> May 2021 as a Scrutinizer for the purpose of scrutinizing the remote e-voting & e-voting at the Annual General Meeting in terms of the provisions of Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules 2014 and Regulation 44 of the Listing Regulations, on the resolutions proposed in the Notice for the 25<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the company to be held on 20<sup>th</sup> July 2021 thro Video Conference / Other Audio Visual Means. The deemed venue of the meeting is the Registered Office of the Company viz: No 13 Rajiv Gandhi Salai (OMR), Perungudi, Chennai 600096.
- 2. The management of the company is responsible for compliance with the requirements of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rules relating to e-voting on the resolutions proposed in the Notice for the 25<sup>th</sup> AGM of the company. My responsibility as a Scrutinizer for the e-voting process is restricted to scrutinize the process for remote e-voting and e-voting at the AGM in a fair and transparent manner and make the Scrutinizer's report of the votes cast "in favour" or "against" the resolutions stated above, based on the reports generated from the e-voting system provided by Central Depository Services (India) Ltd (CDSL), the authorized agency to provide e-voting facilities, engaged by the company.
- 3. I have accordingly scrutinized the e-voting process followed by the company and verified the following to my satisfaction:



- i) In compliance to the MCA Circular dt.13<sup>th</sup> January'21 and SEBI Circular dt. 15<sup>th</sup> January'21, the soft copy of the 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Report of the company for financial year 2020-21, containing inter alia the Notice for AGM and the statement describing e-voting process was sent by the company to all its shareholders who have registered their email id's, on 24<sup>th</sup> June 2021.
- ii) The Notice as above was sent to shareholders who were members of the company being entitled to vote on the resolutions.
- iii) As required under the above MCA Circulars, the company published requisite advertisement in Business Standard and Makkal Kural on 19.06.2021 before mailing the annual report and on 26.6.2021 after mailing the annual report of the dispatch of AGM Notice and specifying requisite information in accordance with Rule 20(4)(v) of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014.
- iv) The company has also informed the shareholders through the AGM Notice and published advertisement that in addition to remote e-voting, they will have the alternative option to vote at the AGM venue thro e-voting.
- 4. Further to the above, I submit my report as under:
  - i) The e-voting process, based on checks and verification conducted by me, has been carried out by the company in a fair and transparent manner.
  - ii) Persons who have acquired shares and become members of the company after the dispatch of AGM Notice were duly advised of the process to obtain the login ID and password.
  - iii) The e-voting remained open from Friday, the 16<sup>th</sup> July 2021 (10.00 AM) to Monday, the 19<sup>th</sup> July 2021 (5.00 PM).
  - iv) The members of the company on the "cut off" date ie.13<sup>th</sup> July 2021 were given the facility to electronically vote on the 4 resolutions proposed for the 25<sup>th</sup> AGM.
  - v) The relevant portal for casting votes by the members of the company was blocked by CDSL at the close of voting period, namely, 19<sup>th</sup> July 2021 (5.00 PM).
  - vi) After conclusion of voting at AGM on 20.7.2021, the votes cast at AGM and the the votes cast through remote e-voting were unblocked simultaneously in the presence of two



witnesses, namely Mr G Swaminathan and Mr A Babu. The two witnesses have signed below in confirmation of the votes being unblocked in their presence.

Name: G Swaminathan

Signature:

Name: A Babu

vii) Thereafter, the details containing, inter alia the list of equity shareholders who voted electronically 'for' and 'against' was downloaded from the e-voting website of CDSL, ie. www.evotingindia.co.in

- 5. A list of equity shareholders who voted "FOR", "AGAINST" and those whose votes were declared invalid, if any, for each resolution is enclosed.
- 6. Based on the reports generated by CDSL as above and relied upon by me, I hereby furnish the result of the remote e-voting and e-voting at the AGM in respect of each of the 4 resolutions proposed for the 25<sup>th</sup> AGM of the company in Annx-1 hereto which shall form an integral part of this Report.
- 7. The Register, all other papers and the relevant records pertaining to electronic voting, would remain in my custody until the Chairman considers, approves and signs the minutes of the 25<sup>th</sup> AGM. Thereupon I shall handover same to the Company Secretary for safe keeping.

Thanking you

Yours faithfully

A.S.Kalyanaraman

Practicing Chartered Accountant Membership No.201149

UDIN 21201149AAAAAR9501

Chennai 20<sup>th</sup> July 2021

Countersigned by Managing Director



## **PONNI SUGARS (ERODE) LIMITED**

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Trading Symbol: **PONNIERODE** 

Scrip Code: 532460

Dear Sirs,

Subject:

Disclosure of Voting Results of the 25<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting of Ponni Sugars (Erode) Limited held on 20<sup>TH</sup> July 2021, as per the requirements of Regulation 44 (3) of the Listing Regulations.

The Company offered the following voting facilities for all the Four (4) resolutions proposed in the 25<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting held on 20.07.2021:

- a) Remote e-voting in terms of Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules 2014.
- b) E-Voting at the venue of AGM pursuant to MCA Circulars dt.13.01.2021 and Rule 20 (4) (iii) (B) of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules 2014

The details of the voting results of the 25<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting of the Company held on 20<sup>th</sup> July 2021 are enclosed **(Annex-1)** in the format prescribed under Regulation 44 (3) of the Listing Regulations read with SEBI Circular dt.4<sup>th</sup> November 2015.

Thanking you

Yours truly

N Ramanathan Managing Director

Encl: As above

## Annx-1

## **Details of Voting Results**

Date of AGM:	20.07.2021
Total number of shareholders on Cut-off date (i.e.13 <sup>th</sup> July 2021)	10902
No. of shareholders present in the meeting either in person or through proxy:  Promoter and Promoter Group: Public: Total	Not applicable
No. of shareholders attended the meeting through Video conferencing	
Promoter and Promoter Group:	5
Public:	54
Total	59

The mode of voting for all resolutions was:

- a) Remote E-voting commenced on 16<sup>th</sup> July 2021 (10.00 AM ) and closed on 19<sup>th</sup> July 2021 (5 PM)
- b) E-Voting at the AGM Venue (conducted on 20<sup>th</sup> July 2021 at the Meeting).

Passing of resolutions at the 25<sup>th</sup> AGM held on 20<sup>th</sup> July 2021 is on the basis of combined votes under remote e-voting and e-voting at the AGM Venue. All the Four resolutions were passed with requisite majority. The Agenda-wise voting results is enclosed (Annx-2).

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			utions passed at t					,
Date of the AGM				20.07.2021				
Total no. of shareholde	rs on record date			10902				
No. of shareholders pres	sent in the meeting eitl	ner in person or th	rough proxy					
Promoters and Promoter (	Group:	•		Not applicable				
Public:								
No. of shareholders pre	esent in the meeting t	hrough video conf	erencing					
Promoters and Promoter (	Group:			5				
Public:				54			×	
Agenda-wise disclosure	e (to be disclosed sepa	arately for each a	genda item)					
1. Adoption of Financia	l Statements for FY 20	020 - 21						
Resolution required: (Ordin	ary / Special)	Ordinary						
Whether promoter / promoter group are interested in the agenda / resolution?		No						
Category	Mode of Voting	No. of Shares held	No. of Votes polled	% of Votes polled on outstanding shares	No. of Votes in favour	No. of Votes against	% of Votes in favour on Votes polled	% of Votes agains on Votes polled
		(1)	(2)	(3)=[(2)/(1)]×100	(4)	(5)	(6)=[(4)/(2)]×100	(7)=[(5)/(2)]×100
	Remote E-Voting	3642537	3142071	86.26	3142071	0	100.00	
Promoter and Promoter Group	E-Voting at AGM • Venue	3642537	0	0	0	0		
	Total	3642537	3142071	86.26	3142071	0	100.00	
Public - Institutions	Remote E-Voting	2124319	0	0	0	0		
	E-Voting at AGM Venue	2124319	0	0	0	0		
	Total	2124319	0	0	0	0	0	
Public - Non-Institutions	Remote E-Voting	2831562	30115	1.06	30115	0	100.00	0.0
	E-Voting at AGM Venue	2831562	0		0	0		0.0
	Total	2831562	30115	1.06	30115	0	100.00	0.0
Total		8598418	3172186	36.89	3172186	0	100.00	0.0



2. Dividend declaration	for FY 2020 - 21							
Resolution required: (Ordin	ary / Special)	Ordinary			4			
Whether promoter / promointerested in the agenda / r	ter group are interested	Yes - to th	e extent of sharehold	ling				
Category	Mode of Voting	No. of Shares held	No. of Votes polled	% of Votes polled on outstanding shares	No. of Votes in favour	No. of Votes against	% of Votes in favour on Votes polled	% of Votes against on Votes polled
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Promoter and Promoter Group	E-Voting at AGM Venue	3642537	0	0	0	0	0.000	0
	Total	3642537	3142071	86.26	3142071	0	100.00	0
Public - Institutions	Remote E-Voting	2124319	0	0	0	0	0	0
	E-Voting at AGM Venue	2124319	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	2124319	0	0	0	0	0	0
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	E-Voting at AGM Venue	2831562	0	0.00	. 0	0		0.00
	Total	2831562	30115	1.06	30115	0	100.00	0.00
Total		8598418	3172186	36.89	3172186	0	100.00	0.00

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3.Reappointment of ref	tiring Director - Mr Bir	mal K Poddar						
Resolution required: (Ordin	ary / Special)	Special						
Whether promoter / promo interested in the agenda / r		Yes						
Category	Mode of Voting	No. of Shares held	No. of Votes polled	% of Votes polled on outstanding shares	No. of Votes in favour	No. of Votes against	% of Votes in favour on Votes polled	% of Votes against on Votes polled
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Promoter and Promoter Group	Remote E-Voting	3642537	3142071	86.26	3142071	0	100.00	0
	E-Voting at AGM Venue	3642537	0	0	0	0	0.000	0
	Total	3642537	3142071	86.26	3142071	0	100.00	0
Public - Institutions	Remote E-Voting	2124319	0	0	0	0	0	0
	E-Voting at AGM Venue	2124319	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	2124319	0	0	0	0	0	0
Public - Non-Institutions	Remote E-Voting	2831562	30115	1.06	29336	779	97.41	2.59
	E-Voting at AGM Venue	2831562	0	0.00	. 0	0	0.00	0.00
	Total	2831562	30115	1.06	29336	779	97.41	2.59
Total		8598418	3172186	36.89	3171407	779	99.98	0.02

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4.Remuneration to Cost	Auditor							
Resolution required: (Ordinar	y / Special)	Ordinary						
Whether promoter / promote	er group are interested	No						
interested in the agenda / res	solution							
Category	Mode of Voting	No. of Shares held	No. of Votes polled	% of Votes polled on outstanding shares	No. of Votes in favour	No. of Votes against	% of Votes in favour on Votes polled	% of Votes against on Votes polled
		(1)	(2)	(3)=[(2)/(1)]x100	(4)	(5)	(6)=[(4)/(2)]×100	(7)=[(5)/(2)]x100
	Remote E-Voting	3642537	3142071	86.26	3142071	0	100.00	0
Promoter and Promoter Group	E-Voting at AGM Venue	3642537	0	0	0	0	0.000	0
	Total	3642537	3142071	86.26	3142071	0	100.00	0
	Remote E-Voting	2124319	0		0	0		
Public - Institutions	E-Voting at AGM Venue	2124319		0	0	0	0	-
-	Total	2124319	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Remote E-Voting	2831562	30115	1.06	29679	436	98.55	1.45
Public - Non-Institutions	E-Voting at AGM Venue	2831562	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	
	Total	2831562	30115	1.06	29679	436	98.55	1.45
Total		8598418	3172186	36.89	3171750	436	99.99	
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Place: Chennai				A S Kalyanaraman				
Date: 20.07.2021		Countersigned by M	anaging Director	Practising Chartered Accountant Membership No: 201149				
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