## ESAB/BSE/2023

$5^{\text {th }}$ May 2023
BSE Limited
P J Towers
Dalal Towers,
Mumbai 400023.

## Scrip Code: 500133

## Dear Sir,

## Sub: Results of the Postal Ballot

Further to our letter dated $3^{\text {rd }}$ April 2023, we wish to inform that the Scrutinizer, Mr. V Mahesh, submitted his report to the Chairman, who has authorized the Company Secretary to announce the results for seeking the consent of the members by way of special resolution vide postal ballot by way of $e$ - voting with respect to the following item of business:

## 1. To approve the appointment of Ms. Cauvery Dharmaraj as Independent Director of ESAB India Limited (the "Company")

Pursuant to Regulation 44(3) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, we would like to inform you that the Resolution has been approved by the members of the company with requisite majority. The approval shall be deemed to have been passed on the last date of e-voting i.e., on $3^{\text {rd }}$ May 2023. Please find enclosed the voting results and certified copy of the scrutinizer's report. The same will also be made available on the Company's website at www.esabindia.com.

Kindly bring this to the attention of members and investors.
Thanking you,
Yours truly,
For ESAB India Limited

G. Balaji

Company Secretary
Encl: As above
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ESAB INDIA LIMITED - Postal Ballot MAY 2023
CUT-OFF DATE : 29.03.2023

| RESOLUTION | CATEGORY | NO.OF SHARE HELD | NO.OF VOTES POLLED | \%OF VOTES POLLED | NO.OF VOTES IN FAVOUR | NO.OF VOTES AGAINST | \%OF VOTES IN <br> FAVOUR ON <br> VOTES POLLED | \%OF VOTES AGAINST ON VOTES POLLED |
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|  |  | [1] | [2] | [3]=[(2)/(1)]100 | [4] | [5] | [6]=[(4)/(2)]*100 | [7]=[(5)/(2)]*100 |
| 1 | PROMOTER \& PROMOTER GROUP | 11347960 | 11347960 | 87.381 | 11347960 | 0 | 100.000 | 0.000 |
| 1 | INSTITUTION | 2162344 | 2119387 | 76.376 | 2119387 | 0 | 100.000 | 0.000 |
| 1 | PUBLIC | 1882716 | 7899 | 10.708 | 7736 | 163 | 97.936 | 2.064 |
| - | **TOTAL** | 15393020 | 13475246 |  | 13475083 | 163 |  |  |

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## REPORT OF SCRUTINIZER (E-VOTING)

[Pursuant to the provisions of Section 110 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with rule 20 \& 22 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 \& Regulation 44 of SEBI (Listing Obligations \& Disclosures Requirement) Regulations, 2015]

To,
The Chairman
ESAB India Limited,
CIN: L29299TN1987PLC058738
Plot No.13, 3rd Main Road,
Industrial Estate, Ambattur
Chennai - 600058

Dear Sir,

Sub: Report of Scrutinizer on Postal Ballot (e-voting) Results

I, V. Mahesh, Practicing Company Secretary of V. Mahesh \& Associates, have been appointed by the Board of Directors of ESAB India Limited as a Scrutinizer for the purpose of scrutinizing the e-voting process and ascertaining the requisite majority on e-voting carried out as per the provisions of Section 110 of the Companies Act, 2013 read along with rule $20 \& 22$ of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 along with relevant Circulars issued by Ministry of Corporate Affairs and pursuant to Regulation 44 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulation,2015 in respect of special resolution as set out in the postal ballot notice along with Explanatory Statement thereto dated $23^{\text {rd }}$ March, 2023 ("Postal Ballot Notice").

The management of the Company is responsible to ensure Compliance with the requirements of the Companies Act, 2013, Rules and Circulars issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs and Securities and Exchange Board of India relating to voting through electronic means on the resolution contained in the postal ballot notice. My responsibility as a Scrutinizer for the evoting process is restricted to providing the Scrutinizer's report pertaining to the votes casted "in favour" or "against" the resolution stated in the postal ballot notice, based on the reports generated from the e-voting system provided by National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL), the Authorized Agency to provide e-voting facilities, engaged by the Company.


Further to the above, I submit my report as under:

1. The dispatch of the Postal Ballot Notice dated $23^{\text {rd }}$ March, 2023 was completed on $03^{\text {rd }}$ April, 2023.
2. The e-voting period commenced on Tuesday, $04^{\text {th }}$ day of April, 2023 at 09.00 Hrs (IST) and ended on Wednesday, $03^{\text {rd }}$ May, 2023 at 17.00 Hrs (IST).
3. The members holding shares as on the "cut-off date" of Wednesday, $29^{\text {th }}$ March, 2023 were entitled to cast their vote through e-voting.
4. The Company has engaged the services of National Securities Depository Limited ("NSDL") for the purpose of providing the e-voting facility to all the members.
5. E-voting was unblocked after completion of voting process i.e. on Thursday, $04^{\text {th }}$ May, 2023 in the presence of 2 witnesses, who are not in employment of the Company and who have appended their signature as witnesses thereto hereunder.

6. The details containing the list of equity shareholders, who voted "for" and "against" on the resolution put to vote, were generated from the e-voting website of NSDL.

The details of Postal Ballot result placed for consideration and approval of Members is given below:

## SPECIAL RESOLUTION: APPOINTMENT OF MS.CAUVERY DHARMARAJ (DIN 02917088) AS INDEPENDENT DIRECTOR OF THE COMPANY

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Sections 149, 150, 152, 161, Schedule IV and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 ("Act") read with rules made thereunder (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof for the time being in force) and Regulation 16 (1) (b) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations 2015 ("LODR Regulations") and any amendments thereto and subject to the Articles of Association of the Company and as recommended by the Nomination and Remuneration Committee, Ms. Cauvery Dharmaraj (DIN 02917088), who was appointed as an Additional Director by the Board of Directors of the Company at their meeting held on 23rd March 2023, who meets the criteria of independence as per Section 149(6) of the Act and in respect of whom the Company has received a notice in writing from a member under Section 160(1) of the Act, be and is hereby appointed as an Independent Director of the Company for a period of five consecutive years commencing from 23 rd March 2023 till 22nd March 2028, not liable
to retire by rotation and to receive remuneration by way of fees, reimbursement of expenses for participation in the meetings of the board and / or committees and profit related commission in terms of applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 as determined by the Board from time to time. "
"RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors or the Company Secretary of the
Company be and are hereby severally authorised to do and perform all such acts, deeds, matters and things as may be deemed necessary, appropriate, expedient or desirable to give effect to the above resolution."

## VOTED IN FAVOR OF THE RESOLUTION:

| Number of Members <br> voted | Number of Votes cast by them | \% of total number of <br> valid votes cast |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 181 | 13475083 | 99.99 |

## VOTED AGAINST THE RESOLUTION:

| Number of Members <br> voted | Number of Votes cast by them | \% of total number of <br> valid votes cast |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 9 | 163 | 0.01 |

## INVALID VOTES: NIL

The reports/records relating to voting by electronic means, shall be under my safe custody till the Chairman considers, approves and signs the Minutes and thereafter, the same will be handed over to the Company Secretary or any other person authorised by the Chairman of the Company.

For V. Mahesh \& Associates
V. Mahesh

Practicing Company Secretary
M.No:F4162; CP No: 2473

UDIN:F004162E000253950
PR Cert. No: 2107/2022
Date: 04/05/2023
Place: Chennai

Countersigned by For ESAB India Limited

G.Balaji

Company Secretary

