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Scrip Code - 523395

December 15, 2023

The Secretary National Stock Exchange of India Limited Exchange Plaza, Bandra – Kurla Complex Bandra (E), Mumbai – 400 051

Scrip Code - 3MINDIA

Dear Sirs,

Sub: Intimation under Regulation 30 of the SEBI (LODR) Regulations. 2015 - Postal Ballot Notice.

Ref: Postal Ballot process for - Re-appointment of Mr. Ramesh Ramadurai (DIN: 07109252) as a

Managing Director of the Company for a period from February 13, 2024 to February 12, 2027.

In continuation of our letter dated December 11, 2023, this is to inform you that the Postal Ballot Notice is being sent to all the Members of the Company whose names appear in the Register of Members/list of Beneficial Owners as on Monday, December 11, 2023, being the cut-off date for sending Postal Ballot Notice to the Members who are entitled for e-voting. Enclosed herewith is the copy of the Postal Ballot Notice for your information and records.

Kindly note the calendar of main events for the Postal Ballot as under:

- 1. Cutoff date/Benpos date for sending Notice to Members: December 11, 2023 (Monday).
- 2. E-voting period starts on: December 18, 2023 (Monday).
- 3. E-voting period ends on: January 16, 2024 (Tuesday).
- Scrutinizer's Report and date of declaration of results of the Postal Ballot: on or before January 18, 2024 (Thursday).

Kindly bring this to the notice of the members of the Exchange.

Thanking you

Yours faithfully

For 3M India Limited

Pratap Rudra Bhuvanagiri
Company Secretary & Compliance Officer

Encl: as above

Regd Office: Plot No 48-51 Electronics City, Bangalore 560100 CIN No: L31300KA1987PLC013543



# **3M INDIA LIMITED**

CIN: L31300KA1987PLC013543

Registered Office: Plot Nos. 48-51, Electronic City, Hosur Road, Bengaluru – 560100 Phone: 080-22231414, Email id: investorhelpdesk.in@mmm.com, Website: www.3mindia.in

#### **POSTAL BALLOT NOTICE**

### Dear Member(s),

Notice is hereby given that the resolution set out below is proposed to be passed by the Members of 3M India Limited ("the Company") by means of Postal Ballot, only by way of remote e-voting process ("e-voting"), pursuant to Section 110 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act"), Rule 20 and 22 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 ("the Rules") and other applicable provisions of the Act and the Rules, General Circular Nos. 14/2020 dated April 8, 2020, 17/2020 dated April 13, 2020, 20/2020 dated May 5, 2020, 22/2020 dated June 15, 2020, 33/2020 dated September 28, 2020, 39/2020 dated December 31, 2020, 10/2021 dated June 23, 2021, 20/2021 dated December 8, 2021 and 3/2022 dated May 5, 2022 read with other relevant circulars including General Circular No. 09/2023 dated September 25, 2023 issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs ("MCA Circulars"), Regulation 44 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("Listing Regulations"), Secretarial Standard on General Meetings ("\$\$-2") issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India and other applicable laws, rules and regulations (including any statutory modification or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force and as amended from time to time). This Notice is accordingly being issued in compliance with the said MCA Circulars and is being sent through email to all the Members who have registered their email addresses with the Company or with depository / depository participants and the physical Notice (along with postal ballot forms) and pre-paid business envelope through post will not be sent to the Members for this Postal Ballot. The communication of assent / dissent of the Members will take place only through the remote e-voting system.

The proposed resolution and explanatory statement pertaining to the said resolution setting out all material facts concerning thereto as required in terms of Section 102 of the Act read with the Rules and the MCA Circulars are appended below seeking consent of the Members of the Company through Postal Ballot/ e-voting.

The Company has engaged the services of KFin Technologies Limited ("KFin") for facilitating e-voting in order to enable the Members to cast their votes electronically. You are requested to carefully read the instructions in this Postal Ballot Notice and record your assent (FOR) or dissent (AGAINST) through the remote e-voting process not later than 5:00 P.M. IST on Tuesday, January 16, 2024, failing which it will be strictly considered that no reply has been received from the Member.

The Company has, in compliance with Rule 22(5) of the Rules, appointed Mr. Vijayakrishna K. T, Company Secretary in practice (C.P. No. 980, Membership No. FCS 1788) as 'Scrutinizer' to scrutinize the Postal Ballot process in a fair and transparent manner. Mr. Vijayakrishna K. T has consented to act as the Scrutinizer for this Postal Ballot Process. After completion of scrutiny of the votes, the Scrutinizer will submit his report to the Chairman of the Company, or a person authorized by the Chairman. The result of the Postal Ballot will be announced within 2 (two) working days. The result of the Postal Ballot will be announced on or before Thursday, January 18, 2024 and will be displayed at the Company's website https://www.3mindia.in/3M/en\_IN/company-in/about-3m/financial-facts-local/, besides communicating to the stock exchanges and depositories. The Company will also display the results of the Postal Ballot at its Registered Office. The last date for receipt of votes vide e-voting i.e., Tuesday, January 16, 2024 shall be deemed to be the date of passing of the resolution, if passed by requisite majority in accordance with SS-2 on General Meetings.

The Resolution proposed to be passed through Postal Ballot through e-voting together with the Explanatory Statement setting out the material facts are as follows:

## **SPECIAL BUSINESS:**

ITEM NO. 1: RE-APPOINTMENT OF MR. RAMESH RAMADURAI (DIN: 07109252) AS A MANAGING DIRECTOR OF THE COMPANY FOR A PERIOD FROM FEBRUARY 13, 2024 TO FEBRUARY 12, 2027.

To consider and if thought fit, to pass, the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Sections 196, 197, 198 and 203 read with Schedule V and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act"), the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force), applicable provisions of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and such other approvals, permissions and sanctions, as may be required or imposed by any of the authorities while granting such approvals, permissions and sanctions and pursuant to the provisions of the Articles of Association of the Company, based on the recommendation



of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee and approval of the Board of Directors at their Meeting held on December 11, 2023, consent of the Members be and is hereby accorded for the re-appointment of Mr. Ramesh Ramadurai (DIN: 07109252) as the Managing Director of the Company for a period from February 13, 2024 to February 12, 2027 on the terms and conditions of appointment and remuneration as contained in the agreement and the Board of Directors is hereby authorized to alter and vary such terms of appointment and remuneration so as to not exceed the limits specified in Schedule V to the Companies Act, 2013 as may be agreed to, by the Board of Directors and Mr. Ramesh Ramadurai, and further that he shall continue to be a Key Managerial Personal pursuant to Section 203 of the Act and whose office shall not be liable to retire by rotation.

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Board be and is hereby authorized to do all such acts, deeds and things and execute all such documents, instruments and writings as may be required and to delegate all or any of its powers herein conferred to any Director(s) to give effect to the aforesaid resolution."

**Registered Office:** 

Plot Nos. 48-51, Electronic City, Hosur Road, Bengaluru – 560100 By order of the Board For 3M India Limited

Pratap Rudra Bhuvanagiri
Company Secretary
A22297

Place: Bengaluru

Date: December 11, 2023



### **EXPLANATORY STATEMENT**

(Pursuant to Sections 102(1) and 110 of the Companies Act, 2013 and SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 as Amended)

## The following Explanatory Statement is furnished in respect of Special Business of the Postal Ballot Notice:

#### Item No.1:

Mr. Ramesh Ramadurai (DIN: 07109252) was appointed as Managing Director of the Company for a period from June 1, 2019 to February 12, 2022, as per resolution passed by Members at the Thirty Second (32<sup>nd</sup>) Annual General Meeting of the Company held on August 14, 2019. He was reappointed for a further period of two (2) years from February 13, 2022 to February 12, 2024, as per resolution passed by Members through Postal Ballot on March 24, 2022. His current term of appointment as the Managing Director of the Company will expire on February 12, 2024.

Based on the recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee, the Board at its Meeting held on December 11, 2023 has approved the re-appointment of Mr. Ramesh Ramadurai as the Managing Director of the Company for a further period from February 13, 2024 to February 12, 2027 (categorized as Executive and Non-Independent Director) subject to the approval of the Members of the Company.

Considering his knowledge of various aspects relating to the Company's affairs and long business experience, the Board of Directors is of the opinion that for smooth and efficient running of the business, the services of Mr. Ramesh Ramadurai should be available to the Company for a further term. The re-appointment was made pursuant to the nomination from 3M Company, USA. The re-appointment of Mr. Ramesh Ramadurai is appropriate and in the best interests of the Company.

The approval of the Members is being sought for the re-appointment and for the terms, conditions and stipulations for the re-appointment of Mr. Ramesh Ramadurai as the Managing Director and the remuneration payable to him. The terms and conditions fixed by the Board of Directors at its Meeting held on December 11, 2023 are keeping in line with the remuneration package that is necessary to encourage good professional managers with a sound career record to important positions as that of the Managing Director.

A copy of the letter of appointment as Managing Director setting out the terms and conditions of him appointment is available for inspection by the Members at the Registered Office/Corporate Office of the Company during the office hours on all working days other than on Saturdays and Sundays till last date for voting.

The main terms of appointment and remuneration as contained in the agreement are given below:

Period of Appointment: February 13, 2024 to February 12, 2027.

Salary including allowances and Incentives (excluding Perquisites): Not exceeding ₹ 39 Lakhs per month (Upper limit for his entire tenure).

Perquisites: He will be entitled to all the perquisites listed herein below in addition to the Salary including allowances and incentives mentioned above.

Personal Accident Insurance: In accordance with the rules of the Company as applicable to the senior managers.

Club Fees: In accordance with the rules of the Company as applicable to the senior managers.

**Provident Fund:** Contribution to Provident Fund in accordance with the rules of the Company as applicable to the senior managers, to the extent such contributions, either singly or put together are not taxable under the Income Tax Act, 1961.

Gratuity: In accordance with the rules of the Company as applicable to the senior managers.

Other perquisites: He will be entitled to all other perquisites in accordance with the rules of the Company as applicable to the senior managers. The perquisites stated shall be valued as per Income Tax Act, 1961, wherever applicable and in the absence of any provisions in the said Act, the perquisites shall be valued at actuals.

Minimum Remuneration: Notwithstanding anything herein above stated, where in any financial year during the currency of the tenure of Mr. Ramesh Ramadurai, the Company incurs a loss or its profits are inadequate, the Company subject to the approval of Central Government, if any, shall pay the same remuneration as stated above but subject to being within the overall limits on managerial remuneration as provided under Section 197 of the Companies Act, 2013 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 including any statutory modification or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force and the rules framed there under read with Schedule V to the said Act.

The Contract of service of Mr. Ramesh Ramadurai is terminable with a notice period of 90 days on either side.

No sitting fees shall be paid for attending the meetings of the Board of Directors or Committees thereof.

He is not liable to retire by rotation.

Accordingly, an Ordinary Resolution seeking re-appointment of Mr. Ramesh Ramadurai as Managing Director of the Company is included to be passed by the Members through Postal Ballot.



#### A brief profile of Mr. Ramesh Ramadurai is given below:

Mr. Ramesh Ramadurai was initially appointed as a Non-Executive Non-Independent Director of the Company with effect from March 27, 2015. He was appointed as the Managing Director of the Company from June 1, 2019 to February 12, 2022 and he was re-appointed by Members as Managing Director of the Company for a further period of Two (2) years from February 13, 2022 to February 12, 2024. Previously, Mr. Ramesh Ramadurai served as Business Director for 3M Industrial Business from July 2014 to May 2019. During this period, he was based in Shanghai, China and was responsible for the entire Asia Pacific Area. Prior to this role, Mr. Ramesh Ramadurai served as Managing Director of 3M Philippines from August 2011 until June 2014, based in Manila, Philippines. He Joined 3M India in 1989 as a sales engineer and held positions as the Country Business Leader for the Industrial and Electro & Telecommunications businesses. He was seconded to Global Headquarters in St Paul, USA, from November 2003 to December 2008, where he worked as Market Segment Manager, Global Product Manager and International Business Manager in 3M's Industrial Business. Prior to 3M, Mr. Ramesh Ramadurai worked for a year as a Production Engineer at an Offshore Oil Production facility in India and for about 3 years in a business planning role at an automotive parts and motorcycle manufacturer in India. Mr. Ramesh Ramadurai served as the Chairman of Confederation Indian Industry (CII), Karnataka State Council, for FY 21-22. Mr. Ramesh Ramadurai is also a member of Confederation of Indian Industry (CII), Southern Region and a member of the India Advisory Committee of the US India Business Council (2022-24).

Mr. Ramesh Ramadurai holds Post Graduate Diploma in Management with specialization in Marketing from the Indian Institute of Management, Calcutta and a Bachelor of Technology in Chemical Engineering from the Indian Institute of Technology, Kanpur.

Considering his background, experience and contributions to the Company, the Board of Directors recommends the Ordinary Resolution as set out at item no.1 of this Postal Ballot Notice for approval by the Members of the Company.

None of the Directors/Key Managerial Personnel or their relatives except Mr. Ramesh Ramadurai is concerned or interested financially or otherwise in the resolution set forth in item no.1.

Information Pertaining to Directors seeking re-appointment as mentioned under Regulation 36(3) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and applicable Secretarial Standards:

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Name of the Director	Mr. Ramesh Ramadurai
Director Identification Number	07109252
Date of Birth and Age	February 13, 1962 (61 years)
Date of First Appointment on the Board of the Company	March 27, 2015
Qualifications	B.Tech in Chemical Engineering -IIT, Kanpur and Post Graduate Diploma in Management with specialization in Marketing - IIM, Calcutta.
Expertise in Specific functional Area	General Management of Business and Marketing.
No. of Board Meetings attended	Attended all 11 board meetings held during the current term.
Terms and conditions of appointment/ re-appointment and proposed remuneration	As set out in the explanatory notes
Number of Shares held in the Equity Capital of the Company	Nil
Shareholding in the Company as a beneficial owner	Nil
Directorships held in other Public Limited Companies	Nil
Resignation from the directorship of the listed companies in the past three years	Nil
Memberships / Chairmanships of Committees of Boards in Companies (Including 3M India Limited)	Member of following Committees at 3M India Limited:  Stakeholders' Relationship Committee  Corporate Social Responsibility Committee  Risk Management Committee
Remuneration last drawn (Paid for the Financial Year 2022-2023)	₹ 3,60,64,524/-



Remuneration sought to be paid	Not exceeding ₹ 39 Lakhs per month (upper limit for his entire tenure).  The remuneration as approved by the Board is within the limits prescribed by the Companies Act, 2013.
Disclosure of relationships between Directors/KMP inter-se	Mr. Ramesh Ramadurai is not related to any of the Directors/KMP of the Company.

# **Registered Office:**

Plot Nos. 48-51, Electronic City, Hosur Road, Bengaluru – 560100 By order of the Board For 3M India Limited

Pratap Rudra Bhuvanagiri Company Secretary

A22297

Place: Bengaluru

Date: December 11, 2023



### **Notes:**

- A Statement pursuant to Section 102(1) of the Act read with the Rules, setting out all material facts relating to the resolution mentioned in this Postal Ballot Notice is attached.
- 2. In accordance with the MCA Circulars, this Postal Ballot Notice is being sent only by electronic mode to those Members whose names appear on the Register of Members / List of Beneficial Owners as on Monday, December 11, 2023, ("Cut-Off Date") received from the Depositories and whose e-mail address is registered with the Company / Depositories. Physical copies of the Postal Ballot Notice along with postal ballot forms and pre-paid business reply envelopes are not being sent to Members for this Postal Ballot.
- 3. This Postal Ballot Notice will also be available on the Company's website at https://www.3mindia.in/3M/en\_IN/company-in/about-3m/financial-facts-local/, websites of the Stock Exchanges, that is, BSE Limited and National Stock Exchange of India Limited at www.bseindia.com and www.nseindia.com respectively, and on the website of KFin Technologies Limited ("KFin") at https://evoting.kfintech.com.
- 4. Members would be able to cast their votes and convey their assent or dissent to the proposed resolution only through the remote e-voting process. Members whose names appear on the Register of Members / List of Beneficial Owners as on the Cut-Off Date will only be considered eligible for the purpose of e-voting. A person who becomes a Member after the Cut-Off Date should treat this notice for information purpose only. Once the vote on the resolutions is casted by a Member, the Member shall not be allowed to change it subsequently or cast the vote again.
- 5. Voting rights of a Member / Beneficial Owner (in case of electronic shareholding) shall be in proportion to his/her/its shareholding in the paid-up equity share capital of the Company as on the Cut-Off Date.
- 6. Pursuant to Sections 108, 110 and other applicable provisions of the Act and the Rules made thereunder, the MCA Circulars and Regulation 44 of the Listing Regulations read with circular of SEBI on e-voting facility provided by Listed Entities, dated December 9, 2020, SS-2, and any amendments thereto, the Company is providing the facility to the members to exercise their right to vote on the proposed resolutions electronically. The Company has engaged the services of KFin as the agency to provide e-voting facility. The instructions for e-voting are provided as part of this Postal Ballot Notice which the members are requested to read carefully before casting their vote.
- 7. The e-voting period commences at 9:00 a.m. (IST) on Monday, December 18, 2023 and ends at 5:00 p.m. (IST) on Tuesday, January 16, 2024. Members desiring to exercise their vote should cast their vote during this period, to be eligible for being considered.
- 8. The resolution, if approved, shall be deemed to have been passed on the last date of e-voting i.e., Tuesday, January 16, 2024.
- 9. Relevant documents referred to in this Postal Ballot Notice will be available for inspection electronically until the last date of voting. Members seeking to inspect such documents can send an email to investorhelpdesk.in@mmm.com.

#### General information and instructions relating to e-voting.

- i. In compliance with the provisions of Section 108 of the Act, read with Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014, as amended from time to time, the Members are provided with the facility to cast their vote electronically, through the e-Voting services provided by KFin, on all the resolutions set forth in this Notice. The instructions for e-Voting are given herein below.
- ii. E-voting process has been enabled to all the individual demat account holders, by way of single login credential, through their demat accounts / websites of Depositories / DPs in order to increase the efficiency of the voting process.
- iii. Individual demat account holders would be able to cast their vote without having to register again with the e-Voting service provider (ESP) thereby not only facilitating seamless authentication but also ease and convenience of participating in e-Voting process. Shareholders are advised to update their mobile number and e-mail ID with their DPs to access e-Voting facility.
- iv. The remote e-Voting facility will be available during the following period:

Commencement of e-voting	End of e-voting
Monday, December 18, 2023	Tuesday, January 16, 2024
(9:00 a.m. IST)	(5:00 p.m. IST)

- v. The voting rights of Members shall be in proportion to their shares in the paid-up equity share capital of the Company as on the cut-off date.
- vi. Any person holding shares in physical form as of the cut-off date, may obtain the login ID and password by sending a request at evoting@Kfintech.com. However, if he / she is already registered with KFin for remote e-Voting then he / she can use his / her existing User ID and password for casting the vote.



- vii. The details of the process and manner for remote e-Voting are explained herein below:
  - Step 1: Access to Depositories e-Voting system in case of individual shareholders holding shares in demat mode.
  - Step 2: Access to KFin e-Voting system in case of shareholders holding shares in physical and non-individual shareholders in demat mode.

#### Details on Step 1 are mentioned below:

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

# Type of Member

## **Login Method**

Individual Members holding securities in demat mode with NSDL

# Existing Internet-based Demat Account Statement ('IDeAS') facility Users:

- i. Visit the e-services of NSD https://eservices.nsdl.com either on a personal computer website or on a mobile.
- ii. On the e-services home page click on the 'Beneficial Owner' icon under 'Login' which is available under 'IDeAS' section. Thereafter enter the existing user ID and password.
- iii. After successful authentication, Members will be able to see e-voting services under 'Value Added Services'. Please click on 'Access to e-voting' under e-voting services, after which the e-voting page will be displayed.
- iv. Click on company name i.e. '3M India Limited' or ESP i.e. KFin
- v. Members will be re-directed to KFin's website for casting their vote during the remote e-voting period.

#### 2. Those not registered under IDeAS:

- i. Visit https://eservices.nsdl.com for registering.
- ii. Select 'Register Online Ideas for IDeAS Portal' or click at https://eservices.nsdl.com/SecureWeb/IdeasDirectReg.jsp
- iii. Visit the e-voting website of NSDL https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/.
- iv. Once the home page of e-voting system is launched, click on the icon 'Login' which is available under 'Shareholder / Member' section. A new screen will open.
- Members will have to enter their User ID (i.e. the sixteen digit demat account number held with NSDL), password / OTP and a verification code as shown on the screen.
- vi. After successful authentication, Members will be redirected to NSDL Depository site wherein they can see e-voting page.
- vii. Click on Company name i.e '3M India Limited' or i.e KFin after which the Member will be redirected to ESP website for casting their vote during the remote e-voting period
- viii. Members can also download the NSDL Mobile App 'NSDL Speede' facility by scanning the QR code mentioned below for seamless voting experience.

**NSDL** Mobile App is available on











Type of Member	Log	in Method	
Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with CDSL	1.	<del></del>	
		<ul> <li>Visit URL: https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasi/home/login or URL: www.cdslindia.com</li> </ul>	
		ii. Click on New System Myeasi	
		iii. Login with your registered user id and password.	
		iv. The user will see the e-Voting Menu. The Menu will have links of ESP i.e. KFin e-Voting portal.	
		v. Click on e-Voting service provider name to cast your vote.	
	2.	User not registered for Easi/Easiest	
		<ul> <li>Option to register is available at https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasi/ Registration/EasiRegistration</li> </ul>	
		ii. Proceed with completing the required fields.	
		iii. Follow the steps given in point 1.	
	3.	Alternatively, by directly accessing the e-Voting website of CDSL  i. Visit URL: www.cdslindia.com	
		ii. Provide your demat Account Number and PAN No.	
		iii. System will authenticate user by sending OTP on registered Mobile & Email as recorded in the demat Account.	
		iv. After successful authentication, user will be provided links for the respective ESP, i.e KFin Technologies where the e- Voting is in progress.	
through their demat accounts / Website of Depository Participant	i.	You can also login using the login credentials of your demat account through your DP registered with NSDL /CDSL for e-Voting facility.	
	ii.	Once logged-in, you will be able to see e-Voting option. Once you click on e-Voting option, you will be redirected to NSDL / CDSL Depository site after successful authentication, wherein you can see e-Voting feature.	
	iii.	Click on options available against company name or e-Voting service provider – KFin and you will be redirected to e-Voting website of KFin for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period without any further authentication.	

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

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

Login type	Helpdesk details
Securities held with NSDL	Please contact NSDL helpdesk by sending a request at evoting@nsdl.co.in or call at toll free no.: 1800 1020 990 or 1800 22 44 30 or 020 48867001 or 022 24997000
Securities held with CDSL	Please contact CDSL helpdesk by sending a request at helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com or contact at 022- 23058738 or 022-23058542-43



### Details on Step 2 are mentioned below:

- Login method for e-Voting for shareholders other than Individual's shareholders holding securities in demat mode and shareholders holding securities in physical mode.
  - (A) Members whose email IDs are registered with the Company/ Depository Participants (s), will receive an email from KFin which will include details of E-Voting Event Number (EVEN), USER ID and password. They will have to follow the following process:
  - i. Launch internet browser by typing the URL: https://evoting.kfintech.com/
  - ii. Enter the login credentials (i.e. User ID and password). In case of physical folio, User ID will be EVEN (E-Voting Event Number) "7797", followed by folio number. In case of Demat account, User ID will be your DP ID and Client ID. However, if you are already registered with KFin for e-voting, you can use your existing User ID and password for casting the vote.
  - iii. After entering these details appropriately, click on "LOGIN".
  - iv. You will now reach password change Menu wherein you are required to mandatorily change your password. The new password shall comprise of minimum 8 characters with at least one upper case (A- Z), one lower case (a-z), one numeric value (0-9) and a special character (@,#,\$, etc.,). The system will prompt you to change your password and update your contact details like mobile number, email ID etc. on first login. You may also enter a secret question and answer of your choice to retrieve your password in case you forget it. It is strongly recommended that you do not share your password with any other person and that you take utmost care to keep your password confidential.
  - v. You need to login again with the new credentials.
  - vi. On successful login, the system will prompt you to select the "EVEN" i.e., "7797" "Postal Ballot" and click on "Submit"
  - vii. On the voting page, enter the number of shares (which represents the number of votes) as on the Cut-off Date under "FOR/AGAINST" or alternatively, you may partially enter any number in "FOR" and partially "AGAINST" but the total number in "FOR/AGAINST" taken together shall not exceed your total shareholding as mentioned herein above. You may also choose the option ABSTAIN. If the Member does not indicate either "FOR" or "AGAINST" it will be treated as "ABSTAIN" and the shares held will not be counted under either head.
  - viii. Members holding multiple folios/demat accounts shall choose the voting process separately for each folio/ demat accounts.
  - ix. Voting has to be done for each item of the notice separately. In case you do not desire to cast your vote on any specific item, it will be treated as abstained.
  - x. You may then cast your vote by selecting an appropriate option and click on "Submit".
  - xi. A confirmation box will be displayed. Click "OK" to confirm else "CANCEL" to modify. Once you have voted on the resolution (s), you will not be allowed to modify your vote. During the voting period, Members can login any number of times till they have voted on the Resolution(s). Corporate/Institutional Members (i.e. other than Individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) are also required to send scanned certified true copy (PDF Format) of the Board Resolution/Authority Letter etc., authorizing its representative to cast its vote through remote e-voting, together with attested specimen signature(s) of the duly authorised representative(s), to the Scrutinizer at email ID vijaykt@vjkt.in with a copy marked to evoting@kfintech.com. The scanned image of the above-mentioned documents should be in the naming format "Corporate Name Even No."
- (B) Members whose email IDs are not registered with the Company/Registrar and Transfer Agent of the Company/ Depository Participants(s), and consequently the Postal Ballot Notice and e-voting instructions cannot be serviced, will have to follow the following process:
  - i. Members holding shares in physical mode and who have not registered / updated their email address / KYCs with the Company are requested to register / update the same by writing to the Registrar & Share Transfer Agent (RTA), Kfin Technologies Limited at einward.ris@kfintech.com. Members holding shares in dematerialized mode are requested to register / update email addresses with their respective Depository Participant.

After successful registration of the e-mail address / KYC, a copy of this Notice along with the e-voting user ID and password will be sent to the registered e-mail address, upon request received from the Member. In case of any queries, Members may write to einward.ris@kfintech.com.



- ii. Alternatively, member may send an e-mail request at the email id einward.ris@kfintech.com along with scanned copy of the signed copy of the request letter providing the email address, mobile number, self-attested PAN copy and Client Master copy in case of electronic folio and copy of share certificate in case of physical folio for sending the, Postal Ballot Notice and the e-voting instructions.
- iii. After receiving the e-voting instructions, please follow all steps above to cast your vote by electronic means.

**Registered Office:** 

Plot Nos. 48-51, Electronic City, Hosur Road, Bengaluru – 560100

Place: Bengaluru

Date: December 11, 2023

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Pratap Rudra Bhuvanagiri Company Secretary A22297