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National Stock Exchange of India Ltd., Exchange Plaza, 5th Floor, Plot No.C/1, G Block, Bandra-Kurla Complex, Bandra (E), Mumbai – 400 051. SCRIP CODE: SOUTHBANK	BSE Ltd. Department of Corporate Services (Listing), First Floor, New Trading Wing, Rotunda Building, P J Towers, Dalal Street, Fort, Mumbai – 400 001. SCRIP CODE: 532218
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Dear Sir/Madam(s),

Subject: Intimation as per Regulation 84 of Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements), Regulations, 2018 (“SEBI ICDR Regulations”) and other applicable provisions of SEBI (ICDR) Regulations, 2018 and SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015 – Issue of advertisement in newspapers in respect of certain matters relating to rights issue of equity shares of The South Indian Bank Limited (the “Bank”) (“Rights Issue”)

This is to inform you that, we have completed the dispatch of the abridged letter of offer and the application form for the Rights Issue on March 01, 2024 as stipulated under sub-regulation (1) of Regulation 84 of ICDR Regulations. In relation to the Rights Issue and further to our letters dated December 27, 2023 and February 21, 2024, we enclose copies of the advertisement issued by the Bank and published today, i.e. March 02, 2024, in respect of matters specified under sub-regulation (1) of Regulation 84 of SEBI ICDR Regulations, such as inter alia completion of dispatch of the abridged letter of offer and the application form for the Rights Issue in all editions of (i) Business Standard (English national daily newspaper with wide circulation), (ii) Business Standard (Hindi national daily newspaper) and Thrissur edition of Deepika (Malayalam daily newspaper with wide circulation, Malayalam being the regional language of Thrissur, where our Registered Office is situated).

The aforesaid information is also being hosted on the website of the Bank www.southindianbank.com

This is for dissemination on your website.

We request you to take the aforesaid on record.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

(JIMMY MATHEW)
COMPANY SECRETARY

This is only an advertisement for information purposes only and it is not for publication, distribution or release directly or indirectly outside India. This is not an announcement for an offer document. All capitalized terms used and not defined herein shall have the meaning assigned to them in the letter of offer dated February 21, 2024 (the "Letter of Offer" or "LOF") filed with the BSE Limited ("BSE") and the National Stock Exchange of India Limited ("NSE"), and together with BSE, "Stock Exchanges") and the Securities and Exchange Board of India ("SEBI").



Please scan this QR code to view the Letter of Offer



The South Indian Bank Limited

Our Bank was incorporated at Thrissur as "The South Indian Bank Limited" on January 25, 1929 under the Indian Companies Act, 1913. For details of changes in registered office of our Bank, see "General Information" on page 43 of the LOF.
Registered and Corporate Office: SIB House, Mission Quarters, T.B. Road, Thrissur - 680 001, Kerala, India; **Tel:** + 91 487 2420 020/ 2429 333; **Contact Person:** Mr. Jimmy Mathew, Company Secretary and Compliance Officer
E-mail: ho2006@sib.co.in; **Website:** www.southindianbank.com; **Corporate Identity Number:** L65191KL1929PLC001017

OUR BANK IS A PROFESSIONALLY MANAGED COMPANY AND DOES NOT HAVE A PROMOTER IN TERMS OF THE SEBI ICDR REGULATIONS OR THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013

FOR PRIVATE CIRCULATION TO THE ELIGIBLE EQUITY SHAREHOLDERS OF THE SOUTH INDIAN BANK LIMITED (THE "BANK" OR THE "ISSUER") ONLY

ISSUE OF UP TO 52,31,85,254 EQUITY SHARES OF FACE VALUE OF ₹1 EACH OF OUR BANK (THE "RIGHTS EQUITY SHARES") FOR CASH AT A PRICE OF ₹22 PER RIGHTS EQUITY SHARE (INCLUDING A PREMIUM OF ₹21 PER RIGHTS EQUITY SHARE) AGGREGATING UP TO ₹1151.01 CRORE* ON A RIGHTS BASIS TO THE ELIGIBLE EQUITY SHAREHOLDERS OF OUR BANK IN THE RATIO OF 1 RIGHTS EQUITY SHARES FOR EVERY 4 FULLY PAID-UP EQUITY SHARES HELD BY THE ELIGIBLE EQUITY SHAREHOLDERS ON THE RECORD DATE, THAT IS ON TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2024 ("RECORD DATE") (THE "ISSUE"). FOR FURTHER DETAILS, SEE "Terms of the Issue" ON PAGE 273 OF THE LOF.

*Assuming full subscription with respect to Rights Equity Shares

NOTICE TO THE ELIGIBLE EQUITY SHAREHOLDERS OF THE COMPANY

**ISSUE OPENS ON:
WEDNESDAY,
MARCH 6, 2024**

**LAST DATE FOR ON
MARKET RENUNCIATION*
THURSDAY, MARCH 14, 2024**

ISSUE CLOSES ON
WEDNESDAY,
MARCH 20, 2024**

*Eligible Equity Shareholders are requested to ensure that renunciation through off-market transfer is completed in such a manner that the Rights Entitlements are credited to the demat accounts of the Renounees on or prior to the Issue Closing Date.

**Our Board or the Capital Planning and Infusion Committee will have the right to extend the Issue Period as it may determine from time to time but not exceeding 30 days from the Issue Opening Date (inclusive of the Issue Opening Date). Further, no withdrawal of Application shall be permitted by any Applicant after the Issue Closing Date.

ASBA*

Simple, Safe, Smart way of making an application - Make use of it!!!

*Applications supported by blocked amount (ASBA) is a better way of applying to issues by simply blocking the fund in the bank account. For further details, check section on ASBA below.

Facilities for Application in this Issue

(I) ASBA Facility:

In accordance with Regulation 76 of the SEBI ICDR Regulations, the SEBI ICDR Master Circular and the ASBA Circulars, all Investors desiring to make an Application in this Issue are mandatorily required to use the ASBA process. Investors should carefully read the provisions applicable to such Applications before making their Application through ASBA. For details refer to "Terms of the Issue - Making of an Application through the ASBA process" on page 276 of the LOF.

Please note that subject to SCSBs complying with the requirements of the SEBI circular bearing reference number CIR/CFD/DIL/13/2012 dated September 25, 2012, within the periods stipulated therein, Applications may be submitted at the Designated Branches of the SCSBs. Further, in terms of the SEBI circular bearing reference number CIR/CFD/DIL/1/2013 dated January 2, 2013, it is clarified that for making Applications by SCSBs on their own account using ASBA facility, each such SCSB should have a separate account in its own name with any other SEBI registered SCSB(s). Such account shall be used solely for the purpose of making an Application in this Issue and clear demarcated funds should be available in such account for such an Application.

CREDIT OF RIGHTS ENTITLEMENTS IN DEMAT ACCOUNTS OF ELIGIBLE EQUITY SHAREHOLDERS

Pursuant to provisions of the SEBI ICDR Regulations and the SEBI ICDR Master Circular and in terms of the Letter of Offer, the Rights Entitlements of the Eligible Equity Shareholders will be credited in their respective demat account and shall be admitted for trading on the Stock Exchanges under the ISIN: INE683A20015 subject to requisite approvals. For details of credit of the Rights Entitlements, see "Terms of the Issue - Credit of Rights Entitlements in demat accounts of Eligible Equity Shareholders" on page 286 of the Letter of Offer, whose Rights Entitlements are credited in demat suspense escrow account opened by the Company.

In accordance with Regulation 77A of the SEBI ICDR Regulations read with the SEBI ICDR Master Circular, the credit of Rights Entitlements and Allotment of Rights Equity Shares shall be made in dematerialized form only.

Eligible Equity Shareholders are requested to provide relevant details (such as copies of self-attested PAN and client master sheet of demat account etc., details/ records confirming the legal and beneficial ownership of their respective Equity Shares) to our Bank or the Registrar not later than two clear Working Days prior to the Issue Closing Date, i.e., by Monday, March 18, 2024 to enable the credit of their Rights Entitlements by way of transfer from the demat suspense account to their demat account at least one day before the Issue Closing Date, to enable such Eligible Equity Shareholders to make an application in this Issue, and this communication shall serve as an intimation to such Eligible Equity Shareholders in this regard. Such Eligible Equity Shareholders are also requested to ensure that their demat account, details of which have been provided to our Bank or the Registrar account is active to facilitate the aforementioned transfer. In the event that the Eligible Equity Shareholders are not able to provide relevant details to our Company or the Registrar by the end of two clear Working Days prior to the Issue Closing Date, Rights Entitlements credited to the Demat Suspense Account shall lapse and extinguish in due course and such Eligible Equity Shareholder shall not have any claim against our Company and our Company shall not be liable to any such Eligible Equity Shareholder in any form or manner.

Eligible Equity Shareholders holding Equity shares in physical form, can update the details of their respective demat accounts on the website of the Registrar (i.e. https://linkintime.co.in/EmailReg/Email_Register.html). Such Eligible Equity Shareholders can make an Application only after the Rights Entitlements is credited to their respective demat accounts.

PLEASE NOTE THAT CREDIT OF THE RIGHTS ENTITLEMENTS IN THE DEMAT ACCOUNT DOES NOT, PER SE, ENTITLE THE INVESTORS TO THE RIGHTS EQUITY SHARES AND THE INVESTORS HAVE TO SUBMIT APPLICATION FOR THE RIGHTS EQUITY SHARES ON OR BEFORE THE ISSUE CLOSING DATE AND MAKE PAYMENT OF THE APPLICATION MONEY. FOR DETAILS, PLEASE SEE THE SECTION ENTITLED "TERMS OF THE ISSUE - PROCESS OF MAKING AN APPLICATION IN THE ISSUE" ON PAGE 275 OF THE LETTER OF OFFER.

APPLICATIONS SUPPORTED BY BLOCKED AMOUNT (ASBA):

An Investor, wishing to participate in this Issue through the ASBA facility, is required to have an ASBA enabled bank account with SCSBs, prior to making the Application. Investors desiring to make an Application in this Issue through ASBA process, may submit the Application Form in physical mode to the Designated Branches of the SCSB or online/ electronic Application through the website of the SCSBs (if made available by such SCSB) for authorising such SCSB to block Application Money payable on the Application in their respective ASBA Accounts. Investors should ensure that they have correctly submitted the Application Form and have provided an authorisation to the SCSB, via the electronic mode, for blocking funds in the ASBA Account equivalent to the Application Money mentioned in the Application Form, as the case may be, at the time of submission of the Application. For the list of banks which have been notified by SEBI to act as SCSBs for the ASBA process, please refer to <https://www.sebi.gov.in/sebiweb/other/OtherAction.do?doRecognisedFpi=yes&intMid=34>.

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE RIGHTS EQUITY SHARES APPLIED FOR IN THE ISSUE CAN BE ALLOTTED ONLY IN DEMATERIALIZED FORM AND TO THE SAME DEPOSITORY ACCOUNT IN WHICH OUR EQUITY SHARES ARE HELD BY SUCH INVESTOR ON THE RECORD DATE.

APPLICATION ON PLAIN PAPER: An Eligible Equity Shareholder in India who is eligible to apply under the ASBA process may make an Application to subscribe to this Issue on plain paper in case of non-receipt of Application Form as detailed above. In such cases of non-receipt of the Application Form through physical delivery (where applicable) and the Eligible Equity Shareholder not being in a position to obtain it from any other source may make an Application to subscribe to this Issue on plain paper with the same details as per the Application Form that is available on the website of the Registrar, Stock Exchanges or the Lead Manager. An Eligible Equity Shareholder shall submit the plain paper Application to the Designated Branch of the SCSB for authorising such SCSB to block Application Money in the said bank account maintained with the same SCSB. Applications on plain paper will not be accepted from any Eligible Equity Shareholder who has not provided an Indian address.

Additionally, in terms of Regulation 78 of the SEBI ICDR Regulations, Investors may choose to accept the offer to participate in this Issue by making plain paper Applications. Please note that SCSBs shall accept such applications only if all details required for making the application as per the SEBI ICDR Regulations are specified in the plain paper application. If an Eligible Equity Shareholder makes an Application both in an Application Form as well as on plain paper, both applications are liable to be rejected. Please note that in terms of Regulation 78 of the SEBI ICDR Regulations, the Eligible Equity Shareholders who are making the Application on plain paper shall not be entitled to renounce their Rights Entitlements and should not utilise the Application Form for any purpose including renunciation even if it is received subsequently.

The Application on plain paper, duly signed by the Eligible Equity Shareholder including joint holders, in the same order and as per specimen recorded with his/her bank, must reach the office of the Designated Branch of the SCSB before the Issue Closing Date and should contain the following particulars:

- Name of our Bank, being "The South Indian Bank Limited";
- Name and address of the Eligible Equity Shareholder including joint holders (in the same order and as per specimen recorded with our Bank or the Depository);
- Folio number (in case of Eligible Equity Shareholders who hold Equity Shares in physical form as at Record Date)/DP and Client ID;
- Except for Applications on behalf of the Central or State Government, the residents of Sikkim and the officials appointed by the courts, PAN of the Eligible Equity Shareholder and for each Eligible Equity Shareholder in case of joint names, irrespective of the total value of the Rights Equity Shares applied for pursuant to this Issue;
- Number of Rights Equity Shares held as at Record Date;
- Allotment option - only dematerialised form;
- Number of Rights Equity Shares entitled to;
- Number of Rights Equity Shares applied for within the Rights Entitlements;
- Number of Additional Rights Equity Shares applied for, if any (applicable only if entire Rights Entitlements have been applied for);
- Total number of Rights Equity Shares applied for;
- Total amount paid at the rate of ₹22 per Rights Equity Share;
- Details of the ASBA Account such as the SCSB account number, name, address and branch of the relevant SCSB;
- In case of non-resident Eligible Equity Shareholders making an application with an Indian address, details of the NRE / FCNR/ NRO account such as the account number, name, address and branch of the SCSB with which the account is maintained;
- Authorisation to the Designated Branch of the SCSB to block an amount equivalent to the Application Money in the ASBA Account;
- Signature of the Eligible Equity Shareholder (in case of joint holders, to appear in the same sequence and order as they appear in the records of the SCSB);
- An approval obtained from any regulatory authority, if required, shall be obtained by the Eligible Equity Shareholders and a copy of such approval from any regulatory authority, if required, as may be required, shall be sent to the Registrar at sib.rights2024@linkintime.co.in; and
- All such Eligible Equity Shareholders shall be deemed to have made the representations, warranties and agreements set forth in "Restrictions on Purchases and Resales" on page 302 of the LOF, and shall include the following:

"I/ We understand that neither the Rights Entitlements nor the Rights Equity Shares have been, or will be, registered under the U.S. Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "U.S. Securities Act"), or any United States state securities laws, and may not be offered, sold, resold or otherwise transferred within the United States or to the territories or possessions thereof (the "United States"), except pursuant to an exemption from, or in a transaction not subject to, the registration requirements of the U.S. Securities Act. If we understand the Rights Equity Shares referred to in this application are being offered and sold in offshore transactions outside the United States in compliance with Regulation S under the U.S. Securities Act ("Regulation S") to Eligible Equity Shareholders located in jurisdictions where such offer and sale of the Rights Equity Shares is permitted under laws of such jurisdictions. If we understand that the Issue is not, and under no circumstances is to be construed as, an offering of any Rights Equity Shares or Rights Entitlements for sale in the United States, or as a solicitation therein of an offer to buy any of the said Rights Equity Shares or Rights Entitlements in the United States. If we confirm that I/ am/ we are (a) not in the United States and eligible to subscribe for the Rights Equity Shares under applicable securities laws, (b) complying with laws of jurisdictions applicable to such person in connection with the Issue, and (c) understand that neither the Bank, nor the Registrar, the Lead Manager or any other person acting on behalf of the Bank will accept subscriptions from any person, who appears to be, or who the Bank, the Registrar, the Lead Manager or any other person acting on behalf of the Bank have reason to believe is in the United States or is outside of India and ineligible to participate in this Issue under the securities laws of their jurisdiction.

"I/ We will not offer, sell or otherwise transfer any of the Rights Equity Shares which may be acquired by us in any jurisdiction or under any circumstances in which such offer or sale is not authorized or to any person to whom it is unlawful to make such offer, sale or invitation. I/ We satisfy, and each account for which I/ we are acting satisfies, (a) all suitability standards for investors in investments of the type subscribed for herein imposed by the jurisdiction of my/our residence, and (b) is eligible to subscribe and is subscribing for the Rights Equity Shares and Rights Entitlements in compliance with applicable securities and other laws of our jurisdiction of residence.

I/ we hereby make the representations, warranties, acknowledgments and agreements set forth in the section of the Letter of Offer titled "Restrictions on Purchases and Resales" on page 302 of the LOF.

I/ We understand and agree that the Rights Entitlements and Rights Equity Shares may not be reoffered, resold, pledged or otherwise transferred except in an offshore transaction in compliance with Regulations S, or otherwise pursuant to an exemption from, or in a transaction not subject to, the registration requirements of the U.S. Securities Act.

I/ We acknowledge that we, the Lead Manager, our affiliates and others will rely upon the truth and accuracy of the foregoing representations and agreements."

OVERSEAS SHAREHOLDERS: The Abridged Letter of Offer, the Application Form, the Rights Entitlement Letter and any other material relating to the Issue (collectively, the "Issue Materials") will be sent/ dispatched only to the Eligible Equity Shareholders who have provided an Indian address to our Bank. In case such Eligible Equity Shareholders have provided their valid e-mail address to us, the Issue Materials will be sent only to their valid e-mail address and in case such Eligible Equity Shareholders have not provided their e-mail address, then the Issue Material will be physically dispatched, on a reasonable effort basis, to the Indian addresses provided by them. Those overseas shareholders who do not update our records with their Indian address or the address of their duly authorised representative in India, prior to the date on which we propose to dispatch the Issue Materials, shall not be sent the Issue Materials.

Our Bank, in consultation with the Lead Manager, reserves the right to treat as invalid any Application Form which: (i) appears to our Bank or its agents to have been executed in, electronically transmitted from or dispatched from the United States or jurisdictions where the offer and sale of the Rights Equity Shares is not permitted under laws of such jurisdictions; (ii) does not include the relevant certifications set out in the Application Form, including to the effect that the person submitting and/or renouncing the Application Form is outside the United States and such person is eligible to subscribe for the Rights Equity Shares under applicable securities laws and is complying with laws of jurisdictions applicable to such person in connection with the Issue; or (iii) where either a registered Indian address is not provided or where our Bank believes acceptance of such Application Form may infringe applicable legal or regulatory requirements; and our Bank shall not be bound to issue or allot any Rights Equity Shares in respect of any such Application Form.

NO OFFER IN THE UNITED STATES: THE RIGHTS ENTITLEMENTS AND THE RIGHTS EQUITY SHARES HAVE NOT BEEN, AND WILL NOT BE, REGISTERED UNDER THE UNITED STATES SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED (THE "U.S. SECURITIES ACT") AND MAY NOT BE OFFERED OR SOLD WITHIN THE UNITED STATES, EXCEPT PURSUANT TO AN EXEMPTION FROM, OR IN A TRANSACTION NOT SUBJECT TO, THE REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS OF THE U.S. SECURITIES ACT AND APPLICABLE STATE SECURITIES LAWS. ACCORDINGLY, THE RIGHTS ENTITLEMENTS (INCLUDING THEIR CREDIT) AND THE RIGHTS EQUITY SHARES ARE ONLY BEING OFFERED AND SOLD OUTSIDE THE UNITED STATES IN "OFFSHORE TRANSACTIONS" AS DEFINED IN AND IN RELIANCE ON REGULATION S UNDER THE U.S. SECURITIES ACT TO ELIGIBLE EQUITY SHAREHOLDERS LOCATED IN JURISDICTIONS WHERE SUCH OFFER AND SALE IS PERMITTED UNDER THE LAWS OF SUCH JURISDICTIONS. THE OFFERING TO WHICH THE LETTER OF OFFER RELATES IS NOT, AND UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES IS TO BE CONSTRUED AS, AN OFFERING OF ANY RIGHTS ENTITLEMENTS OR RIGHTS EQUITY SHARES FOR SALE IN THE UNITED STATES OR AS A SOLICITATION THEREIN OF AN OFFER TO BUY ANY OF THE SAID SECURITIES. ACCORDINGLY, YOU SHOULD NOT FORWARD OR TRANSMIT THE LETTER OF OFFER INTO THE UNITED STATES AT ANY TIME.

Neither our Bank, nor any person acting on behalf of our Bank, will accept a subscription or renunciation from any person, or the agent of any person, who appears to be, or who our Bank, or any person acting on behalf of our Bank, has reason to believe is, in the United States when the buy order is made. No Application Form should be postmarked in the United States or otherwise dispatched from the United States or any other jurisdiction where it would be illegal to make an offer under the Letter of Offer or where any action would be required to be taken to permit the Issue. Our Bank is undertaking this Issue on a rights basis to the Eligible Equity Shareholders and will dispatch the Letter of Offer or the Abridged Letter of Offer and Application Form only to Eligible Equity Shareholders who have provided an Indian address to our Bank. Any person who acquires Rights Entitlements or Rights Equity Shares will be deemed to have represented, warranted and agreed, by accepting the delivery of the Letter of Offer, that it is not and that at the time of subscribing for the Rights Equity Shares or the Rights Entitlements, it will not be, in the United States and is authorized to acquire the Rights Entitlement and the Rights Equity Shares in compliance with all applicable laws and regulations.

LAST DATE FOR APPLICATION: The last date for submission of the duly filled in the Application Form or a plain paper Application is Wednesday, March 20, 2024, i.e., Issue Closing Date. Our Board or any committee thereof may extend the said date for such period as it may determine from time to time, subject to the Issue Period not exceeding 30 days from the Issue Opening Date (inclusive of the Issue Opening Date).

If the Application Form is not submitted with an SCSB, uploaded with the Stock Exchanges and the Application Money is not blocked with the SCSB, on or before the Issue Closing Date or such date as may be extended by our Board or any committee thereof, the invitation to offer contained in the Letter of Offer shall be deemed to have been declined and our Board or any committee thereof shall be at liberty to dispose of the Equity Shares hereby offered, as set out in "Basis of Allotment" on page 294 of the LOF. Please note that on the Issue Closing Date, Applications through ASBA process will be uploaded until 5.00 p.m. (Indian Standard Time) or such extended time as permitted by the Stock Exchanges.

ALLOTMENT ONLY IN DEMATERIALIZED FORM: Please note that in accordance with Regulation 77A of the SEBI ICDR Regulations read with the SEBI ICDR Master Circular, the credit of Rights Entitlements and Allotment of Rights Equity Shares shall be made in dematerialised form only. Accordingly, Eligible Equity Shareholders holding Equity Shares in physical form as on Record Date and desirous of subscribing to Rights Equity Shares in this Issue are advised to furnish the details of their demat account to the Registrar or our Company at least two clear Working Days prior to the Issue Closing Date i.e. Monday, March 18, 2024, to enable the credit of their Rights Entitlements in their respective demat accounts at least one day before the Issue Closing Date i.e., Tuesday, March 19, 2024, Prior to the Issue Opening Date, the Rights Entitlements of those Eligible Equity Shareholders, among others, who hold Equity Shares in physical form, and/or whose demat account details are not available with our Company or the Registrar, shall be credited in the Demat Suspense Account opened by the Company. Such resident Eligible Equity Shareholders must check the procedure for application by physical shareholders in the section entitled, "Terms of the Issue - Making of an Application by Eligible Equity Shareholders holding Equity Shares in physical form" and "Terms of the Issue - Allotment Advice or Refund/Unblocking of ASBA Accounts" beginning on pages 278 and 295 of the Letter of Offer.

Please note that our Bank has opened a separate demat suspense escrow account (namely, "LIPLI SIB Rights Escrow Demat Account") ("Demat Suspense Account") and would credit Rights Entitlements on the basis of the Equity Shares: (a) held by Eligible Equity Shareholders which are held in physical form as on Record Date; or (b) which are held in the account of the Investor Education and Protection Fund ("IEPF") authority; or (c) of the Eligible Equity Shareholder whose demat accounts are frozen or where the Equity Shares are lying in the unclaimed suspense account / demat suspense account (including those pursuant to Regulation 39 of the SEBI Listing Regulations) or details of which are unavailable with our Bank or with the Registrar on the Record Date or where Equity Shares have been kept in abeyance or where entitlement certificate has been issued or where instruction has been issued for stopping issue or transfer or where letter of confirmation lying in escrow account; or (d) where credit of the Rights Entitlements have returned/reversed/failed for any reason; or (e) where ownership is currently under dispute, including any court or regulatory proceedings or where legal notices have been issued, if any. Please also note that our Bank has credited Rights Entitlements to the Demat Suspense Account on the basis of information available with our Bank and to serve the interest of relevant Eligible Equity Shareholders to provide them with a reasonable opportunity to participate in the Issue. The credit of the Rights Entitlements to the Demat Suspense Account by our Bank does not create any right in favour of the relevant Eligible Equity Shareholders for transfer of Rights Entitlement to their demat account or to receive any Equity Shares in the Issue.

INVESTORS MAY PLEASE NOTE THAT THE EQUITY SHARES CAN BE TRADED ON THE STOCK EXCHANGES ONLY IN DEMATERIALIZED FORM.

LISTING: The existing Equity Shares are listed on BSE Limited ("BSE") and National Stock Exchange of India Limited ("NSE"), and together with BSE, the "Stock Exchanges". Our Bank has received the "in-principle" approvals from BSE and NSE for listing the Rights Equity Shares to be allotted pursuant to the Issue through their letters dated February 14, 2024. Our Company will also make applications to BSE and NSE to obtain trading approvals for the Rights Entitlements as required under the SEBI ICDR Master Circular. For the purposes of the Issue, the Designated Stock Exchange is BSE.

DISCLAIMER CLAUSE OF SEBI: Submission of the LOF to SEBI should not in any way be deemed or construed that SEBI has cleared or approved the LOF. Investors are advised to refer to the full text of the "Disclaimer Clause of SEBI" beginning on page 267 of the LOF.

DISCLAIMER CLAUSE OF BSE (Designated Stock Exchange): It is to be distinctly understood that the permission given by BSE Limited should not, in any way, be deemed or construed that the Letter of Offer has been cleared or approved by BSE Limited; nor does it certify the correctness or completeness of any of the contents of the Letter of Offer. Investors are advised to refer to the Letter of Offer for the full text of the "Disclaimer Clause of BSE" beginning on page 270 of the LOF.

DISCLAIMER CLAUSE OF NSE: It is to be distinctly understood that the permission given by NSE should not in any way be deemed or construed that the Letter of Offer has been cleared or approved by NSE nor does it certify the correctness or completeness of any of the contents of the Letter of Offer. Investors are advised to refer to the Letter of Offer for the full text of the "Disclaimer clause of NSE" on page 270 of the LOF.

ALLOTMENT ACCOUNT BANKS: The South Indian Bank Limited

BANKERS TO THE ISSUE: The South Indian Bank Limited

DISPATCH AND AVAILABILITY OF ISSUE MATERIALS: In accordance with the SEBI ICDR Regulations and the SEBI ICDR Master Circular, The Letter of Offer, The Abridged Letter of Offer, the Application Form, the Rights Entitlement Letter and other issue material will be sent/ dispatched only to the Eligible Equity Shareholders who have provided their Indian address to our Bank and who are located in jurisdictions where the offer and sale of the Rights Entitlement or Rights Equity Shares is permitted under laws of such jurisdiction and does not result in and may not be construed as, a public offering in such jurisdictions. In case such Eligible Equity Shareholders have provided their valid e-mail address, the Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Application Form, the Rights Entitlement Letter and other issue material will be sent only to their valid e-mail address and in case such Eligible Equity Shareholders have not provided their e-mail address, then the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Application Form, the Rights Entitlement Letter and other issue material will be physically dispatched, on a reasonable effort basis, to the Indian addresses provided by them. Further, the Letter of Offer will be sent/ dispatched to the Eligible Equity Shareholders who have provided Indian address and who have made a request in this regard. In accordance with the above, the dispatch of the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Rights Entitlement Letter along with the Application Form has been completed on March 1, 2024 by the Registrar to the Issue.

Eligible Equity Shareholders can also obtain the details of their respective Rights Entitlements from the website of the Registrar (i.e. www.linkintime.co.in) by entering their DP ID and Client ID (folio number) (for Eligible Equity Shareholders who hold Equity Shares in physical form as at Record Date) and PAN. The link for the same shall also be available on the website of our Bank (i.e., www.southindianbank.com).

Further, our Bank along with the Lead Manager will undertake all adequate steps to reach out the Eligible Equity Shareholders who have provided their Indian address through other means, as may be feasible. Neither our Bank nor the Registrar nor the Lead Manager shall be responsible for not sending the physical copies of Issue materials, including the Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Rights Entitlement Letter and the Application Form or delay in the receipt of the Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Rights Entitlement Letter or the Application Form attributable to non-availability of the e-mail addresses of Eligible Equity Shareholders or electronic transmission delays or failures, or if the Application Forms or the Rights Entitlement Letters are delayed or misplaced in the transit.

Investors can access the Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer and the Application Form (provided that the Eligible Equity Shareholder is eligible to subscribe for the Rights Equity Shares under applicable laws) on the websites of: (i) our Bank www.southindianbank.com; (ii) the Registrar at www.linkintime.co.in; (iii) the Lead Manager at www.iifcap.com; (iv) the Stock Exchanges at www.bseindia.com and www.nseindia.com.

The Investors can visit following links for the below-mentioned purposes: a) Frequently asked questions and online/ electronic dedicated investor helpdesk for guidance on the Application process and resolution of difficulties faced by the Investors: <https://linkintime.co.in/contact-us.html> b) Updation of Indian address/ e-mail address/ phone or mobile number in the records maintained by the Registrar or our Bank: <https://linkintime.co.in/contact-us.html> or sib.rights2024@linkintime.co.in c) Updation of demat account details by Eligible Equity Shareholders holding shares in physical form: www.linkintime.com d) Submission of self-attested PAN, client master sheet and demat account details by non-resident Eligible Equity Shareholders: sib.rights2024@linkintime.co.in or <https://linkintime.co.in/contact-us.html>

The LOF is also available on the website of SEBI at www.sebi.gov.in.

LEAD MANAGER TO THE ISSUE	REGISTRAR TO THE ISSUE	COMPANY SECRETARY AND COMPLIANCE OFFICER
<p>IIFL Securities Limited 24th Floor, One Lodha Place, Senapati Bapat Marg, Lower Parel (West), Mumbai - 400 013, Maharashtra, India. Tel: (+ 91 22) 4646 4728 E-mail: sib.rights@iifcap.com Investor Grievance ID: ig_lb@iifcap.com Website: www.iifcap.com Contact Person: Pawan Kumar Jain / Mukesh Garg SEBI Registration No.: INM000010940</p>	<p>Link Intime India Private Limited C-101, 1st Floor, 247 Park, Lal Bahadur Shastri Marg, Vikhroli (West), Mumbai - 400 083, Maharashtra, India. Tel: +91 810 811 4949 E-mail: sib.rights2024@linkintime.co.in Investor Grievance E-mail: sib.rights2024@linkintime.co.in Website: www.linkintime.co.in Contact Person: Ms. Shanti Gopalkrishnan SEBI Registration No.: INR000004058</p>	<p>Mr. Jimmy Mathew SIB House, Mission Quarters, T.B. Road, Thrissur - 680 001, Kerala, India. Telephone: + 91 487 2420020/ 2429333 Facsimile: + 91 487 2442021; E-mail: ho2006@sib.co.in Investor Grievance ID: risib@sib.co.in</p> <p>Investors may contact the Registrar to the Issue or our Company Secretary and Compliance Officer for any pre-Issue or post-Issue related matters. All grievances relating to the ASBA process may be addressed to the Registrar to the Issue, with a copy to the SCSB (in case of ASBA process), giving full details such as name, address of the Applicant, contact number(s), e-mail address of the sole/ first holder, folio number or demat account, number of Rights Equity Shares applied for, amount blocked (in case of ASBA process), ASBA Account number and the Designated Branch of the SCSB where the Application Forms, or the plain paper application, as the case may be, was submitted by the Investors along with a photocopy of the acknowledgement slip (in case of ASBA process). For details on the ASBA process, please see "Terms of the Issue" on page 273 of the Letter of Offer.</p>

For The South Indian Bank Limited

On behalf of the Board of Directors

Sd/-

Mr. Jimmy Mathew

Company Secretary and Compliance Officer

Place: Thrissur, Kerala
 Date: March 1, 2024

Disclaimer: The South Indian Bank Limited is proposing, subject to applicable statutory and regulatory requirements, receipt of requisite approvals, market conditions and other considerations, a rights issue of its Equity Shares and has filed the LOF with SEBI and Stock Exchanges on February 22, 2024. The LOF is available on the website of SEBI at www.sebi.gov.in, the Stock Exchanges, i.e., National Stock Exchange of India Limited at www.nseindia.com, BSE Limited at www.bseindia.com, website of the Bank at www.southindianbank.com and the website of the Lead Manager to the Issue, i.e., IIFL Securities Limited at www.iifcap.com. Investors should note that investment in equity shares involves a high degree of risk and for details relating to such risk, please see the section titled "Risk Factors" beginning on page 17 of the LOF.

This announcement does not constitute an offer of securities for sale in any jurisdiction, including the United States. The Rights Entitlements and the Rights Equity Shares have not been, and will not be, registered under the United States Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "U.S. Securities Act") and may not be offered or sold within the United States, except pursuant to an exemption from, or in a transaction not subject to, the registration requirements of the U.S. Securities Act and applicable state securities laws. Accordingly, the Rights Entitlements (including their credit) and the Rights Equity Shares are only being offered and sold outside the United States in "offshore transactions" as defined in and in reliance on Regulation S under the U.S. Securities Act and the applicable laws of the jurisdiction where those offers and sales occur. There will be no public offering in the United States.

This is only an advertisement for information purposes only and it is not for publication, distribution or release directly or indirectly outside India. This is not an announcement for an offer document. All capitalized terms used and not defined herein shall have the meaning assigned to them in the letter of offer dated February 21, 2024 (the "Letter of Offer" or "LOF") filed with the BSE Limited ("BSE") and the National Stock Exchange of India Limited ("NSE"), and together with BSE, "Stock Exchanges") and the Securities and Exchange Board of India ("SEBI").



The South Indian Bank Limited

Our Bank was incorporated at Thrissur as "The South Indian Bank Limited" on January 25, 1929 under the Indian Companies Act, 1913. For details of changes in registered office of our Bank, see "General Information" on page 43 of the LOF.
Registered and Corporate Office: SIB House, Mission Quarters, T.B. Road, Thrissur - 680 001, Kerala, India; Tel: + 91 487 2420 020/ 2429 333; **Contact Person:** Mr. Jimmy Mathew, Company Secretary and Compliance Officer
E-mail: ho2006@sib.co.in; **Website:** www.southindianbank.com; **Corporate Identity Number:** L65191KL1929PLC001017

OUR BANK IS A PROFESSIONALLY MANAGED COMPANY AND DOES NOT HAVE A PROMOTER IN TERMS OF THE SEBI ICDR REGULATIONS OR THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013 FOR PRIVATE CIRCULATION TO THE ELIGIBLE EQUITY SHAREHOLDERS OF THE SOUTH INDIAN BANK LIMITED (THE "BANK" OR THE "ISSUER") ONLY

ISSUE OF UP TO 52,31,85,254 EQUITY SHARES OF FACE VALUE OF ₹1 EACH OF OUR BANK (THE "RIGHTS EQUITY SHARES") FOR CASH AT A PRICE OF ₹22 PER RIGHTS EQUITY SHARE (INCLUDING A PREMIUM OF ₹21 PER RIGHTS EQUITY SHARE) AGGREGATING UP TO ₹1151.01 CRORE* ON A RIGHTS BASIS TO THE ELIGIBLE EQUITY SHAREHOLDERS OF OUR BANK IN THE RATIO OF 1 RIGHTS EQUITY SHARES FOR EVERY 4 FULLY PAID-UP EQUITY SHARES HELD BY THE ELIGIBLE EQUITY SHAREHOLDERS ON THE RECORD DATE, THAT IS ON TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2024 ("RECORD DATE") (THE "ISSUE"). FOR FURTHER DETAILS, SEE "Terms of the Issue" ON PAGE 273 OF THE LOF.

*Assuming full subscription with respect to Rights Equity Shares

NOTICE TO THE ELIGIBLE EQUITY SHAREHOLDERS OF THE COMPANY

**ISSUE OPENS ON:
WEDNESDAY,
MARCH 6, 2024**

**LAST DATE FOR ON
MARKET RENUNCIATION*
THURSDAY, MARCH 14, 2024**

ISSUE CLOSES ON
WEDNESDAY,
MARCH 20, 2024**

*Eligible Equity Shareholders are requested to ensure that renunciation through off-market transfer is completed in such a manner that the Rights Entitlements are credited to the demat accounts of the Renounees on or prior to the Issue Closing Date.

**Our Board or the Capital Planning and Infusion Committee will have the right to extend the Issue Period as it may determine from time to time but not exceeding 30 days from the Issue Opening Date (inclusive of the Issue Opening Date). Further, no withdrawal of Application shall be permitted by any Applicant after the Issue Closing Date.

ASBA*

Simple, Safe, Smart way of making an application - Make use of it!!!

*Applications supported by blocked amount (ASBA) is a better way of applying to issues by simply blocking the fund in the bank account. For further details, check section on ASBA below.

Facilities for Application in this Issue

(i) ASBA Facility:

In accordance with Regulation 76 of the SEBI ICDR Regulations, the SEBI ICDR Master Circular and the ASBA Circulars, all Investors desiring to make an Application in this Issue are mandatorily required to use the ASBA process. Investors should carefully read the provisions applicable to such Applications before making their Application through ASBA. For details refer to "Terms of the Issue - Making of an Application through the ASBA process" on page 276 of the LOF.

Please note that subject to SCSBs complying with the requirements of the SEBI circular bearing reference number CIR/CFD/DIL/13/2012 dated September 25, 2012, within the periods stipulated therein, Applications may be submitted at the Designated Branches of the SCSBs. Further, in terms of the SEBI circular bearing reference number CIR/CFD/DIL/1/2013 dated January 2, 2013, it is clarified that for making Applications by SCSBs on their own account using ASBA facility, each such SCSB should have a separate account in its own name with any other SEBI registered SCSB(s). Such account shall be used solely for the purpose of making an Application in this Issue and clear demarcated funds should be available in such account for such an Application.

CREDIT OF RIGHTS ENTITLEMENTS IN DEMAT ACCOUNTS OF ELIGIBLE EQUITY SHAREHOLDERS

Pursuant to provisions of the SEBI ICDR Regulations and the SEBI ICDR Master Circular and in terms of the Letter of Offer, the Rights Entitlements of the Eligible Equity Shareholders will be credited in their respective demat account and shall be admitted for trading on the Stock Exchanges under the ISIN: INE683A20015 subject to requisite approvals. For details of credit of the Rights Entitlements, see "Terms of the Issue - Credit of Rights Entitlements in demat accounts of Eligible Equity Shareholders" on page 286 of the Letter of Offer, whose Rights Entitlements are credited in demat suspense escrow account opened by the Company.

In accordance with Regulation 77A of the SEBI ICDR Regulations read with the SEBI ICDR Master Circular, the credit of Rights Entitlements and Allotment of Rights Equity Shares shall be made in dematerialized form only.

Eligible Equity Shareholders are requested to provide relevant details (such as copies of self-attested PAN and client master sheet of demat account etc., details/ records confirming the legal and beneficial ownership of their respective Equity Shares) to our Bank or the Registrar not later than two clear Working Days prior to the Issue Closing Date, i.e., by Monday, March 18, 2024 to enable the credit of their Rights Entitlements by way of transfer from the demat suspense account to their demat account at least one day before the Issue Closing Date, to enable such Eligible Equity Shareholders to make an application in this Issue, and this communication shall serve as an intimation to such Eligible Equity Shareholders in this regard. Such Eligible Equity Shareholders are also requested to ensure that their demat account, details of which have been provided to our Bank or the Registrar account is active to facilitate the aforementioned transfer. In the event that the Eligible Equity Shareholders are not able to provide relevant details to our Company or the Registrar by the end of two clear Working Days prior to the Issue Closing Date, Rights Entitlements credited to the Demat Suspense Account shall lapse and extinguish in due course and such Eligible Equity Shareholder shall not have any claim against our Company and our Company shall not be liable to any such Eligible Equity Shareholder in any form or manner.

Eligible Equity Shareholders holding Equity shares in physical form, can update the details of their respective demat accounts on the website of the Registrar (i.e. https://linkintime.co.in/EmailReg/Email_Register.html). Such Eligible Equity Shareholders can make an Application only after the Rights Entitlements is credited to their respective demat accounts.

PLEASE NOTE THAT CREDIT OF THE RIGHTS ENTITLEMENTS IN THE DEMAT ACCOUNT DOES NOT, PER SE, ENTITLE THE INVESTORS TO THE RIGHTS EQUITY SHARES AND THE INVESTORS HAVE TO SUBMIT APPLICATION FOR THE RIGHTS EQUITY SHARES ON OR BEFORE THE ISSUE CLOSING DATE AND MAKE PAYMENT OF THE APPLICATION MONEY. FOR DETAILS, PLEASE SEE THE SECTION ENTITLED "TERMS OF THE ISSUE - PROCESS OF MAKING AN APPLICATION IN THE ISSUE" ON PAGE 275 OF THE LETTER OF OFFER.

APPLICATIONS SUPPORTED BY BLOCKED AMOUNT (ASBA):

An Investor, wishing to participate in this Issue through the ASBA facility, is required to have an ASBA enabled bank account with SCSBs, prior to making the Application. Investors desiring to make an Application in this Issue through ASBA process, may submit the Application Form in physical mode to the Designated Branches of the SCSB or online/ electronic Application through the website of the SCSBs (if made available by such SCSB) for authorising such SCSB to block Application Money payable on the Application in their respective ASBA Accounts. Investors should ensure that they have correctly submitted the Application Form and have provided an authorisation to the SCSB, via the electronic mode, for blocking funds in the ASBA Account equivalent to the Application Money mentioned in the Application Form, as the case may be, at the time of submission of the Application. For the list of banks which have been notified by SEBI to act as SCSBs for the ASBA process, please refer to <https://www.sebi.gov.in/sebiweb/other/OtherAction.do?do=RecordnseidFpi=yes&intmid=34>.

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE RIGHTS EQUITY SHARES APPLIED FOR IN THE ISSUE CAN BE ALLOTTED ONLY IN DEMATERIALIZED FORM AND TO THE SAME DEPOSITORY ACCOUNT IN WHICH OUR EQUITY SHARES ARE HELD BY SUCH INVESTOR ON THE RECORD DATE.

APPLICATION ON PLAIN PAPER: An Eligible Equity Shareholder in India who is eligible to apply under the ASBA process may make an Application to subscribe to this Issue on plain paper in case of non-receipt of Application Form as detailed above. In such cases of non-receipt of the Application Form through physical delivery (where applicable) and the Eligible Equity Shareholder not being in a position to obtain it from any other source may make an Application to subscribe to this Issue on plain paper with the same details as per the Application Form that is available on the website of the Registrar, Stock Exchanges or the Lead Manager. An Eligible Equity Shareholder shall submit the plain paper Application to the Designated Branch of the SCSB for authorising such SCSB to block Application Money in the said bank account maintained with the same SCSB. Applications on plain paper will not be accepted from any Eligible Equity Shareholder who has not provided an Indian address.

Additionally, in terms of Regulation 78 of the SEBI ICDR Regulations, Investors may choose to accept the offer to participate in this Issue by making plain paper Applications. Please note that SCSBs shall accept such applications only if all details required for making the application as per the SEBI ICDR Regulations are specified in the plain paper application. If an Eligible Equity Shareholder makes an Application both in an Application Form as well as on plain paper, both applications are liable to be rejected. Please note that in terms of Regulation 78 of the SEBI ICDR Regulations, the Eligible Equity Shareholders who are making the Application on plain paper shall not be entitled to renounce their Rights Entitlements and should not utilise the Application Form for any purpose including renunciation even if it is received subsequently.

The Application on plain paper, duly signed by the Eligible Equity Shareholder including joint holders, in the same order and as per specimen recorded with his/her bank, must reach the office of the Designated Branch of the SCSB before the Issue Closing Date and should contain the following particulars:

1. Name of our Bank, being "The South Indian Bank Limited";
2. Name and address of the Eligible Equity Shareholder including joint holders (in the same order and as per specimen recorded with our Bank or the Depository);
3. Folio number (in case of Eligible Equity Shareholders who hold Equity Shares in physical form as at Record Date)/DP and Client ID;
4. Except for Applications on behalf of the Central or State Government, the residents of Sikkim and the officials appointed by the courts, PAN of the Eligible Equity Shareholder and for each Eligible Equity Shareholder in case of joint names, irrespective of the total value of the Rights Equity Shares applied for pursuant to this Issue; 5. Number of Equity Shares held as at Record Date; 6. Allotment option - only dematerialised form; 7. Number of Rights Equity Shares entitled to; 8. Number of Rights Equity Shares applied for within the Rights Entitlements; 9. Number of Additional Rights Equity Shares applied for, if any (applicable only if entire Rights Entitlements have been applied for); 10. Total number of Rights Equity Shares applied for; 11. Total amount paid at the rate of ₹22 per Rights Equity Share; 12. Details of the ASBA Account such as the SCSB account number, name, address and branch of the relevant SCSB; 13. In case of non-resident Eligible Equity Shareholders making an application with an Indian address, details of the NRE / FCNR/ NRO account such as the account number, name, address and branch of the SCSB with which the account is maintained; 14. Authorisation to the Designated Branch of the SCSB to block an amount equivalent to the Application Money in the ASBA Account; 15. Signature of the Eligible Equity Shareholder (in case of joint holders, to appear in the same sequence and order as they appear in the records of the SCSB); 16. An approval obtained from any regulatory authority, if required, shall be obtained by the Eligible Equity Shareholders and a copy of such approval from any regulatory authority, if required, as may be required, shall be sent to the Registrar at sib.rights2024@linkintime.co.in; and 17. All such Eligible Equity Shareholders shall be deemed to have made the representations, warranties and agreements set forth in "Restrictions on Purchases and Resales" on page 302 of the LOF, and shall include the following:

"I/ We understand that neither the Rights Entitlements nor the Rights Equity Shares have been, or will be, registered under the U.S. Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "U.S. Securities Act"), or any United States state securities laws, and may not be offered, sold, resold or otherwise transferred within the United States or to the territories or possessions thereof (the "United States"), except pursuant to an exemption from, or in a transaction not subject to, the registration requirements of the U.S. Securities Act. I/ we understand the Rights Equity Shares referred to in this application are being offered and sold in offshore transactions outside the United States in compliance with Regulation S under the U.S. Securities Act ("Regulation S") to Eligible Equity Shareholders located in jurisdictions where such offer and sale of the Rights Equity Shares is permitted under laws of such jurisdictions. I/ we understand that the Issue is not, and under no circumstances is to be construed as, an offering of any Rights Equity Shares or Rights Entitlements for sale in the United States, or as a solicitation therein of an offer to buy any of the said Rights Equity Shares or Rights Entitlements in the United States. I/ we confirm that I am/ we are (a) not in the United States and eligible to subscribe for the Rights Equity Shares under applicable securities laws, (b) complying with laws of jurisdictions applicable to such person in connection with the Issue, and (c) understand that neither the Bank, nor the Registrar, the Lead Manager or any other person acting on behalf of the Bank will accept subscriptions from any person, who appears to be, or who the Bank, the Registrar, the Lead Manager or any other person acting on behalf of the Bank have reason to believe is in the United States or is outside of India and ineligible to participate in this Issue under the securities laws of their jurisdiction.

I/ We will not offer, sell or otherwise transfer any of the Rights Equity Shares which may be acquired by us in any jurisdiction or under any circumstances in which such offer or sale is not authorized or to any person to whom it is unlawful to make such offer, sale or invitation. I/ We satisfy, and each account for which I/ we are acting satisfies, (a) all suitability standards for investors in investments of the type subscribed for herein imposed by the jurisdiction of my/our residence, and (b) is eligible to subscribe and is subscribing for the Rights Equity Shares and Rights Entitlements in compliance with applicable securities and other laws of our jurisdiction or residence.

I/ we hereby make the representations, warranties, acknowledgments and agreements set forth in the section of the Letter of Offer titled "Restrictions on Purchases and Resales" on page 302 of the LOF.

I/ We understand and agree that the Rights Entitlements and Rights Equity Shares may not be reoffered, resold, pledged or otherwise transferred except in an offshore transaction in compliance with Regulations S, or otherwise pursuant to an exemption from, or in a transaction not subject to, the registration requirements of the U.S. Securities Act.

I/ We acknowledge that we, the Lead Manager, our affiliates and others will rely upon the truth and accuracy of the foregoing representations and agreements."

OVERSEAS SHAREHOLDERS: The Abridged Letter of Offer, the Application Form, the Rights Entitlement Letter and any other material relating to the Issue (collectively, the "Issue Materials") will be sent/ dispatched only to the Eligible Equity Shareholders who have provided an Indian address to our Bank. In case such Eligible Equity Shareholders have provided their valid e-mail address to us, the Issue Materials will be sent only to their valid e-mail address and in case such Eligible Equity Shareholders have not provided their e-mail address, then the Issue Material will be physically dispatched, on a reasonable effort basis, to the Indian addresses provided by them. Those overseas shareholders who do not update our records with their Indian address or the address of their duly authorised representative in India, prior to the date on which we propose to dispatch the Issue Materials, shall not be sent the Issue Materials.

Our Bank, in consultation with the Lead Manager, reserves the right to treat as invalid any Application Form which: (i) appears to our Bank or its agents to have been executed in, electronically transmitted from or dispatched from the United States or jurisdictions where the offer and sale of the Rights Equity Shares is not permitted under laws of such jurisdictions; (ii) does not include the relevant certifications set out in the Application Form, including to the effect that the person submitting and/or renouncing the Application Form is outside the United States and such person is eligible to subscribe for the Rights Equity Shares under applicable securities laws and is complying with laws of jurisdictions applicable to such person in connection with the Issue; or (iii) where either a registered Indian address is not provided or where our Bank believes acceptance of such Application Form may infringe applicable legal or regulatory requirements; and our Bank shall not be bound to issue or allot any Rights Equity Shares in respect of any such Application Form.

NO OFFER IN THE UNITED STATES: THE RIGHTS ENTITLEMENTS AND THE RIGHTS EQUITY SHARES HAVE NOT BEEN, AND WILL NOT BE, REGISTERED UNDER THE UNITED STATES SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED (THE "U.S. SECURITIES ACT") AND MAY NOT BE OFFERED OR SOLD WITHIN THE UNITED STATES, EXCEPT PURSUANT TO AN EXEMPTION FROM, OR IN A TRANSACTION NOT SUBJECT TO, THE REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS OF THE U.S. SECURITIES ACT AND APPLICABLE STATE SECURITIES LAWS. ACCORDINGLY, THE RIGHTS ENTITLEMENTS (INCLUDING THEIR CREDIT) AND THE RIGHTS EQUITY SHARES ARE ONLY BEING OFFERED AND SOLD OUTSIDE THE UNITED STATES IN "OFFSHORE TRANSACTIONS" AS DEFINED IN AND IN RELIANCE ON REGULATION S UNDER THE U.S. SECURITIES ACT TO ELIGIBLE EQUITY SHAREHOLDERS LOCATED IN JURISDICTIONS WHERE SUCH OFFER AND SALE IS PERMITTED UNDER THE LAWS OF SUCH JURISDICTIONS. THE OFFERING TO WHICH THE LETTER OF OFFER RELATES IS NOT, AND UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES IS TO BE CONSTRUED AS, AN OFFERING OF ANY RIGHTS ENTITLEMENTS OR RIGHTS EQUITY SHARES FOR SALE IN THE UNITED STATES OR AS A SOLICITATION THEREIN OF AN OFFER TO BUY ANY OF THE SAID SECURITIES. ACCORDINGLY, YOU SHOULD NOT FORWARD OR TRANSMIT THE LETTER OF OFFER INTO THE UNITED STATES AT ANY TIME.

Neither our Bank, nor any person acting on behalf of our Bank, will accept a subscription or renunciation from any person, or the agent of any person, who appears to be, or who our Bank, or any person acting on behalf of our Bank, has reason to believe is, in the United States when the buy order is made. No Application Form should be postmarked in the United States or otherwise dispatched from the United States or any other jurisdiction where it would be illegal to make an offer under the Letter of Offer or where any action would be required to be taken to permit the Issue. Our Bank is undertaking this Issue on a rights basis to the Eligible Equity Shareholders and will dispatch the Letter of Offer or the Abridged Letter of Offer and Application Form only to Eligible Equity Shareholders who have provided an Indian address to our Bank. Any person who acquires Rights Entitlements or Rights Equity Shares will be deemed to have represented, warranted and agreed, by accepting the delivery of the Letter of Offer, that it is not and that at the time of subscribing for the Rights Equity Shares or the Rights Entitlements, it will not be, in the United States and is authorized to acquire the Rights Entitlement and the Rights Equity Shares in compliance with all applicable laws and regulations.

LAST DATE FOR APPLICATION: The last date for submission of the duly filled in the Application Form or a plain paper Application is Wednesday, March 20, 2024, i.e., Issue Closing Date. Our Board or any committee thereof may extend the said date for such period as it may determine from time to time, subject to the Issue Period not exceeding 30 days from the Issue Opening Date (inclusive of the Issue Opening Date).

If the Application Form is not submitted with an SCSB, uploaded with the Stock Exchanges and the Application Money is not blocked with the SCSB, on or before the Issue Closing Date or such date as may be extended by our Board or any committee thereof, the invitation to offer contained in the Letter of Offer shall be deemed to have been declined and our Board or any committee thereof shall be at liberty to dispose of the Equity Shares hereby offered, as set out in "Basis of Allotment" on page 294 of the LOF. Please note that on the Issue Closing Date, Applications through ASBA process will be uploaded until 5.00 p.m. (Indian Standard Time) or such extended time as permitted by the Stock Exchanges.

ALLOTMENT ONLY IN DEMATERIALIZED FORM: Please note that in accordance with Regulation 77A of the SEBI ICDR Regulations read with the SEBI ICDR Master Circular, the credit of Rights Entitlements and Allotment of Rights Equity Shares shall be made in dematerialised form only. Accordingly, Eligible Equity Shareholders holding Equity Shares in physical form as on Record Date and desirous of subscribing to Rights Equity Shares in this Issue are advised to furnish the details of their demat account to the Registrar or our Company at least two clear Working Days prior to the Issue Closing Date i.e. Monday, March 18, 2024, to enable the credit of their Rights Entitlements in their respective demat accounts at least one day before the Issue Closing Date i.e., Tuesday, March 19, 2024. Prior to the Issue Opening Date, the Rights Entitlements of those Eligible Equity Shareholders, among others, who hold Equity Shares in physical form, and/or whose demat account details are not available with our Company or the Registrar, shall be credited in the Demat Suspense Account opened by the Company. Such resident Eligible Equity Shareholders must check the procedure for application by physical shareholders in the section entitled, "Terms of the Issue - Making of an Application by Eligible Equity Shareholders holding Equity Shares in physical form" and "Terms of the Issue - Allotment Advice or Refund/Unblocking of ASBA accounts" beginning on pages 278 and 295 of the Letter of Offer.

Please note that our Bank has opened a separate demat suspense escrow account (namely, "LIPLI SIB Rights Escrow Demat Account") ("Demat Suspense Account") and would credit Rights Entitlements on the basis of the Equity Shares: (a) held by Eligible Equity Shareholders which are held in physical form as on Record Date; or (b) which are held in the account of the Investor Education and Protection Fund ("IEPF") authority; or (c) of the Eligible Equity Shareholder whose demat accounts are frozen or where the Equity Shares are lying in the unclaimed suspense account / demat suspense account (including those pursuant to Regulation 39 of the SEBI Listing Regulations) or details of which are unavailable with our Bank or with the Registrar on the Record Date or where Equity Shares have been kept in abeyance or where entitlement certificate has been issued or where instruction has been issued for stopping issue or transfer or where letter of confirmation lying in escrow account; or (d) where credit of the Rights Entitlements have returned/reversed/failed for any reason; or (e) where ownership is currently under dispute, including any court or regulatory proceedings or where legal notices have been issued, if any. Please also note that our Bank has credited Rights Entitlements to the Demat Suspense Account on the basis of information available with our Bank and to serve the interest of relevant Eligible Equity Shareholders to provide them with a reasonable opportunity to participate in the Issue. The credit of the Rights Entitlements to the Demat Suspense Account by our Bank does not create any right in favour of the relevant Eligible Equity Shareholders for transfer of Rights Entitlement to their demat account or to receive any Equity Shares in the Issue.

INVESTORS MAY PLEASE NOTE THAT THE EQUITY SHARES CAN BE TRADED ON THE STOCK EXCHANGES ONLY IN DEMATERIALIZED FORM.

LISTING: The existing Equity Shares are listed on BSE Limited ("BSE") and National Stock Exchange of India Limited ("NSE"), and together with BSE, the "Stock Exchanges". Our Bank has received the "in-principle" approvals from BSE and NSE for listing the Rights Equity Shares to be allotted pursuant to the Issue through their letters dated February 14, 2024. Our Company will also make applications to BSE and NSE to obtain trading approvals for the Rights Entitlements as required under the SEBI ICDR Master Circular. For the purposes of the Issue, the Designated Stock Exchange is BSE.

DISCLAIMER CLAUSE OF SEBI: Submission of the LOF to SEBI should not in any way be deemed or construed that SEBI has cleared or approved the LOF. Investors are advised to refer to the full text of the "Disclaimer Clause of SEBI" beginning on page 267 of the LOF.

DISCLAIMER CLAUSE OF BSE (Designated Stock Exchange): It is to be distinctly understood that the permission given by BSE Limited should not, in anyway, be deemed or construed that the Letter of Offer has been cleared or approved by BSE Limited; nor does it certify the correctness or completeness of any of the contents of the Letter of Offer. Investors are advised to refer to the Letter of Offer for the full text of the "Disclaimer Clause of BSE" beginning on page 270 of the LOF.

DISCLAIMER CLAUSE OF NSE: It is to be distinctly understood that the permission given by NSE should not in any way be deemed or construed that the Letter of Offer has been cleared or approved by NSE nor does it certify the correctness or completeness of any of the contents of the Letter of Offer. Investors are advised to refer to the Letter of Offer for the full text of the "Disclaimer clause of NSE" on page 270 of the LOF.

ALLOTMENT ACCOUNT BANKS: The South Indian Bank Limited

BANKERS TO THE ISSUE: The South Indian Bank Limited

DISPATCH AND AVAILABILITY OF ISSUE MATERIALS: In accordance with the SEBI ICDR Regulations and the SEBI ICDR Master Circular, The Letter of Offer, The Abridged Letter of Offer, the Application Form, the Rights Entitlement Letter and other Issue material will be sent/ dispatched only to the Eligible Equity Shareholders who have provided their Indian address to our Bank and who are located in jurisdictions where the offer and sale of the Rights Entitlement or Rights Equity Shares is permitted under laws of such jurisdiction and does not result in and may not be construed as, a public offering in such jurisdictions. In case such Eligible Equity Shareholders have provided their valid e-mail address, the Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Application Form, the Rights Entitlement Letter and other Issue material will be sent only to their valid e-mail address and in case such Eligible Equity Shareholders have not provided their e-mail address, then the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Application Form, the Rights Entitlement Letter and other Issue material will be physically dispatched, on a reasonable effort basis, to the Indian addresses provided by them. Further, the Letter of Offer will be sent/ dispatched to the Eligible Equity Shareholders who have provided Indian address and who have made a request in this regard. In accordance with the above, the dispatch of the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Rights Entitlement Letter along with the Application Form has been completed on March 1, 2024 by the Registrar to the Issue.

Eligible Equity Shareholders can also obtain the details of their respective Rights Entitlements from the website of the Registrar (i.e. www.linkintime.co.in) by entering their DP ID and Client ID or folio number (for Eligible Equity Shareholders who hold Equity Shares in physical form as at Record Date) and PAN. The link for the same shall also be available on the website of our Bank (i.e., www.southindianbank.com).

Further, our Bank along with the Lead Manager will undertake all adequate steps to reach out the Eligible Equity Shareholders who have provided their Indian address through other means, as may be feasible. Neither our Bank nor the Registrar nor the Lead Manager shall be responsible for not sending the physical copies of Issue materials, including the Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Rights Entitlement Letter and the Application Form or delay in the receipt of the Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Rights Entitlement Letter or the Application Form attributable to non-availability of the e-mail addresses of Eligible Equity Shareholders or electronic transmission delays or failures, or if the Application Forms or the Rights Entitlement Letters are delayed or misplaced in the transit.

Investors can access the Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer and the Application Form (provided that the Eligible Equity Shareholder is eligible to subscribe for the Rights Equity Shares under applicable laws) on the websites of: (i) our Bank at www.southindianbank.com; (ii) the Registrar at www.linkintime.co.in; (iii) the Lead Manager at www.iifcap.com; (iv) the Stock Exchanges at www.bseindia.com and www.nseindia.com.

The Investors can visit following links for the below-mentioned purposes: a) Frequently asked questions and online/ electronic dedicated investor helpdesk for guidance on the Application process and resolution of difficulties faced by the Investors: <https://linkintime.co.in/contact-us.html> b) Update of Indian address/ e-mail address/ phone or mobile number in the records maintained by the Registrar or our Bank: <https://linkintime.co.in/contact-us.html> or sib.rights2024@linkintime.co.in c) Update of demat account details by Eligible Equity Shareholders holding shares in physical form: www.linkintime.com d) Submission of self-attested PAN, client master sheet and demat account details by non-resident Eligible Equity Shareholders: sib.rights2024@linkintime.co.in or <https://linkintime.co.in/contact-us.html>

The LOF is also available on the website of SEBI at www.sebi.gov.in.

LEAD MANAGER TO THE ISSUE	REGISTRAR TO THE ISSUE	COMPANY SECRETARY AND COMPLIANCE OFFICER
<p>IIFL Securities Limited 24th Floor, One Lodha Place, Senapati Bapat Marg, Lower Parel (West), Mumbai - 400 013, Maharashtra, India. Tel: (+ 91 22) 4646 4728 E-mail: sib.rights@iifcap.com Investor Grievance ID: ig.lib@iifcap.com Website: www.iifcap.com Contact Person: Pawan Kumar Jain / Mukesh Garg SEBI Registration No.: INM00010940</p>	<p>Link Intime India Private Limited C-101, 1st Floor, 247 Park, Lal Bahadur Shastri Marg, Vikhroli (West), Mumbai - 400 083, Maharashtra, India. Tel: +91 810 811 4949 E-mail: sib.rights2024@linkintime.co.in Investor Grievance E-mail: sib.rights2024@linkintime.co.in Website: www.linkintime.co.in Contact Person: Ms. Shanti Gopalkrishnan SEBI Registration No.: INR000004058</p>	<p>Mr. Jimmy Mathew SIB House, Mission Quarters, T.B. Road, Thrissur - 680 001, Kerala, India. Telephone: + 91 487 2420020/ 2429333 Facsimile: + 91 487 2442021; E-mail: ho2006@sib.co.in Investor Grievance ID: risib@sib.co.in</p> <p>Investors may contact the Registrar to the Issue or our Company Secretary and Compliance Officer for any pre-Issue or post-Issue related matters. All grievances relating to the ASBA process may be addressed to the Registrar to the Issue, with a copy to the SCSB (in case of ASBA process), giving full details such as name, address of the Applicant, contact number(s), e-mail address of the sole/ first holder, folio number or demat account, number of Rights Equity Shares applied for, amount blocked (in case of ASBA process), ASBA Account number and the Designated Branch of the SCSB where the Application Forms, or the plain paper application, as the case may be, was submitted by the Investors along with a photocopy of the acknowledgement slip (in case of ASBA process). For details on the ASBA process, please see "Terms of the Issue" on page 273 of the Letter of Offer.</p>

Place: Thrissur, Kerala
 Date: March 1, 2024

For The South Indian Bank Limited
 On behalf of the Board of Directors
 Sd/-
Mr. Jimmy Mathew
 Company Secretary and Compliance Officer

Disclaimer: The South Indian Bank Limited is proposing, subject to applicable statutory and regulatory requirements, receipt of requisite approvals, market conditions and other considerations, a rights issue of its Equity Shares and has filed the LOF with SEBI and Stock Exchanges on February 22, 2024. The LOF is available on the website of SEBI at www.sebi.gov.in, the Stock Exchanges, i.e., National Stock Exchange of India Limited at www.bseindia.com, BSE Limited at www.bseindia.com, website of the Bank at www.southindianbank.com and the website of the Lead Manager to the Issue, i.e., IIFL Securities Limited at www.iifcap.com. Investors should note that investment in equity shares involves a high degree of risk and for details relating to such risk, please see the section titled "Risk Factors" beginning on page 17 of the LOF.

This announcement does not constitute an offer of securities for sale in any jurisdiction, including the United States. The Rights Entitlements and the Rights Equity Shares have not been, and will not be, registered under the United States Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "U.S. Securities Act") and may not be offered or sold within the United States, except pursuant to an exemption from, or in a transaction not subject to, the registration requirements of the U.S. Securities Act and applicable state securities laws. Accordingly, the Rights Entitlements (including their credit) and the Rights Equity Shares are only being offered and sold outside the United States in "offshore transactions" as defined in and in reliance on Regulation S under the U.S. Securities Act and the applicable laws of the jurisdiction where those offers and sales occur. There will be no public offering in the United States.

This is only an advertisement for information purposes only and it is not for publication, distribution or release directly or indirectly outside India. This is not an announcement for an offer document. All capitalized terms used and not defined herein shall have the meaning assigned to them in the letter of offer dated February 21, 2024 (the "Letter of Offer" or "LOF") filed with the BSE Limited ("BSE") and the National Stock Exchange of India Limited ("NSE"), and together with BSE, "Stock Exchanges") and the Securities and Exchange Board of India ("SEBI").



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The South Indian Bank Limited

Our Bank was incorporated at Thrissur as "The South Indian Bank Limited" on January 25, 1929 under the Indian Companies Act, 1913. For details of changes in registered office of our Bank, see "General Information" on page 43 of the LOF.
Registered and Corporate Office: SIB House, Mission Quarters, T.B. Road, Thrissur - 680 001, Kerala, India; Tel: + 91 487 2420 020/ 2429 333; **Contact Person:** Mr. Jimmy Mathew, Company Secretary and Compliance Officer
E-mail: ho2006@sib.co.in; **Website:** www.southindianbank.com; **Corporate Identity Number:** L65191KL1929PLC001017

OUR BANK IS A PROFESSIONALLY MANAGED COMPANY AND DOES NOT HAVE A PROMOTER IN TERMS OF THE SEBI ICDR REGULATIONS OR THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013

FOR PRIVATE CIRCULATION TO THE ELIGIBLE EQUITY SHAREHOLDERS OF THE SOUTH INDIAN BANK LIMITED (THE "BANK" OR THE "ISSUER") ONLY

ISSUE OF UP TO 52,31,85,254 EQUITY SHARES OF FACE VALUE OF ₹1 EACH OF OUR BANK (THE "RIGHTS EQUITY SHARES") FOR CASH AT A PRICE OF ₹22 PER RIGHTS EQUITY SHARE (INCLUDING A PREMIUM OF ₹21 PER RIGHTS EQUITY SHARE) AGGREGATING UP TO ₹1151.01 CRORE* ON A RIGHTS BASIS TO THE ELIGIBLE EQUITY SHAREHOLDERS OF OUR BANK IN THE RATIO OF 1 RIGHTS EQUITY SHARES FOR EVERY 4 FULLY PAID-UP EQUITY SHARES HELD BY THE ELIGIBLE EQUITY SHAREHOLDERS ON THE RECORD DATE, THAT IS ON TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2024 ("RECORD DATE") (THE "ISSUE"). FOR FURTHER DETAILS, SEE "Terms of the Issue" ON PAGE 273 OF THE LOF.

*Assuming full subscription with respect to Rights Equity Shares

NOTICE TO THE ELIGIBLE EQUITY SHAREHOLDERS OF THE COMPANY

**ISSUE OPENS ON:
WEDNESDAY,
MARCH 6, 2024**

**LAST DATE FOR ON
MARKET RENUNCIATION*
THURSDAY, MARCH 14, 2024**

ISSUE CLOSURES ON
WEDNESDAY,
MARCH 20, 2024**

*Eligible Equity Shareholders are requested to ensure that renunciation through off-market transfer is completed in such a manner that the Rights Entitlements are credited to the demat accounts of the Renounees on or prior to the Issue Closing Date.

**Our Board or the Capital Planning and Infusion Committee will have the right to extend the Issue Period as it may determine from time to time but not exceeding 30 days from the Issue Opening Date (inclusive of the Issue Opening Date). Further, no withdrawal of Application shall be permitted by any Applicant after the Issue Closing Date.

ASBA*

Simple, Safe, Smart way of making an application - Make use of it!!!

*Applications supported by blocked amount (ASBA) is a better way of applying to issues by simply blocking the fund in the bank account. For further details, check section on ASBA below.

Facilities for Application in this Issue

(i) ASBA Facility:

In accordance with Regulation 76 of the SEBI ICDR Regulations, the SEBI ICDR Master Circular and the ASBA Circulars, all Investors desiring to make an Application in this Issue are mandatorily required to use the ASBA process. Investors should carefully read the provisions applicable to such Applications before making their Application through ASBA. For details refer to "Terms of the Issue - Making of an Application through the ASBA process" on page 276 of the LOF.

Please note that subject to SCSBs complying with the requirements of the SEBI circular bearing reference number CIR/CFD/DIL/13/2012 dated September 25, 2012, within the periods stipulated therein, Applications may be submitted at the Designated Branches of the SCSBs. Further, in terms of the SEBI circular bearing reference number CIR/CFD/DIL/1/2013 dated January 2, 2013, it is clarified that for making Applications by SCSBs on their own account using ASBA facility, each such SCSB should have a separate account in its own name with any other SEBI registered SCSB(s). Such account shall be used solely for the purpose of making an Application in this Issue and clear demarcated funds should be available in such account for such an Application.

CREDIT OF RIGHTS ENTITLEMENTS IN DEMAT ACCOUNTS OF ELIGIBLE EQUITY SHAREHOLDERS

Pursuant to provisions of the SEBI ICDR Regulations and the SEBI ICDR Master Circular and in terms of the Letter of Offer, the Rights Entitlements of the Eligible Equity Shareholders will be credited in their respective demat account and shall be admitted for trading on the Stock Exchanges under the ISIN: INE683A20015 subject to requisite approvals. For details of credit of the Rights Entitlements, see "Terms of the Issue - Credit of Rights Entitlements in demat accounts of Eligible Equity Shareholders" on page 286 of the Letter of Offer, whose Rights Entitlements are credited in demat suspense escrow account opened by the Company.

In accordance with Regulation 77A of the SEBI ICDR Regulations read with the SEBI ICDR Master Circular, the credit of Rights Entitlements and Allotment of Rights Equity Shares shall be made in dematerialized form only.

Eligible Equity Shareholders are requested to provide relevant details (such as copies of self-attested PAN and client master sheet of demat account etc., details/ records confirming the legal and beneficial ownership of their respective Equity Shares) to our Bank or the Registrar not later than two clear Working Days prior to the Issue Closing Date, i.e., by Monday, March 18, 2024 to enable the credit of their Rights Entitlements by way of transfer from the demat suspense account to their demat account at least one day before the Issue Closing Date, to enable such Eligible Equity Shareholders to make an application in this Issue, and this communication shall serve as an intimation to such Eligible Equity Shareholders in this regard. Such Eligible Equity Shareholders are also requested to ensure that their demat account, details of which have been provided to our Bank or the Registrar account is active to facilitate the aforementioned transfer. In the event that the Eligible Equity Shareholders are not able to provide relevant details to our Company or the Registrar by the end of two clear Working Days prior to the Issue Closing Date, Rights Entitlements credited to the Demat Suspense Account shall lapse and extinguish in due course and such Eligible Equity Shareholder shall not have any claim against our Company and our Company shall not be liable to any such Eligible Equity Shareholder in any form or manner.

Eligible Equity Shareholders holding Equity shares in physical form, can update the details of their respective demat accounts on the website of the Registrar (i.e. https://linkintime.co.in/EmailReg/Email_Register.html). Such Eligible Equity Shareholders can make an Application only after the Rights Entitlements is credited to their respective demat accounts.

PLEASE NOTE THAT CREDIT OF THE RIGHTS ENTITLEMENTS IN THE DEMAT ACCOUNT DOES NOT PER SE, ENTITLE THE INVESTORS TO THE RIGHTS EQUITY SHARES AND THE INVESTORS HAVE TO SUBMIT APPLICATION FOR THE RIGHTS EQUITY SHARES ON OR BEFORE THE ISSUE CLOSING DATE AND MAKE PAYMENT OF THE APPLICATION MONEY. FOR DETAILS, PLEASE SEE THE SECTION ENTITLED "TERMS OF THE ISSUE - PROCESS OF MAKING AN APPLICATION IN THE ISSUE" ON PAGE 275 OF THE LETTER OF OFFER.

APPLICATIONS SUPPORTED BY BLOCKED AMOUNT (ASBA):

An Investor, wishing to participate in this Issue through the ASBA facility, is required to have an ASBA enabled bank account with SCSBs, prior to making the Application. Investors desiring to make an Application in this Issue through ASBA process, may submit the Application Form in physical mode to the Designated Branches of the SCSB or online/ electronic Application through the website of the SCSBs (if made available by such SCSB) for authorising such SCSB to block Application Money payable on the Application in their respective ASBA Accounts. Investors should ensure that they have correctly submitted the Application Form and have provided an authorisation to the SCSB, via the electronic mode, for blocking funds in the ASBA Account equivalent to the Application Money mentioned in the Application Form, as the case may be, at the time of submission of the Application. For the list of banks which have been notified by SEBI to act as SCSBs for the ASBA process, please refer to <https://www.sebi.gov.in/sebiweb/other/OtherAction.do?doRecognisedFpi=yes&intmid=34>.

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE RIGHTS EQUITY SHARES APPLIED FOR IN THE ISSUE CAN BE ALLOTTED ONLY IN DEMATERIALIZED FORM AND TO THE SAME DEPOSITORY ACCOUNT IN WHICH OUR EQUITY SHARES ARE HELD BY SUCH INVESTOR ON THE RECORD DATE.

APPLICATION ON PLAIN PAPER: An Eligible Equity Shareholder in India who is eligible to apply under the ASBA process may make an Application to subscribe to this Issue on plain paper in case of non-receipt of Application Form as detailed above. In such cases of non-receipt of the Application Form through physical delivery (where applicable) and the Eligible Equity Shareholder not being in a position to obtain it from any other source may make an Application to subscribe to this Issue on plain paper with the same details as per the Application Form that is available on the website of the Registrar, Stock Exchanges or the Lead Manager. An Eligible Equity Shareholder shall submit the plain paper Application to the Designated Branch of the SCSB for authorising such SCSB to block Application Money in the said bank account maintained with the same SCSB. Applications on plain paper will not be accepted from any Eligible Equity Shareholder who has not provided an Indian address.

Additionally, in terms of Regulation 78 of the SEBI ICDR Regulations, Investors may choose to accept the offer to participate in this Issue by making plain paper Applications. Please note that SCSBs shall accept such applications only if all details required for making the application as per the SEBI ICDR Regulations are specified in the plain paper application. If an Eligible Equity Shareholder makes an Application both in an Application Form as well as on plain paper, both applications are liable to be rejected. Please note that in terms of Regulation 78 of the SEBI ICDR Regulations, the Eligible Equity Shareholders who are making the Application on plain paper shall not be entitled to renounce their Rights Entitlements and should not utilise the Application Form for any purpose including renunciation even if it is received subsequently.

The Application on plain paper, duly signed by the Eligible Equity Shareholder including joint holders, in the same order and as per specimen recorded with his/her bank, must reach the office of the Designated Branch of the SCSB before the Issue Closing Date and should contain the following particulars:

1. Name of our Bank, being "The South Indian Bank Limited"; 2. Name and address of the Eligible Equity Shareholder including joint holders (in the same order and as per specimen recorded with our Bank or the Depository); 3. Folio number (in case of Eligible Equity Shareholders who hold Equity Shares in physical form as at Record Date)/DP and Client ID; 4. Except for Applications on behalf of the Central or State Government, the residents of Sikkim and the officials appointed by the courts, PAN of the Eligible Equity Shareholder and for each Eligible Equity Shareholder in case of joint names, irrespective of the total value of the Rights Equity Shares applied for pursuant to this Issue; 5. Number of Rights Equity Shares held as at Record Date; 6. Allotment option - only dematerialised form; 7. Number of Rights Equity Shares entitled to; 8. Number of Rights Equity Shares applied for within the Rights Entitlements; 9. Number of Additional Rights Equity Shares applied for, if any (applicable only if entire Rights Entitlements have been applied for); 10. Total number of Rights Equity Shares applied for; 11. Total amount paid at the rate of ₹22 per Rights Equity Share; 12. Details of the ASBA Account such as the SCSB account number, name, address and branch of the relevant SCSB; 13. In case of non-resident Eligible Equity Shareholders making an application with an Indian address, details of the NRE/ FCNR/ NRO account such as the account number, name, address and branch of the SCSB with which the account is maintained; 14. Authorisation to the Designated Branch of the SCSB to block an amount equivalent to the Application Money in the ASBA Account; 15. Signature of the Eligible Equity Shareholder (in case of joint holders, to appear in the same sequence and order as they appear in the records of the SCSB); 16. An approval obtained from any regulatory authority, if required, shall be obtained by the Eligible Equity Shareholders and a copy of such approval from any regulatory authority, if required, as may be required, shall be sent to the Registrar at sib.rights2024@linkintime.co.in; and 17. All such Eligible Equity Shareholders shall be deemed to have made the representations, warranties and agreements set forth in "Restrictions on Purchases and Resales" on page 302 of the LOF, and shall include the following:

"I/ We understand that neither the Rights Entitlements nor the Rights Equity Shares have been, or will be, registered under the U.S. Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "U.S. Securities Act"), or any United States state securities laws, and may not be offered, sold, resold or otherwise transferred within the United States or to the territories or possessions thereof (the "United States"), except pursuant to an exemption from, or in a transaction not subject to, the registration requirements of the U.S. Securities Act. I/ We understand the Rights Equity Shares referred to in this application are being offered and sold in offshore transactions outside the United States in compliance with Regulation S under the U.S. Securities Act ("Regulation S") to Eligible Equity Shareholders located in jurisdictions where such offer and sale of the Rights Equity Shares is permitted under laws of such jurisdictions. I/ We understand that the Issue is not, and under no circumstances is to be construed as, an offering of any Rights Equity Shares or Rights Entitlements (for sale in the United States, or as a solicitation therein of an offer to buy any of the said Rights Equity Shares or Rights Entitlements in the United States). I/ We confirm that I am/ we are (a) not in the United States and eligible to subscribe for the Rights Equity Shares under applicable securities laws, (b) complying with laws of jurisdictions applicable to such person in connection with the Issue, and (c) understand that neither the Bank, nor the Registrar, the Lead Manager or any other person acting on behalf of the Bank will accept subscriptions from any person, who appears to be, or who the Bank, the Registrar, the Lead Manager or any other person acting on behalf of the Bank have reason to believe is in the United States or is outside of India and ineligible to participate in this Issue under the securities laws of their jurisdiction.

I/ We will not offer, sell or otherwise transfer any of the Rights Equity Shares which may be acquired by us in any jurisdiction or under any circumstances in which such offer or sale is not authorized or to any person to whom it is unlawful to make such offer, sale or invitation. I/ We satisfy, and each account for which I/ we are acting satisfies, (a) all suitability standards for investors in investments of the type subscribed for herein imposed by the jurisdiction of my/our residence, and (b) is eligible to subscribe and is subscribing for the Rights Equity Shares and Rights Entitlements in compliance with applicable securities and other laws of our jurisdiction of residence.

I/ we hereby make the representations, warranties, acknowledgments and agreements set forth in the section of the Letter of Offer titled "Restrictions on Purchases and Resales" on page 302 of the LOF.

I/ We understand and agree that the Rights Entitlements and Rights Equity Shares may not be reoffered, resold, pledged or otherwise transferred except in an offshore transaction in compliance with Regulations S, or otherwise pursuant to an exemption from, or in a transaction not subject to, the registration requirements of the U.S. Securities Act.

I/ We acknowledge that we, the Lead Manager, our affiliates and others will rely upon the truth and accuracy of the foregoing representations and agreements."

OVERSEAS SHAREHOLDERS: The Abridged Letter of Offer, the Application Form, the Rights Entitlement Letter and any other material relating to the Issue (collectively, the "Issue Materials") will be sent/ dispatched only to the Eligible Equity Shareholders who have provided an Indian address to our Bank. In case such Eligible Equity Shareholders have provided their valid e-mail address to us, the Issue Materials will be sent only to their valid e-mail address and in case such Eligible Equity Shareholders have not provided their e-mail address, then the Issue Material will be physically dispatched, on a reasonable effort basis, to the Indian addresses provided by them. Those overseas shareholders who do not update our records with their Indian address or the address of their duly authorised representative in India, prior to the date on which we propose to dispatch the Issue Materials, shall not be sent the Issue Materials.

Our Bank, in consultation with the Lead Manager, reserves the right to treat as invalid any Application Form which: (i) appears to our Bank or its agents to have been executed in, electronically transmitted from or dispatched from the United States or jurisdictions where the offer and sale of the Rights Equity Shares is not permitted under laws of such jurisdictions; (ii) does not include the relevant certifications set out in the Application Form, including to the effect that the person submitting and/or renouncing the Application Form is outside the United States and such person is eligible to subscribe for the Rights Equity Shares under applicable securities laws and is complying with laws of jurisdictions applicable to such person in connection with the Issue; or (iii) where either a registered Indian address is not provided or where our Bank believes acceptance of such Application Form may infringe applicable legal or regulatory requirements; and our Bank shall not be bound to issue or allot any Rights Equity Shares in respect of any such Application Form.

NO OFFER IN THE UNITED STATES: THE RIGHTS ENTITLEMENTS AND THE RIGHTS EQUITY SHARES HAVE NOT BEEN, AND WILL NOT BE, REGISTERED UNDER THE UNITED STATES SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED (THE "U.S. SECURITIES ACT") AND MAY NOT BE OFFERED OR SOLD WITHIN THE UNITED STATES, EXCEPT PURSUANT TO AN EXEMPTION FROM, OR IN A TRANSACTION NOT SUBJECT TO, THE REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS OF THE U.S. SECURITIES ACT AND APPLICABLE STATE SECURITIES LAWS. ACCORDINGLY, THE RIGHTS ENTITLEMENTS (INCLUDING THEIR CREDIT) AND THE RIGHTS EQUITY SHARES ARE ONLY BEING OFFERED AND SOLD OUTSIDE THE UNITED STATES IN "OFFSHORE TRANSACTIONS" AS DEFINED IN AND IN RELIANCE ON REGULATION S UNDER THE U.S. SECURITIES ACT TO ELIGIBLE EQUITY SHAREHOLDERS LOCATED IN JURISDICTIONS WHERE SUCH OFFER AND SALE IS PERMITTED UNDER THE LAWS OF SUCH JURISDICTIONS. THE OFFERING TO WHICH THE LETTER OF OFFER RELATES IS NOT, AND UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES IS TO BE CONSTRUED AS, AN OFFERING OF ANY RIGHTS ENTITLEMENTS OR RIGHTS EQUITY SHARES FOR SALE IN THE UNITED STATES OR AS A SOLICITATION THEREIN OF AN OFFER TO BUY ANY OF THE SAID SECURITIES. ACCORDINGLY, YOU SHOULD NOT FORWARD OR TRANSMIT THE LETTER OF OFFER INTO THE UNITED STATES AT ANY TIME.

Neither our Bank, nor any person acting on behalf of our Bank, will accept a subscription or renunciation from any person, or the agent of any person, who appears to be, or who our Bank, or any person acting on behalf of our Bank, has reason to believe is, in the United States when the buy order is made. No Application Form should be postmarked in the United States or otherwise dispatched from the United States or any other jurisdiction where it would be illegal to make an offer under the Letter of Offer or where any action would be required to be taken to permit the Issue. Our Bank is undertaking this Issue on a rights basis to the Eligible Equity Shareholders and will dispatch the Letter of Offer or the Abridged Letter of Offer and Application Form only to Eligible Equity Shareholders who have provided an Indian address to our Bank. Any person who acquires Rights Entitlements or Rights Equity Shares will be deemed to have represented, warranted and agreed, by accepting the delivery of the Letter of Offer, that it is not and that at the time of subscribing for the Rights Equity Shares or the Rights Entitlements, it will not be, in the United States and is authorized to acquire the Rights Entitlement and the Rights Equity Shares in compliance with all applicable laws and regulations.

LAST DATE FOR APPLICATION: The last date for submission of the duly filled in the Application Form or a plain paper Application is Wednesday, March 20, 2024, i.e., Issue Closing Date. Our Board or any committee thereof may extend the said date for such period as it may determine from time to time, subject to the Issue Period not exceeding 30 days from the Issue Opening Date (inclusive of the Issue Opening Date).

If the Application Form is not submitted with an SCSB, uploaded with the Stock Exchanges and the Application Money is not blocked with the SCSB, on or before the Issue Closing Date or such date as may be extended by our Board or any committee thereof, the invitation to offer contained in the Letter of Offer shall be deemed to have been declined and our Board or any committee thereof shall be at liberty to dispose of the Equity Shares hereby offered, as set out in "Basis of Allotment" on page 294 of the LOF. Please note that on the Issue Closing Date, Applications through ASBA process will be uploaded until 5.00 p.m. (Indian Standard Time) or such extended time as permitted by the Stock Exchanges.

ALLOTMENT ONLY IN DEMATERIALIZED FORM: Please note that in accordance with Regulation 77A of the SEBI ICDR Regulations read with the SEBI ICDR Master Circular, the credit of Rights Entitlements and Allotment of Rights Equity Shares shall be made in dematerialised form only. Accordingly, Eligible Equity Shareholders holding Equity Shares in physical form as on Record Date and desirous of subscribing to Rights Equity Shares in this Issue are advised to furnish the details of their demat account to the Registrar or our Company at least two clear Working Days prior to the Issue Closing Date i.e. Monday, March 18, 2024, to enable the credit of their Rights Entitlements in their respective demat accounts at least one day before the Issue Closing Date i.e., Tuesday, March 19, 2024. Prior to the Issue Opening Date, the Rights Entitlements of those Eligible Equity Shareholders, among others, who hold Equity Shares in physical form, and/or whose demat account details are not available with our Company or the Registrar, shall be credited in the Demat Suspense Account opened by the Company. Such resident Eligible Equity Shareholders must check the procedure for application by physical shareholders in the section entitled, "Terms of the Issue - Making of an Application by Eligible Equity Shareholders holding Equity Shares in physical form" and "Terms of the Issue - Allotment Advice or Refund/Unlocking of ASBA accounts" beginning on pages 278 and 295 of the Letter of Offer.

Please note that our Bank has opened a separate demat suspense escrow account (namely, "LIPL SIB Rights Escrow Demat Account") ("Demat Suspense Account") and would credit Rights Entitlements on the basis of the Equity Shares: (a) held by Eligible Equity Shareholders which are held in physical form as on Record Date; or (b) which are held in the account of the Investor Education and Protection Fund ("IEPF") authority; or (c) of the Eligible Equity Shareholder whose demat accounts are frozen or where the Equity Shares are lying in the unclaimed suspense account / demat suspense account (including those pursuant to Regulation 39 of the SEBI Listing Regulations) or details of which are unavailable with our Bank or with the Registrar on the Record Date or where Equity Shares have been kept in abeyance or where entitlement certificate has been issued or where instruction has been issued for stopping issue or transfer or where letter of confirmation lying in escrow account; or (d) where credit of the Rights Entitlements have returned/reversed/failed for any reason; or (e) where ownership is currently under dispute, including any court or regulatory proceedings or where legal notices have been issued, if any. Please also note that our Bank has credited Rights Entitlements to the Demat Suspense Account on the basis of information available with our Bank and to serve the interest of relevant Eligible Equity Shareholders to provide them with a reasonable opportunity to participate in the Issue. The credit of the Rights Entitlements to the Demat Suspense Account by our Bank does not create any right in favour of the relevant Eligible Equity Shareholders for transfer of Rights Entitlement to their demat account or to receive any Equity Shares in the Issue.

INVESTORS MAY PLEASE NOTE THAT THE EQUITY SHARES CAN BE TRADED ON THE STOCK EXCHANGES ONLY IN DEMATERIALIZED FORM.

LISTING: The existing Equity Shares are listed on BSE Limited ("BSE") and National Stock Exchange of India Limited ("NSE"), and together with BSE, the "Stock Exchanges". Our Bank has received the "in-principle" approvals from BSE and NSE for listing the Rights Equity Shares to be allotted pursuant to the Issue through their letters dated February 14, 2024. Our Company will also make applications to BSE and NSE to obtain trading approvals for the Rights Entitlements as required under the SEBI ICDR Master Circular. For the purposes of the Issue, the Designated Stock Exchange is BSE.

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ALLOTMENT ACCOUNT BANKS: The South Indian Bank Limited

BANKERS TO THE ISSUE: The South Indian Bank Limited

DISPATCH AND AVAILABILITY OF ISSUE MATERIALS: In accordance with the SEBI ICDR Regulations and the SEBI ICDR Master Circular, the Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Application Form, the Rights Entitlement Letter and other Issue material will be sent/ dispatched only to the Eligible Equity Shareholders who have provided their Indian address to our Bank and who are located in jurisdictions where the offer and sale of the Rights Entitlement or Rights Equity Shares is permitted under laws of such jurisdiction and does not result in and may not be construed as, a public offering in such jurisdictions. In case such Eligible Equity Shareholders have provided their valid e-mail address, the Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Application Form, the Rights Entitlement Letter and other Issue material will be sent only to their valid e-mail address and in case such Eligible Equity Shareholders have not provided their e-mail address, then the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Application Form, the Rights Entitlement Letter and other Issue material will be physically dispatched, on a reasonable effort basis, to the Indian addresses provided by them. Further, the Letter of Offer will be sent/ dispatched to the Eligible Equity Shareholders who have provided Indian address and who have made a request in this regard. In accordance with the above, the dispatch of the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Rights Entitlement Letter along with the Application Form has been completed on March 1, 2024 by the Registrar to the Issue.

Eligible Equity Shareholders can also obtain the details of their respective Rights Entitlements from the website of the Registrar (i.e. www.linkintime.co.in) by entering their DP ID and Client ID or folio number (for Eligible Equity Shareholders who hold Equity Shares in physical form as at Record Date) and PAN. The link for the same shall also be available on the website of our Bank (i.e., www.southindianbank.com).

Further, our Bank along with the Lead Manager will undertake all adequate steps to reach out the Eligible Equity Shareholders who have provided their Indian address through other means, as may be feasible. Neither our Bank nor the Registrar nor the Lead Manager shall be responsible for not sending the physical copies of Issue materials, including the Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Rights Entitlement Letter and the Application Form or delay in the receipt of the Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Rights Entitlement Letter or the Application Form attributable to non-availability of the e-mail addresses of Eligible Equity Shareholders or electronic transmission delays or failures, or if the Application Forms or the Rights Entitlement Letters are delayed or misplaced in the transit.

Investors can access the Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer and the Application Form (provided that the Eligible Equity Shareholder is eligible to subscribe for the Rights Equity Shares under applicable laws) on the websites of: (i) our Bank at www.southindianbank.com; (ii) the Registrar at www.linkintime.co.in; (iii) the Lead Manager at www.ifscap.com; (iv) the Stock Exchanges at www.bseindia.com and www.nseindia.com.

The Investors can visit following links for the below-mentioned purposes: a) Frequently asked questions and online/ electronic dedicated investor helpline for guidance on the Application process and resolution of difficulties faced by the Investors: <https://linkintime.co.in/contact-us.html> b) Update of Indian address/ e-mail address/ phone or mobile number in the records maintained by the Registrar or our Bank: <https://linkintime.co.in/contact-us.html> or sib.rights2024@linkintime.co.in c) Update of demat account details by Eligible Equity Shareholders holding shares in physical form: www.linkintime.com d) Submission of self-attested PAN, client master sheet and demat account details by non-resident Eligible Equity Shareholders: sib.rights2024@linkintime.co.in or <https://linkintime.co.in/contact-us.html>

The LOF is also available on the website of SEBI at www.sebi.gov.in.

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For The South Indian Bank Limited
 On behalf of the Board of Directors
 Sd/-

Mr. Jimmy Mathew
 Company Secretary and Compliance Officer

Place: Thrissur, Kerala
 Date: March 1, 2024

Disclaimer: The South Indian Bank Limited is proposing, subject to applicable statutory and regulatory requirements, receipt of requisite approvals, market conditions and other considerations, a rights issue of its Equity Shares and has filed the LOF with SEBI and Stock Exchanges on February 22, 2024. The LOF is available on the website of SEBI at www.sebi.gov.in, the Stock Exchanges, i.e., National Stock Exchange of India Limited at www.nseindia.com, BSE Limited at www.bseindia.com, website of the Bank at www.southindianbank.com and the website of the Lead Manager to the Issue, i.e., IIFL Securities Limited at www.ifscap.com. Investors should note that investment in equity shares involves a high degree of risk and for details relating to such risk, please see the section titled "Risk Factors" beginning on page 17 of the LOF.

This announcement does not constitute an offer of securities for sale in any jurisdiction, including the United States. The Rights Entitlements and the Rights Equity Shares have not been, and will not be, registered under the United States Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "U.S. Securities Act") and may not be offered or sold within the United States, except pursuant to an exemption from, or in a transaction not subject to, the registration requirements of the U.S. Securities Act and applicable state securities laws. Accordingly, the Rights Entitlements (including their credit) and the Rights Equity Shares are only being offered and sold outside the United States in "offshore transactions" as defined in and in reliance on Regulation S under the U.S. Securities Act and the applicable laws of the jurisdiction where those offers and sales occur. There will be no public offering in the United States.