



NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that 41st Annual General Meeting of the Members of Banaras Beads Limited will be held at Registered Office of the Company at A-1, Industrial Estate, Varanasi - 221106 on Tuesday the 27th July, 2021 at 3.00 P.M. through video conferencing ("VC"), to transact the following businesses:

ORDINARY BUSINESS:

Item No. 1 - Adoption of Financial Statement

To receive, consider and adopt the Audited Standalone Financial Statement of the Company for the year ended March 31, 2021 and the reports of the Board of Directors (the Board) and Auditors thereon.

Item No. 2 – Re-appointment of Director

To appoint a director in place of Shri Ashok Kumar Gupta (DIN: 00016661), who retires by rotation and being eligible, offers himself for reappointment as director.

SPECIAL BUSINESS:

Item No. 3: APPROVAL OF INCREMENT IN REMUNERATION OF MR. SIDDHARTH GUPTA, CEO & MANAGING DIRECTOR OF THE COMPANY:

To consider and if, thought fit to pass with or without modification(s), the following resolution as a Special Resolution:

"**RESOLVED THAT** pursuant to the recommendation of Nomination and Remuneration Committee & Audit Committee and pursuant to the provisions of Section 196, 197, 198, 201 and other applicable provisions, if any of the Companies Act, 2013 and companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014 (Including rules, notifications, any statutory modification, amendment or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force and as may be enacted from time to time) read with Schedule V of the said Act, and such other approvals, permissions and sanctions of such authorities and/or agencies as may be required in this regard and subject to the provisions of the Articles of Association of the Company, Mr. Siddharth Gupta (DIN 00342369) was appointed by members in its meeting held on 08.08.2019 as CEO & Managing Director from 01.02.2019 for further five years. Further the approval of the Members be and is hereby accorded to the revision in the remuneration of Mr. Siddharth Gupta (DIN 00342369), CEO & Managing Director of the Company w.e.f. 27.07.2021 for remaining tenure upto 31.01.2024 as under:

i) <u>SALARY:</u>

A salary of Rs. 2,25,000/= (Rupees Two lacs, twenty five thousands only) per month.

ii) PERQUISITES :

In addition to the above, the CEO and Managing Director shall be entitled to the following perquisites :

a. **<u>REIMBURSEMENT OF MEDICAL EXPENSES:</u>**

Reimbursement of actual medical expenses (including insurance premium for medical and hospitalisation policy, if any) incurred in India and abroad for self and family. The total cost of travel to and fro and also for the stay in the foreign country of the patient, an attendant and medical supervision, if required, shall be borne by the Company. For the above purpose, "Family" includes spouse, dependent children and parents.

b. PERSONAL ACCIDENT INSURANCE:

Personal accident insurance covers of an amount, the annual premium of which does not exceed Rs. 25,000.

c. CONTRIBUTION TO EMPLOYEE PROVIDENT FUND:

Contribution to Employee Provident Fund, as per Rules of the Company, to the extent these, either singly or put together, are not taxable under the Income Tax Act, 1961.

d. GRATUITY / CONTRIBUTION TO GRATUITY FUND

As per the Payment of Gratuity Act 1972 and including any amendment thereto.

e. ENCASHMENT OF LEAVE :

Encashment of leave at the end of the tenure.

f. <u>LEAVE TRAVEL CONCESSION</u> :

For the CEO and Managing Director and his family once in a year incurred in accordance with any rules specified by the Company.

Explanation: Family means the spouse, dependent children of the appointee.



g. USE OF CAR AND TELEPHONE:

Company maintained car with driver for use on Company's business, telephone / mobile phone etc at residence and cellular phone provided by the Company will not be considered as perquisite. However, personal long distance calls and use of car for private purposes shall be borne by the Director.

h. REIMBURSEMENT OF EXPENSES:

Reimbursement of entertainment, travelling including out of India and all other expenses incurred for the business of the Company, as per Rules of the Company.

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors and the Nomination and Remuneration Committee be and are hereby severally authorized to revise, amend, alter remuneration so as to not exceed the limits specified in Schedule V to the Companies Act, 2013, without any further reference to the shareholders in general meeting.

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT where in any financial year, during the tenure of Mr. Siddharth Gupta as CEO & Managing Director, the Company has no profits or its profits are inadequate, the Company will pay remuneration by way of salary, perquisites and allowances as specified above as minimum remuneration, subject to the limits and conditions prescribed under Schedule V of the Companies Act, 2013, as may be amended from time to time.

"FURTHER RESOLVED THAT Shri Ashok Kumar Gupta, Chairman & Managing Director and or Shri R.K. Singh, Company Secretary of the Company be and are hereby severally authorised to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things, as they may in their absolute discretion deem necessary, proper or desirable and settle any question, difficulty or doubt that may arise in the said regard."

4. To consider and if thought fit, to pass, with or without modification(s), the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of sections 188(1), 188(1)(f) of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Companies (Meeting of Board and Its Powers) Rules, 2014 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 including statutory modification(s) or reenactment thereof for the time being in force and as may be enacted from time to time and on the recommendation/approval of Nomination & Remuneration Committee, Audit Committee and the Board of Directors at their meeting held on 27th May, 2021, the consent of Members be and is hereby accorded to the appointment of Mrs. Shivani Gupta, holding office or place of profit, as General Manager-Marketing of the Company, wife of Shri Siddharth Gupta, CEO& Managing Director & daughter in Law of Shri Ashok Kumar Gupta, Chairman & Managing Director, w.e.f. 01st August, 2021 as detailed below:

• Salary: Rs 1,80,000/- (Rs. One Lac Eighty Thousands Only) P.M.

•Telephone: Mobile/Telephone, car facility as per the Company's rules.

•Leave encashment as per the Company's rules.

•Provident Fund: Company's contribution towards Provident.

•Gratuity: Payable at a rate not exceeding half a month's salary for each completed year of service as per Company's rules.

•Reimbursement of actual travelling domestic and international, boarding and lodging expenses and other amenities as may be incurred by her from time to time, in connection with the Company's business.

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Nomination & Remuneration Committee/Board of Directors has the liberty to alter and vary such remuneration in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013, to effect change in designation and responsibilities of Mrs. Shivani Gupta holding office or place of profit, within the maximum limit approved by the shareholders.

"FURTHER RESOLVED THAT Shri Ashok Kumar Gupta, Chairman & Managing Director and or Shri R.K. Singh, Company Secretary of the Company be and are hereby severally authorised to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things, as they may in their absolute discretion deem necessary, proper or desirable and settle any question, difficulty or doubt that may arise in the said regard."

By Order of the Board of Directors For BANARAS BEADS LIMITED,

Place : VARANASI Date : 27.05.2021

(R.K.SINGH) Company Secretary

NOTES:

In view of the COVID-19 pandemic, the Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) has vide General Circular No. 14/2020 dated April 8, 2020, General Circular No. 17/2020 dated April 13, 2020 General Circular No. 20/2020 dated May 5, 2020 and Circular no. 02/2021 dated January, 13, 2021 (collectively "MCA Circulars") and SEBI circular dated May 12, 2020, and Circular no. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD2/CIR/P/2020/11 dated January 15, 2021 permitted companies to conduct Annual General Meeting (AGM) through video conferencing (VC) or other audio visual means subject to compliance of various conditions mentioned therein. In compliance with the MCA Circulars and applicable provisions of Companies Act, 2013 and SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, the 41st AGM of the Company is being convened and conducted through VC.







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- The Company has enabled the Members to participate at the 41st AGM through the VC facility provided by Mas Services Limited, Registrar and Share Transfer Agents. The instructions for participation by Members are given in the subsequent paragraphs. Participation at the AGM through VC shall be allowed on a first-come-first-served basis.
- 3. A member entitled to attend and vote at the AGM is entitled to appoint a proxy to attend and vote on his / her behalf and the proxy need not be a member of the Company. Since the AGM is being held in accordance with the Circulars through VC, the facility for appointment of proxies by the members will not be available.
- 4. Participation of members through VC will be reckoned for the purpose of quorum for the AGM as per section 103 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act").
- 5. Corporate Members are required to access the link https://www.evoting.nsdl.com and upload a certified copy of the Board resolution authorizing their representative to attend the AGM through VC and vote on their behalf. Institutional investors are encouraged to attend and vote at the meeting through VC.
- 6. The Register of Directors and Key Managerial Personnel and their shareholding, maintained under Section 170 of the Act, and the Register of Contracts or Arrangements in which the directors are interested, maintained under Section 189 of the Act, will be available electronically for inspection by the members during the AGM. All documents referred to in the Notice will also be available for electronic inspection without any fee by the members. The Members seeking to inspect such documents can send an email to investor@bblinvestor.com.
- 7. Members who hold shares in dematerialized form and want to provide/change/correct the bank account details should send the same immediately to their concerned Depository Participant and not to the Company. Members are also requested to give the MICR Code of their bank to their Depository Participants. The Company will not entertain any direct request from such Members for change of address, transposition of names, deletion of name of deceased joint holder and change in the bank account details. While making payment of Dividend, the Registrar and Share Transfer Agent is obliged to use only the data provided by the Depositories, in case of such demateralized shares
- 8. Members are requested to address all correspondence, including pending dividend related matters, to the RTA, Mas Services Limited, Unit : Banaras Beads Limited, T-34, 2nd Floor, Okhla Industrial Area, Phase II, New Delhi 110 020.
- 9. Members wishing to claim dividends that remain unclaimed are requested to correspond with the RTA as mentioned above, or with the Company Secretary, at the Company's registered office. Members are requested to note that dividends that are not claimed within seven years from the date of transfer to the Company's Unpaid Dividend Account, will be transferred to the Investor Education and Protection Fund (IEPF). Shares on which dividend remains unclaimed for seven consecutive years shall be transferred to the IEPF as per Section 124 of the Act, read with applicable IEPF rules.
- 10. In compliance with Section 108 of the Act, read with the corresponding rules, and Regulation 44 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("the Listing Regulations"), the Company has provided a facility to its members to exercise their votes electronically through the electronic voting ("e-voting") facility provided by the National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL). Members who have cast their votes by remote e-voting prior to the AGM may participate in the AGM but shall not be entitled to cast their votes again. The manner of voting remotely by members holding shares in dematerialized mode, physical mode and for members who have not registered their email addresses is provided in the instructions for e-voting Secretaries, as the Scrutinizer to scrutinize the e-voting in a fair and transparent manner.
- 11. The e-voting period commences on Saturday, July 24, 2021 (9:00 a.m. IST) and ends on Monday, July 26, 2021 (5:00 p.m. IST). During this period, members holding shares either in physical or dematerialized form, as on cut-off date, i.e. as on July 20, 2021 may cast their votes electronically. The e-voting module will be disabled by NSDL for voting thereafter. A member will not be allowed to vote again on any resolution on which vote has already been cast. The voting rights of members shall be proportionate to their share of the paid-up equity share capital of the Company as on the cut-off date, i.e. as on July 20, 2021.
- 12. The facility for voting during the AGM will also be made available. Members present in the AGM through VC and who have not cast their vote on the resolutions through remote e-voting and are otherwise not barred from doing so, shall be eligible to vote through the e-voting system during the AGM.
- 13. Any person who acquires shares of the Company and becomes a Member of the Company after sending of the Notice and holding shares as of the cut-off date, may obtain the login ID and password by sending a request at evoting@nsdl.co.in. However, if he / she is already registered with NSDL for remote e-voting then he / she can use his / her existing user ID and password for casting the vote.
- 14. In line with the MCA Circulars, Members may also note that the Notice of the 41st AGM and the Annual Report 2020-21 will also be available on the Company's website, www.bblinvestor.com websites of the Stock Exchanges, i.e. BSE Limited and National Stock Exchange of India Limited, at <u>www.bseindia.com</u> and www.nseindia.com respectively, and on the website of NSDL https://www.evoting.nsdl.com. In case of any queries regarding the Annual Report, the Members may write to. <u>investor@bblinvestor.com</u> to receive an email response.
- 15. We urge members to support our commitment to environmental protection by choosing to receive the Company's communication through email. Members holding shares in demat mode, who have not registered their email addresses are requested to register their email addresses with their respective depository participants, and members holding shares in physical mode are requested to update their email addresses with the Company's RTA, Mas Services Limited at info@maserv.com to receive copies of the Annual Report 2020-21 in electronic mode. Members may follow the process detailed below for registration of email ID to obtain the Annual Report, user ID / password for e-voting and updation of bank account mandate for the receipt of dividend.



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Type of Holder	Process to be followed	
	Registering Email Address	Updating bank account details
Physical	Company, Mas Services Limited at info@ maserv.com providing Folio No., Name of	Send a request to the RTA of the Company, Mas Services Limited at T34 2 nd Floor, Okhla Industrial Area Phase-II, New Delhi 110020, with original cancelled cheque (name of shareholder should be printed on it) with copy of PAN (if not provided earlier).
Demat	Please contact your DP and register your email address and bank account details in your demat account as per the process advised by your DP	

- 16. Additional information, pursuant to Regulation 36 of the Listing Regulations, in respect of revision in salary of CEO & Managing Director and appointment of General Manager –Marketing having place of profit due to relative of Key Managerial Personnel at the AGM, part of this Notice.
- 17. SEBI has mandated the submission of the Permanent Account Number (PAN) by every participant in the securities market. Members holding shares in electronic form are, therefore, requested to submit their PAN to their depository participant(s). Members holding shares in physical form are required to submit their PAN details to the RTA.
- 18. As per the provisions of Section 72 of the Act, the facility for making nomination is available for the Members in respect of the shares held by them. Members who have not yet registered their nomination are requested to register the same by submitting Form No. SH-13. The form can be downloaded from the RTA website at www. maserv.com. Members are requested to submit these details to their DP in case the shares are held by them in electronic form, and to the RTA, Mas Services Limited, in case the shares are held in physical form.
- 19. In case of joint holder attending the meeting, only such joint holder who is higher in the order of name will be entitled to vote.
- 20. The Register of Members and Share Transfer /Demat books will remain closed from Wednesday, July 21, 2021 to Tuesday, July 27, 2021 (both days inclusive).
- 21. Pursuant to the Rule 5(8) of the Investor Education and Protection Authority (Accounting, Audit, Transfer and Refund) Rules, 2016, the Company has uploaded details of unpaid and unclaimed amounts lying with the Company as on September 10, 2020 (date of last Annual General Meeting) on its website at www.bblinvestor.com and also on the website of the Ministry of Corporate Affairs.
- 22. The Scrutinizer will submit his report to the Chairman of the Company ('the Chairman') or to any other person authorized by the Chairman after the completion of the scrutiny of the e-voting (votes casted during the AGM and votes casted through remote e-voting), not later than 48 hours from the conclusion of the AGM. The result declared along with the Scrutinizer's report shall be communicated to the stock exchanges, NSDL, and RTA and will also be displayed on the Company's and NSDL website, www.bblinvestor.com & evoting.nsdl.com.
- 23. Since the AGM will be held through VC in accordance with the Circulars, the route map, proxy form and attendance slip are not attached to this Notice.
- 24. The instructions for members for remote e-voting and joining general meeting are stated clearly after explanatory statement.
- 25. A statement pursuant to Section 102(1) of the Companies Act, 2013 relating to certain ordinary business and the special businesses to be transacted at the 41st AGM is annexed hereto. All documents referred to in the accompanying Notice and Explanatory Statement shall be available for inspection electronically. Members seeking to inspect such documents can send an email to investor@bblinvestor.com.

By Order of the Board of Directors For BANARAS BEADS LIMITED,

Place : VARANASI Date : 27.05.2021 (R.K.SINGH) Company Secretary





EXPLANATORY STATEMENT:

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT IN RESPECT OF THE SPECIAL BUSINESS PURSUANT TO SECTION 102 OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013.

Item No. 3. APPROVAL OF INCREMENT IN REMUNERATION OF MR. SIDDHARTH GUPTA, CEO & MANAGING DIRECTOR OF THE COMPANY:

Mr. Siddharth Gupta, was re-appointed and designated as CEO and Managing Director of the Company by the Board and approved by Members in its Meeting held on 08.08.2019 for a period of 5 years (from 01.02.2019 to 31.01.2024).

Further, considering the contribution of Mr. Siddharth Gupta to the Company and as per the recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee, the Board at its Meeting held on 27.05.2021, approved the revision in the remuneration of Mr. Siddharth Gupta w.e.f. 27.07.2021 for remaining tenure upto 31.01.2024 on terms and conditions stated in the Resolution.

Pursuant to Section 197 read with Schedule V of the Companies Act 2013, the revised remuneration of the Mr. Siddharth Gupta as decided by the board is required to be approved by the members at their meeting due to inadequacy of profits.

It is submitted that based on the projections, the overall managerial remuneration may exceed the limits Specified in Sec. 197 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Schedule V of the Companies Act 2013.

It is hereby confirmed that the Company has not committed any default in respect of any of its debts or interest payable thereon for a continuous period of 30 days in the preceding financial year and in the current financial year.

The Members are requested to consider the revision in remuneration of Mr. Siddharth Gupta, CEO & managing Director of the Company. Pursuant to Clause (iv) of Section II of Schedule V of Companies Act, 2013 the following Statement is given:

I.	General Information	
(1)	Nature of Industry	Manufacturing and Export of all kind of Glass Beads, fashion jewellery and accessories and other related items.
(2)	Date of expected date of commencement of commercial production	Not Applicable
(3)	In case of new companies, expected date of commencement of activities as per project approved by financial institutions appearing in the prospectus:	Not Applicable
(4)	Financial performance based on given indications:	Performance for F.Y. 2020-21: Rs. In lacs 1. Gross Revenue: 2194.78 2. Profit after Tax: 239.29 3. Dividend: NIL 4. EPS : Rs. 3.61
(5)	Foreign investments or collaborations, if any:	N.A.
II.	Information about the appointee	
(1)	Background details:	Mr. Siddharth Gupta is BA (Hons) Glass from University of Wolverhampton, UK and having more than fifteen year experience of marketing and production of Glass Beads, handicrafts, imitation Jewelary, necklace and other related items.
(2)	Past remuneration:	The remuneration drawn by Mr. Siddharth Gupta during the past one year i.e. 2020-21 is as follows:
		Salary Rs. 1488000
		EPF contribution Rs. 178560
(3)	Recognition or awards:	N.A.
(4)	Job Profile and his suitability	Mr. Siddharth Gupta shall be responsible to conduct and manage business and others works of the Company and he shall perform such other duties as shall from time to time be entrusted to him subject to the superintendence, guidance and control of the Board of Directors of the Company.
(5)	Remuneration proposed	As mentioned in the Resolution stated above
(6)	Comparative remuneration profile with respect to industry, size of the company profile of the position and person (in case of expatriates the relevant details would be with respect to the country of his origin):	Considering the responsibility taken by him of the enhanced business activities of the company, proposed remuneration is commensurate with industry standards and Board level positions held in similar sized and similarly positioned businesses.
(7)	Pecuniary relationship directly or indirectly with the company, or relationship with the managerial personnel, if any:	Son of Sri Ashok Kumar Gupta, Chairman & Managing Director.
III.	Other Information:	





	Fathers name	: Shri Ashok Kumar Gupta
	Date of Birth	: 01.03.1983
	Nationality	: Indian
	Qualifications	: Graduate (University of Wolverhampton, UK)
	Permanent Account No.	: AGEPG1158R
	Director Identification No.	: 00342369
	List of directorship held in other Company(s)	- Mangalam Hospitality India Limited.
		- Banaras Glass Beads Limited
	Chairperson of Board committees	Risk Management Committee
	Member of board committee	Risk Management Committee
	Shareholding in the company	701000 sahres
(1)	Reasons of loss or inadequate profits:	Globally adverse impact of Covid-19 and recession in demand of fashionable items of Glass beads and other related items.
		The proposed remuneration is not falling within the limits specified under Section 197 of the Companies Act. However, the same in line with the Industry Standards for managerial personnel failing under the same cadre in Schedule –V of the Companies act.
(2)	Step taken of proposed to be taken for improvement:	Management has taken reasonable steps
(3)	Expected increase in productivity and profits in measurable terms:	Hope for betterment in coming periods.

(3) Expected increase in productivity and profits in measurable terms: Hope for betterment in coming periods. Pursuant to the applicable provisions of the Companies Act 2013, and the relevant rules made there under, consent of members is being sought by way of a Special Resolution.

Mr. Siddharth Gupta is Son of Sri Ashok Kumar Gupta, Chairman & Managing Director and except that none of the promoters, directors, key managerial personnel or others are interested financially or otherwise, in the Resolution.

The Board of Directors recommend passing of the Special Resolution at item No. 3 of the Notice.

ITEM NO. 4:

The provisions of section 188(1) of the Companies Act, 2013 that the Related Party Transactions require a Company to obtain prior approval of the Board of Directors and in certain cases approval of the shareholders is also required.

Section 188(1)(f) of the Companies Act, 2013 provides for the related party's appointment to any office or place of profit. The Board of Directors of the Company on the recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee, and Audit Committee, in meeting held on 24th May, 2021 had recommended/approved the appointment of Mrs. Shivani Gupta as General Manager-Marketing w.e.f. 1st August, 2021, subject to approval of the Shareholders by way of an Ordinary Resolution. The details of the remuneration payable to Mrs. Shivani Gupta is given in the resolution no. 04. She is Post Graduate Diploma in Management and having more than ten years experience of marketing and finance. As per section 188(1)(f) of the Companies Act, 2013, your Directors recommends the resolutions for your approval.

Shri Siddharth Gupta, CEO& Managing Director and Shri Ashok Kumar Gupta, Chairman & Managing Director of the company, being relatives are deemed to be interested or concerned in the concerned resolution.





THE INSTRUCTIONS FOR MEMBERS FOR REMOTE E-VOTING AND JOINING GENERAL MEETING ARE AS UNDER:-

The remote e-voting period begins on 24.07. 2021 at 09:00 A.M. and ends on 26.07. 2021at 05:00 P.M. The remote e-voting module shall be disabled by NSDL for voting thereafter. The Members, whose names appear in the Register of Members / Beneficial Owners as on the record date (cut-off date) i.e. 20.07.2021, may cast their vote electronically. The voting right of shareholders shall be in proportion to their share in the paid-up equity share capital of the Company as on the cut-off date, being 20.07.2021.

How do I vote electronically using NSDL e-Voting system?

The way to vote electronically on NSDL e-Voting system consists of "Two Steps" which are mentioned below.

Step 1: Access to NSDL e-Voting system

A) Login method for e-Voting and joining virtual meeting for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode In terms of SEBI circular dated December 9, 2020 on e-Voting facility provided by Listed Companies, Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode are allowed to vote through their demat account maintained with Depositories and Depository Participants. Shareholders are advised to update their mobile number and email Id in their demat accounts in order to access e-Voting facility.

Login method for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode is given below:

Type of shareholders	Login Method
Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with NSDL.	 If you are already registered for NSDL IDeAS facility, please visit the e-Services website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the following URL: <u>https://eservices.nsdl.com/</u>either on a Personal Computer or on a mobile. Once the home page of e-Services is launched, click on the "Beneficial Owner" icon under "Login" which is available under "IDeAS" section. A new screen will open. You will have to enter your User ID and Password. After successful authentication, you will be able to see e-Voting services. Click on "Access to e-Voting" under e-Voting services and you will be able to see e-Voting service provider - NSDL and you will be re-directed to NSDL e-Voting website for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting.
	 If the user is not registered for IDeAS e-Services, option to register is available at <u>https://eservices.nsdl.com</u>. Select "Register Online for IDeAS"Portal or click at<u>https://eservices.nsdl.com/SecureWeb/IdeasDirectReg.jsp</u>
	3. Visit the e-Voting website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the following URL: <u>https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/</u> either on a Personal Computer or on a mobile. Once the home page of e-Voting system is launched, click on the icon "Login" which is available under 'Shareholder/Member' section. A new screen will open. You will have to enter your User ID (i.e. your sixteen digitdemat account number held with NSDL), Password/OTP and a Verification Code as shown on the screen. After successful authentication, you will be redirected to NSDL Depository site wherein you can see e-Voting page. Click on options available against company name or e-Voting service provider - NSDL and you will be redirected to e-Voting website of NSDL for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting.
Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with CDSL	 Existing users who have opted for Easi / Easiest, they can login through their user id and password. Option will be made available to reach e-Voting page without any further authentication. The URL for users to login to Easi / Easiest are<u>https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasi/home/login</u>or <u>www.cdslindia.com</u> and click on New System Myeasi.
	 After successful login of Easi/Easiest the user will be also able to see the E Voting Menu. The Menu will have links of e-Voting service provider i.e. NSDL. Click on NSDL to cast your vote.
	3. If the user is not registered for Easi/Easiest, option to register is available at https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasi/Registration/EasiRegistration
	4. Alternatively, the user can directly access e-Voting page by providing demat Account Number and PAN No. from a link in <u>www.cdslindia.com</u> home page. The system will authenticate the user by sending OTP on registered Mobile & Email as recorded in the demat Account. After successful authentication, user will be provided links for the respective ESP i.e. NSDL where the e-Voting is in





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Individual Shareholders (holding	You can also login using the login credentials of your demat account through your
securities in demat mode) login through their depository participants	Depository Participant registered with NSDL/CDSL for e-Voting facility. Once login, you will be able to see e-Voting option. Once you click on e-Voting option, you will be redirected to NSDL/CDSL Depository site after successful authentication, wherein you can see e-Voting feature. Click on options available against company name or e-Voting service provider-NSDL and you will be redirected to e-Voting website of NSDL for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting.

Important note: Members who are unable to retrieve User ID/ Password are advised to use Forget User ID and Forget Password option available at above mentioned website.

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

Login type	Helpdesk details	
Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with NSDL	Members facing any technical issue in login can contact NSDL helpdesk by sending a request at <u>evoting@nsdl.co.in</u> or call at toll free no.: 1800 1020 990 and 1800 22 44 30	
Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with CDSL	Members facing any technical issue in login can contact CDSL helpdesk by sending a request at <u>helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com</u> or contact at 022- 23058738 or 022-23058542-43	

B) Login Method for shareholders other than Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode and shareholders holding securities in physical mode.

How to Log-in to NSDL e-Voting website?

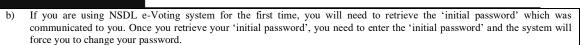
- Visit the e-Voting website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the following URL: https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/ either on a 1. Personal Computer or on a mobile.
- Once the home page of e-Voting system is launched, click on the icon "Login" which is available under 'Shareholder/Member' 2. section.
- A new screen will open. You will have to enter your User ID, your Password/OTP and a Verification Code as shown on the screen. 3. Alternatively, if you are registered for NSDL eservices i.e. IDEAS, you can log-in at https://eservices.nsdl.com/ with your existing IDEAS login. Once you log-in to NSDL eservices after using your log-in credentials, click on e-Voting and you can proceed to Step 2 i.e. Cast your vote electronically.
- 4. Your User ID details are given below :

Manner of holding shares i.e. Demat (NSDL or CDSL) or Physical	Your User ID is:
a) For Members who hold shares in demat account with NSDL.	8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digit Client ID For example if your DP ID is IN300*** and Client ID is 12***** then your user ID is IN300***12*****.
b) For Members who hold shares in demat account with CDSL.	16 Digit Beneficiary ID For example if your Beneficiary ID is 12************************************
c) For Members holding shares in Physical Form.	EVEN Number followed by 7 Digit Folio Number registered with the company For example if folio number is 1*** and EVEN is 101456 then user ID is 1014560000001*** and if folio no. is B-1 then user ID is 101456B000001

5. Password details for shareholders other than Individual shareholders are given below:

a) If you are already registered for e-Voting, then you can user your existing password to login and cast your vote.





c) How to retrieve your 'initial password'?

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- (i) If your email ID is registered in your demat account or with the company, your 'initial password' is communicated to you on your email ID. Trace the email sent to you from NSDL from your mailbox. Open the email and open the attachment i.e. a .pdf file. Open the .pdf file. The password to open the .pdf file is your 8 digit client ID for NSDL account, last 8 digits of client ID for CDSL account or folio number for shares held in physical form. The .pdf file contains your 'User ID' and your 'initial password'.
- (ii) If your email ID is not registered, please follow steps mentioned below in process for those shareholders whose email ids are not registered
- 6. If you are unable to retrieve or have not received the "Initial password" or have forgotten your password:
 - a) Click on "Forgot User Details/Password?" (If you are holding shares in your demat account with NSDL or CDSL) option available on <u>www.evoting.nsdl.com</u>.
 - b) <u>Physical User Reset Password?</u>" (If you are holding shares in physical mode) option available on <u>www.evoting.nsdl.com</u>.
 - c) If you are still unable to get the password by aforesaid two options, you can send a request at <u>evoting@nsdl.co.in</u> mentioning your demat account number/folio number, your PAN, your name and your registered address etc.
 - d) Members can also use the OTP (One Time Password) based login for casting the votes on the e-Voting system of NSDL.
- 7. After entering your password, tick on Agree to "Terms and Conditions" by selecting on the check box.
- 8. Now, you will have to click on "Login" button.
- 9. After you click on the "Login" button, Home page of e-Voting will open.

Step 2: Cast your vote electronically and join General Meeting on NSDL e-Voting system.

How to cast your vote electronically and join General Meeting on NSDL e-Voting system?
1. After successful login at Step 1, you will be able to see all the companies "EVEN" in which you are holding shares and whose voting cycle and General Meeting is in active status.

- 2. Select "EVEN" of company for which you wish to cast your vote during the remote e-Voting period and casting your vote during the General Meeting. For joining virtual meeting, you need to click on "VC/OAVM" link placed under "Join General Meeting".
- 3. Now you are ready for e-Voting as the Voting page opens.
- 4. Cast your vote by selecting appropriate options i.e. assent or dissent, verify/modify the number of shares for which you wish to cast your vote and click on "Submit" and also "Confirm" when prompted.
- 5. Upon confirmation, the message "Vote cast successfully" will be displayed.
- 6. You can also take the printout of the votes cast by you by clicking on the print option on the confirmation page.
- 7. Once you confirm your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.

General Guidelines for shareholders

- 1. Institutional shareholders (i.e. other than individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) are required to send scanned copy (PDF/JPG Format) of the relevant Board Resolution/ Authority letter etc. with attested specimen signature of the duly authorized signatory(ies) who are authorized to vote, to the Scrutinizer by e-mail to workroc@gmail.com with a copy marked to evoting@nsdl.co.in.
- 2. It is strongly recommended not to share your password with any other person and take utmost care to keep your password confidential. Login to the e-voting website will be disabled upon five unsuccessful attempts to key in the correct password. In such an event, you will need to go through the "Forgot User Details/Password?" or "Physical User Reset Password?" option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com to reset the password.
- 3. In case of any queries, you may refer the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) for Shareholders and e-voting user manual for Shareholders available at the download section of <u>www.evoting.nsdl.com</u> or call on toll free no.: 1800 1020 990 and 1800 22 44 30 or send a request to Mr. Amit Vishal, Senior Manager or Ms. Pallavi Mhatre, Manager at <u>evoting@nsdl.co.in</u>

Process for those shareholders whose email ids are not registered with the depositories for procuring user id and password and registration of e mail ids for e-voting for the resolutions set out in this notice:



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- 1. In case shares are held in physical mode please provide Folio No., Name of shareholder, scanned copy of the share certificate (front and back), PAN (self attested scanned copy of PAN card), AADHAR (self attested scanned copy of Aadhar Card) by email to rksingh@banarasbead.com.
- 2. In case shares are held in demat mode, please provide DPID-CLID (16 digit DPID + CLID or 16 digit beneficiary ID), Name, client master or copy of Consolidated Account statement, PAN (self attested scanned copy of PAN card), AADHAR (self attested scanned copy of Aadhar Card) to <u>rksingh@banarasbead.com</u>. If you are an Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode, you are requested to refer to the login method explained at **step 1** (A) i.e.<u>Login method for e-Voting and joining virtual meeting for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode</u>.
- 3. Alternatively shareholder/members may send a request to <u>evoting@nsdl.co.in</u>for procuring user id and password for e-voting by providing above mentioned documents.
- 4. <u>In terms of SEBI circular dated December 9, 2020 on e-Voting facility provided by Listed Companies, Individual shareholders</u> holding securities in demat mode are allowed to vote through their demat account maintained with Depositories and Depository Participants. Shareholders are required to update their mobile number and email ID correctly in their demat account in order to access e-Voting facility.

THE INSTRUCTIONS FOR MEMBERS FOR E-VOTING ON THE DAY OF THE AGM ARE AS UNDER:-

- 1. The procedure for e-Voting on the day of the EGM/AGM is same as the instructions mentioned above for remote e-voting.
- Only those Members/ shareholders, who will be present in the EGM/AGM through VC/OAVM facility and have not casted their vote on the Resolutions through remote e-Voting and are otherwise not barred from doing so, shall be eligible to vote through e-Voting system in the EGM/AGM.
- 3. Members who have voted through Remote e-Voting will be eligible to attend the EGM/AGM. However, they will not be eligible to vote at the EGM/AGM.
- 4. The details of the person who may be contacted for any grievances connected with the facility for e-Voting on the day of the EGM/AGM shall be the same person mentioned for Remote e-voting.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR MEMBERS FOR ATTENDING THE AGM THROUGH VC/OAVM ARE AS UNDER:

- 1. Member will be provided with a facility to attend the EGM/AGM through VC/OAVM through the NSDL e-Voting system. Members may access by following the steps mentioned above for Access to NSDL e-Voting system. After successful login, you can see link of "VC/OAVM link" placed under "Join General meeting" menu against company name. You are requested to click on VC/OAVM link placed under Join General Meeting menu. The link for VC/OAVM will be available in Shareholder/Member login where the EVEN of Company will be displayed. Please note that the members who do not have the User ID and Password for e-Voting or have forgotten the User ID and Password may retrieve the same by following the remote e-Voting instructions mentioned in the notice to avoid last minute rush.
- 2. Members are encouraged to join the Meeting through Laptops for better experience.
- 3. Further Members will be required to allow Camera and use Internet with a good speed to avoid any disturbance during the meeting.
- 4. Please note that Participants Connecting from Mobile Devices or Tablets or through Laptop connecting via Mobile Hotspot may experience Audio/Video loss due to Fluctuation in their respective network. It is therefore recommended to use Stable Wi-Fi or LAN Connection to mitigate any kind of aforesaid glitches.
- 5. Shareholders who would like to express their views/have questions may send their questions in advance mentioning their name demat account number/folio number, email id, mobile number at rksingh@banarasbead.com. The same will be replied by the company suitably.

By Order of the Board of Directors For BANARAS BEADS LIMITED,

Place: VARANASI Date: 27.05.2021 (R.K.SINGH) Company Secretary