

**Asian Paints Limited** 

Asian Paints House 6A, Shantinagar Santacruz (E) Mumbai 400 055

T: (022) 6218 1000 F: (022) 6218 1111 www.asianpaints.com

26th May, 2016

**BSE Limited** Corporate Relationship Department Phiroze Jeejeebhov Towers. 25th Floor, Dalal Street. Mumbai - 400001

Sir(s),

Sub: Compliance under Regulation 44 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (Listing Regulations)

This is with reference to our letter no. APL/SEC/13/251 dated 22<sup>nd</sup> April, 2016 enclosing the postal ballot notice dated 14<sup>th</sup> March, 2016, along with the annexures, for seeking consent of the members by way of special resolution with respect to change of the place of keeping and inspection of Register and Index of Members, returns, etc. of the Company.

In connection with the above and pursuant to Regulation 44 of the Listing Regulations, we would like to inform you that the aforesaid resolution has been passed by the members of the Company by requisite majority.

Please find enclosed the voting results and Report of the Scrutinizer on voting through postal ballot in accordance with Rule 22 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014.

This is for your information and record.

Thanking you,

Yours truly.

For ASIAN PAINTS LIMITED

JAYESH MERCHANT

CFO & COMPANY SECRETARY.

PRESIDENT - INDUSTRIAL JVs

Cc: The National Stock Exchange of India Limited

#### Postal Ballot Voting Results

Disclosure as per Regulation 44(3) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirement) Regulations, 2015

Date of Postal Ballot Notice

Notice dated 14th March, 2016 (Voting start date: 25th April, 2016 and Voting End Date: 24th May, 2016)

Total number of shareholders on record date:

1,65,272

(i.e. as on 15th April, 2016)

No. of shareholders present in the meeting either in

Not applicable

person or through proxy:

Promoter and Promoter group

Public

No. of shareholders attended the meeting through

Not applicable

Video Conferencing:

Promoter and Promoter group

Public

Agenda: Change of place of keeping and inspection of Register and Index of members, returns, etc. of the Company

Resolution required: (Ordinary/ Special):			Special Resolution							
Whether promoter/ promoter group are interest	ed in the agenda/ res	olution?	No							
Category	Mode of Voting	No. of shares held	No. of votes polled*	% of votes polled on outstanding shares	No. of Votes – in favour	No. of Votes – against	% of Votes in favour on votes polled	% of Votes against on votes polled		
		(1)	(2)	(3)=[(2)/(1)]* 100	(4)	(5)	(6)=[(4)/(2)]*100	(7)=[(5)/(2)]*100		
Promoter and Promoter Group	E-Voting	117	498615212	98.47	498615212	0	100			
	Postal Ballot	506384482	0	0	0	0	0	1		
	Total		498615212	98.47	498615212	0	100			
Public- Institutions	E-Voting		190990453	77.50	190990453	0	100			
	Postal Ballot	246449608	1008742	0.41	1008742	0	100			
	Total		191999195	77.91	191999195	0	100			
Public- Non Institutions	E-Voting		6108646	2.96	6107442	1204	99.98	0.0		
	Postal Ballot	206363700	2627556	1.27	2620130	7426	99.72	0.2		
	Total		8736202	4.23	8727572	8630	99.90	0.1		
Total		959197790	699350609	72.91	699341979	8630	100.00	0.0		

<sup>\*</sup>No. of votes polled does not include 'no. of votes invalid'.

Voting rights on the shares transferred to 'Asian Paints Limited - Unclaimed Suspense Account' are frozen.

For ASIAN PAINTS LIMITED

ASHWIN CHOKSI CHAIRMAN

Place: Mumbai Date: 26th May, 2015



# MAKARAND M. JOSHI & CO.

## Company Secretaries

"Ecstasy, 803/804, 9th Floor, Citi of Joy, J.S.D Road, Mulund (West), Mumbai – 400080

### Scrutinizer Report (Postal Ballot)

Shri. Ashwin Choksi Chairman, Asian Paints Limited, 6A, Shanti Nagar, Santacruz (East), Mumbai-400055

#### Dear Sir,

- A. Pursuant to the resolution passed by the Board of Directors of Asian Paints Limited, having its Registered Office at 6A, Shantinagar, Santacruz (E), Mumbai 400055, (hereinafter referred as the "Company") on 14<sup>th</sup> March, 2016, I, Makarand Joshi, Partner of M/s. Makarand M. Joshi & Co., Practicing Company Secretary, have been appointed as a Scrutinizer to receive, process and scrutinize the postal ballot process (including voting through electronic mode) in respect of the Special Resolution as circulated in the postal ballot notice dated 14<sup>th</sup> March,2016.
- B. As required under Section 110 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 (including any statutory modification (s) or re-enactment(s) for the time being in force), the Company had dispatched Notice and Postal Ballot Forms to its members whose name (s) appeared on the Register of Members / List of beneficiaries as on 15<sup>th</sup> April, 2016 ("cut-off date").
- C. The Company had availed the services of National Securities Depositories Limited to provide the electronic voting facility to its members.
- D. The voting period commenced on 25<sup>th</sup> April, 2016 (9:00 a.m.) and ended on 24<sup>th</sup> May, 2016 (5:00 p.m.) for physical ballots as well as for e-voting. The votes cast by the shareholders through the e-voting system were downloaded and collated.
- The Postal Ballot forms were duly opened in my presence and scrutinized.
- F. I did not find any defaced or mutilated ballot papers/forms and all the invalid ballot forms were marked and segregated.
- G. The register, in accordance with Rule 22 (10) of the Companies (Management & Administration) Rules, 2015, has been maintained electronically to record the assent or dissent received, mentioning the particulars of name, address, folio number or client ID of the shareholders, number of shares held by them. There were no shares with differential voting rights in the Company; hence there is no requirement of maintaining of the list of shares with differential voting rights.

H. Based on the above mentioned process, the scrutiny was completed and a summary of the voted casted by postal ballot forms and through electronic means are given below:

Sr. No.	Particulars	No. of Postal Ballot forms/ votes cast	No. of shares	% of total paid up share capital
Physical N	Mode			
A.	Total no. of Postal Ballot forms received		4129681	0.43
B.	Less: Invalid votes	272	493383	0.05
C.	Net valid Postal Ballot forms received	1336	3636298	0.38
Electronic	c Mode	9		
D.	Total no. of votes cast through electronic means	1544	695714311	72.53
E.	Less: Invalid votes	00	00	0.00
F.	Net valid votes cast through electronic means	1544	695714311	72.53
G.	Total Valid votes cast through Postal Ballot in physical and electronic mode	2880	699350609	72.91
H.	Votes cast through Postal Ballot with Assent on the Special Resolution (Physical Mode)	1311	3628872	0.38
I.	Votes cast through Postal Ballot with Assent on the Special Resolution (Electronic means)	1522	695713107	72.53
J.	Total Net Valid votes cast through Postal Ballot with Assent on the Special Resolution (Physical and electronic means)	2833	699341979	72.91
K.	Votes cast through Postal Ballot with Dissent on the Special Resolution (Physical Mode)	25	7426	0.00
L.	Votes cast through Postal Ballot with Dissent on the Special Resolution (Electronic means)	22	1204	0.00
M.	Total Net Valid votes cast through Postal Ballot with Dissent on the Special Resolution (Physical and electronic means)	47	8630	0.00

I. Register of Postal Ballot and all other relevant records of voting process given / provided / maintained in electronic and / or physical mode (including physical ballots) will remain in our custody until the Chairman considers, approved and signs the minutes of the postal ballot and the same shall be handed over thereafter to the Chairman / Company Secretary for safe keeping.



## Result of the Postal Ballot is as under:

Type of Resolution: Special Resolution

To approve the change of place of keeping and inspection of Register and Index of members, returns, etc. of the Company.

Category	Mode of Voting	No. of shares held	No. of votes polled*	% of Votes Polled on outstanding shares	No. of Votes - in favour	No. of Votes - against	% of Votes in favour on votes polled	% of Votes against on votes polled
		(1)	(2)	(3)= [(2)/(1)]*100	(4)	(5)	(6)= [(4)/(2)]* 100	(7)= [(5)/(2)]* 100
Promoter and Promoter Group	E- Voting	506384482	498615212	98.47	498615212	0	100.00	0.00
	Postal Ballot		0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0.00
	Total		498615212	98.47	498615212	0	100.00	0.00
Public – Institutional	E- Voting		190990453	77.50	190990453	0	100.00	0.00
holders	Postal Ballot	246449608	1008742	0.41	1008742	0	100.00	0.00
	Total		191999195	77.91	191999195	0	100.00	0.00
Public- Non Institution	E- Voting	206363700	6108646	2.96	6107442	1204	99.98	0.02
	Postal Ballot		2627556	1.27	2620130	7426	99.72	0.28
	Total		8736202	4.23	8727572	8630	99.90	0.10
Total		959197790	699350609	72.91	699341979	8630	100.00	0.00

<sup>\*</sup>No. of votes polled does not include 'no. of votes invalid'.

Voting rights on the shares transferred to 'Asian paints Limited - Unclaimed Suspense Account' are frozen.

Thanking you, Yours faithfully,

For Makarand M. Joshi & Co., Practicing Company Secretaries

Makarand Joshi

Partner CP No. 3662

Place: Mumbai Date: 25<sup>th</sup> May, 2016

