#### **ELCID INVESTMENTS LIMITED**

CIN: L65990MH1981PLC025770

Regd. Office: 414 shah Nahar (Worli) Industrial Estate, 'B' Wing, Rd. E Mosses Road, Worli, Mumbai – 400 018 Email: vakilgroup@gmail.com, Tel No.: 022 66625602/03/04, website: www.elcidinvestments.com

#### NOTICE

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the Forty Second Annual General Meeting ("42<sup>nd</sup> AGM") of the Company will be held on Friday, the 22<sup>nd</sup> September, 2023, at 3.00 P.M. IST through Video Conferencing/Other Audio Visual Means organized by the Company, to transact the following business. The venue of the meeting shall be deemed to be the Registered Office of the Company at 414 Shah Nahar (Worli) Industrial Estate, 'B' Wing, Dr. E Mosses Road, Worli, Mumbai – 400 018:

#### **ORDINARY BUSINESS:**

- 1. To receive, consider and adopt the audited Standalone financial statements including audited consolidated financial statements of the Company for the financial year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2023 together with the reports of the Board of Directors and Auditors thereon and in this regard pass the following resolution as **Ordinary Resolution:** 
  - (a) "RESOLVED THAT the Audited Standalone Financial Statements of the company for the financial year ended 31st March 2023 together with the Report of the Board of Directors and Auditors thereon be and are hereby considered, approved and adopted."
  - **(b)** "**RESOLVED THAT** the Audited Consolidated Financial Statements of the company for the financial year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2023 together with the Report of Auditors thereon be and are hereby considered, approved and adopted."
- 2. To declare final dividend on Equity Shares for the financial year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2023 and, in this regard, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as an **Ordinary Resolution**:
  - "RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the recommendation of the Board of Directors of the Company, dividend @ Rs. 25/- (Rupees Twenty-Five only) per Equity Share of Rs. 10/- (Rupees Ten only) each be and is hereby declared for the financial year ended 31st March 2023 and the same be paid as recommended by the Board of Directors of the Company out of profits of the Company for the financial year ended 31st March 2023.
- 3. To appoint a Director in place of Miss. Amrita Amar Vakil (**DIN: 00170725**), who retires by rotation and being eligible offers herself for re-appointment as director. In this regard pass the following resolution as

### **Ordinary Resolution:**

**"RESOLVED THAT** Miss. Amrita Amar Vakil (**DIN: 00170725**), Director of the Company, who retires by rotation and being eligible has offered herself for reappointment, be and is hereby re-appointed as Director of the Company, liable to retire by rotation."

**By Order of the Board** For **Elcid Investments Limited** 

Varun Vakil Chairman

Mumbai: May 29, 2023

Registered Office: 414, 'B' Wing, Shah & Nahar (Worli) Industrial Estate, Dr. E Moses Road, Worli, Mumbai - 400018

#### **NOTES:**

- 1. Pursuant to the Circular No. 14/2020 dated April 08, 2020, Circular No.17/2020 dated April 13, 2020 issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) followed by Circular No. 20/2020 dated May 05, 2020, Circular No. 02/2021 dated January 13, 2021 and General Circular No. 10/2022, dated December 28, 2022 and and Circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/PoD-2/P/CIR/2023/4 dated January 05, 2023 issued by SEBI ("the Circulars") from time to time (collectively referred to as "MCA Circulars"), MCA has permitted holding of the Annual General Meeting ("AGM") through Video Conferencing ("VC") / Other Audio Visual Means ("OAVM"), without the physical presence of the Members at a common venue. In compliance with the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 ("Act"), SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("the Listing Regulations") and MCA Circulars, the AGM of the Company is being held through VC / OAVM up to September 30, 2023
- 2. As the AGM shall be conducted through VC / OAVM, the facility for appointment of Proxy by the Members is not available for this AGM and hence the Proxy Form and Attendance Slip including Route Map are not annexed to this Notice.
- 3. Institutional/ Corporate members intending to represent through their authorized representatives in the AGM through VC/OAVM and to vote through remote e-voting or vote at the AGM are requested to send to the Company a certified copy of the board resolution authorising their representative to the designated e-mail address of the Company i.e. <a href="mailto:vakilgroup@gmail.com">vakilgroup@gmail.com</a> with a copy marked to CDSL at helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com and to the Scrutinizer at <a href="mailto:ruchikotak@gmail.com">ruchikotak@gmail.com</a>.
- 4. Details under Regulation 36(3) of the SEBI (Listing Obligation and Disclosure Requirement) Regulations, 2015 ("Listing Regulations, 2015) with the Stock Exchange in respect of the Directors seeking appointment/reappointment at the Annual General Meeting and as required under Secretarial Standards 2 on General meetings issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India, forms integral part of the notice. The Directors have furnished the requisite declarations for their appointment / re-appointment.
- 5. Shareholders holding shares in physical mode and who have not updated their email addresses with the Company are requested to update their email addresses by sending a duly signed request letter to the Registrar and Share Transfer Agents of the Company, M/s. Link intime (India) Private Limited by providing Folio No. and Name of shareholder Register the e-mail id, Mobile no., etc or the same can be updated by visiting the following link:

https://linkintime.co.in/EmailReg/Email Register.html

Shareholders holding shares in dematerialized mode are requested to register / update their email addresses with the relevant Depository Participants.

### CDSL e-Voting System – For e-voting and Joining Virtual meetings

- 6. Pursuant to the provisions of Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 (as amended) and Regulation 44 of SEBI (Listing Obligations & Disclosure Requirements) Regulations 2015 (as amended), and MCA Circulars dated April 08, 2020, April 13, 2020, May 05, 2020 and January 13, 2021 and General Circular No. 21/2021 dated 14<sup>th</sup> December, 2021 and Circular No. 2/2022 dated 5<sup>th</sup> May, 2022 the Company is providing facility of remote e-voting to its Members in respect of the business to be transacted at the AGM. For this purpose, the Company has entered into an agreement with Central Depository Services (India) Limited (CDSL) for facilitating voting through electronic means, as the authorized e-Voting's agency. The facility of casting votes by a member using remote e-voting as well as the e-voting system on the date of the AGM will be provided by CDSL.
- 7. The Members can join the AGM in the VC/OAVM mode 15 minutes before the scheduled time of the commencement of the Meeting by following the procedure mentioned in the Notice. The facility of participation at the AGM through VC/OAVM will be made available to atleast 1000 members on first come first served basis. This will not include large Shareholders (Shareholders holding 2% or more shareholding), Promoters, Institutional Investors, Directors, Key Managerial Personnel, the Chairpersons of the Audit Committee, Nomination and Remuneration Committee and Stakeholders Relationship Committee, Auditors etc. who are allowed to attend the AGM without restriction on account of first come first served basis.

- 8. The attendance of the Members attending the AGM through VC/OAVM will be counted for the purpose of ascertaining the quorum under Section 103 of the Companies Act, 2013.
- 9. Pursuant to MCA Circular No. 14/2020 dated April 08, 2020, the facility to appoint proxy to attend and cast vote for the members is not available for this AGM. However, in pursuance of Section 112 and Section 113 of the Companies Act, 2013, representatives of the members such as the President of India or the Governor of a State or body corporate can attend the AGM through VC/OAVM and cast their votes through e-voting.
- 10. In compliance with the aforementioned MCA and SEBI Circulars, Notice of the AGM along with the Annual Report 2022-23 is being sent only through electronic mode to those Members whose email addresses are registered with the Company/ Depository Participant. Members may note that the Notice and Annual Report 2022-23 will also be available on the Company's website www.elcidinvestments.com, websites of the Stock Exchanges i.e. BSE Limited at www.bseindia.com. The AGM Notice is also disseminated on the website of CDSL (agency for providing the Remote e-Voting facility and e-voting system during the AGM) i.e. <a href="https://www.evotingindia.com">www.evotingindia.com</a>.
- 11. The AGM has been convened through VC/OAVM in compliance with applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 read with MCA Circular No. 14/2020 dated April 8, 2020 and MCA Circular No. 17/2020 dated April 13, 2020, MCA Circular No. 20/2020 dated May 05, 2020, MCA Circular No. 02/2021 dated January 13, 2021, MCA Circular No. 21/2021 dated 14<sup>th</sup> December, 2021 and MCA Circular No. 2/2022 dated 5<sup>th</sup> May, 2022.
- 12. In continuation of this Ministry's General Circular No. 20/2020, dated 5<sup>th</sup> May, 2020, Circular No. 02/2021 dated 13<sup>th</sup> January, 2021, Circular No. 21/2021 dated 14<sup>th</sup> December, 2021, Circular No. 2/2022 dated 5<sup>th</sup> May, 2022 and Circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/PoD-2/P/CIR/2023/4 dated January 05, 2023 and after due examination, it has been decided to allow companies to hold AGM through Video Conference("VC") or Other Audio Visual Means ("OAVM") upto 30<sup>th</sup> September, 2023 in accordance with requirements provided in paragraph 3 & 4 of General Circular No. 20/2020 and as per MCA Circular No. 10/2022 dated 28<sup>th</sup> December 2022 & dated January 05, 2023 without the physical presence of members at a common venue. Hence, in compliance with the Circulars, the AGM of the Company is being held through VC/OAVM.

## 13. THE INSTRUCTIONS OF SHAREHOLDERS FOR E-VOTING AND JOINING VIRTUAL MEETINGS ARE AS UNDER:

- (i) The voting period begins on Tuesday, 19<sup>th</sup> September 2023 at 9.00 a.m. and ends on Thursday, 21<sup>st</sup> September 2023 at 5.00 p.m. During this period shareholders of the Company holding shares either in physical form or in dematerialized form, as on the cut-off date (record date) of Friday, 15<sup>th</sup> September, 2023 may cast their vote electronically. The e-voting module shall be disabled by CDSL for voting thereafter.
- (ii) Shareholders who have already voted prior to the meeting date would not be entitled to vote at the meeting venue.
- (iii) Pursuant to SEBI Circular No. **SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD/CIR/P/2020/242 dated December 09, 2020**, under Regulation 44 of Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, listed entities are required to provide remote e-voting facility to its shareholders, in respect of all shareholders' resolutions. However, it has been observed that the participation by the public non-institutional shareholders/retail shareholders is at a negligible level.

Currently, there are multiple e-voting service providers (ESPs) providing e-voting facility to listed entities in India. This necessitates registration on various ESPs and maintenance of multiple user IDs and passwords by the shareholders.

In order to increase the efficiency of the voting process, pursuant to a public consultation, it has been decided to enable e-voting to all the demat account holders, by way of a single login credential, through their demat accounts/ websites of Depositories/ Depository Participants. Demat account holders would be able to cast their vote without having to register again with the ESPs, thereby, not only facilitating seamless authentication but also enhancing ease and convenience of participating in e-voting process.

(iv) In terms of **SEBI circular no. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD/CIR/P/2020/242 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.

Pursuant to abovesaid SEBI Circular, Login method for e-Voting and joining virtual meetings for Individual shareholders holding securities in Demat mode CDSL/NSDL is given below:

	Login Method
Individual Shareholders holding securities in Demat mode with CDSL Depository	<ol> <li>Users who have opted for CDSL Easi / Easiest facility, can login through their existing user id and password. Option will be made available to reach e-voting page without any further authentication. The users to login to Easi / Easiest are requested to visit cdsl website www.cdslindia.com and click on login icon &amp; New System Myeasi Tab.</li> <li>After successful login the Easi / Easiest user will be able to see the e-voting option for eligible companies where the evoting is in progress as per the information</li> </ol>
	provided by company. On clicking the evoting option, the user will be able to see e-Voting page of the e-Voting service provider for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting. Additionally, there is also links provided to access the system of all e-Voting Service Providers i.e. CDSL/NSDL/KARVY/LINKINTIME, so that the user can visit the e-Voting service providers' website directly.
	3) If the user is not registered for Easi/Easiest, option to register is available at cdsl website www.cdslindia.com and click on login & New System Myeasi Tab and then click on registration option.
	4) Alternatively, the user can directly access e-Voting page by providing Demat Account Number and PAN No. from a e-Voting link available on www.cdslindia.com 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 able to see the e-Voting option where the evoting is in progress and also able to directly access the system of all e-Voting Service Providers.
Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with NSDL Depository	1) 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: <a href="https://eservices.nsdl.com">https://eservices.nsdl.com</a> 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 page. Click on company name or e-Voting service provider name and you will be re-directed to e-Voting service provider website for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting.
	2) If the user is not registered for IDeAS e-Services, option to register is available at <a href="https://eservices.nsdl.com">https://eservices.nsdl.com</a> . Select "Register Online for IDeAS "Portal or click at <a href="https://eservices.nsdl.com/SecureWeb/IdeasDirectReg.jsp">https://eservices.nsdl.com/SecureWeb/IdeasDirectReg.jsp</a>
	3) Visit the e-Voting website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the following URL: <a href="https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/">https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/</a> either on a Personal Computer or on a mobile. Once the home page of e-Voting system is launched, click on the icon "Login"

You can also login using the login credentials of your demat account through your Depository Participant registered with NSDL/CDSL for e-Voting facility. After Successful 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 company
name or e-Voting service provider name and you will be redirected to e-Voting service provider website 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 abovementioned website.

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

Login type	Helpdesk details
Individual Shareholders holding securities in Demat mode with <b>CDSL</b>	Members facing any technical issue in login can contact CDSL helpdesk by sending a request at
securities in Demat mode with CDSL	CDSL helpdesk by sending a request at helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.comor contact at toll free no. 1800 22 55 33
Individual Shareholders holding securities in Demat mode with <b>NSDL</b>	Members facing any technical issue in login can contact NSDL helpdesk by sending a request at evoting@nsdl.co.in or call at: 022 - 4886 7000 and 022 - 2499 7000

# (v) Login method for e-Voting and joining virtual meetings for **Physical shareholders and shareholders** other than individual holding in Demat form.

- 1. The shareholders should log on to the e-voting website www.evotingindia.com.
- 2. Click on "Shareholders" module.
- 3. Now enter your User ID
  - a. For CDSL: 16 digits beneficiary ID,
  - b. For NSDL: 8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digits Client ID,
  - c. Shareholders holding shares in Physical Form should enter Folio Number registered with the Company.
- 4. Next enter the Image Verification as displayed and Click on Login.
- 5. If you are holding shares in demat form and had logged on to <a href="www.evotingindia.com">www.evotingindia.com</a> and voted on an earlier e-voting of any company, then your existing password is to be used.
- 6. If you are a first-time user follow the steps given below:

	For Physical shareholders and other than individual shareholders holding shares in Demat.		
PAN	Enter your 10 digit alpha-numeric *PAN issued by Income Tax Department (Applicable for both demat shareholders as well as physical shareholders)		
	<ul> <li>Shareholders who have not updated their PAN with the Company/Depository Participant are requested to use the sequence number sent by Company/RTA or contact Company/RTA.</li> </ul>		
Dividend	Enter the Dividend Bank Details or Date of Birth (in dd/mm/yyyy format) as		
Bank	recorded in your demat account or in the company records in order to login.		
Details			
OR Date of Birth (DOB)	<ul> <li>If both the details are not recorded with the depository or company please enter the member id / folio number in the Dividend Bank details field.</li> </ul>		

- (vi) After entering these details appropriately, click on "SUBMIT" tab.
- (vii) Shareholders holding shares in physical form will then directly reach the Company selection screen. However, shareholders holding shares in demat form will now reach 'Password Creation' menu wherein they are required to mandatorily enter their login password in the new password field. Kindly note that this password is to be also used by the demat holders for voting for resolutions of any other company on which they are eligible to vote, provided that company opts for e-voting through CDSL platform. It is strongly recommended not to share your password with any other person and take utmost care to keep your password confidential.
- (viii) For shareholders holding shares in physical form, the details can be used only for e-voting on the resolutions contained in this Notice.
  - (ix) Click on the EVSN for the relevant Elcid Investments Limited on which you choose to vote.
  - (x) On the voting page, you will see "RESOLUTION DESCRIPTION" and against the same the option "YES/NO" for voting. Select the option YES or NO as desired. The option YES implies that you assent to the Resolution and option NO implies that you dissent to the Resolution.
  - (xi) Click on the "RESOLUTIONS FILE LINK" if you wish to view the entire Resolution details.
- (xii) After selecting the resolution you have decided to vote on, click on "SUBMIT". A confirmation box will be displayed. If you wish to confirm your vote, click on "OK", else to change your vote, click on "CANCEL" and accordingly modify your vote.
- (xiii) Once you "CONFIRM" your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.
- (xiv) You can also take a print of the votes cast by clicking on "Click here to print" option on the Voting page.
- (xv) If a demat account holder has forgotten the login password then Enter the User ID and the image verification code and click on Forgot Password & enter the details as prompted by the system.
- (xvi) There is also an optional provision to upload BR/POA if any uploaded, which will be made available to scrutinizer for verification.

### (xvii) Additional Facility for Non – Individual Shareholders and Custodians –For Remote Voting only

- Non-Individual shareholders (i.e. other than Individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) and Custodians are required to log on to <a href="www.evotingindia.com">www.evotingindia.com</a> and register themselves in the "Corporates" module.
- A scanned copy of the Registration Form bearing the stamp and sign of the entity should be emailed to <a href="https://hebreau.nih.gov/hebreau/hebre

- After receiving the login details a Compliance User should be created using the admin login and password. The Compliance User would be able to link the account(s) for which they wish to vote on.
- The list of accounts linked in the login will be mapped automatically & can be delink in case of any wrong mapping.
- It is Mandatory that, a scanned copy of the Board Resolution and Power of Attorney (POA) which they have issued in favour of the Custodian, if any, should be uploaded in PDF format in the system for the scrutinizer to verify the same.
- Alternatively Non Individual shareholders are required to send the relevant Board Resolution/ Authority
  letter etc. together with attested specimen signature of the duly authorized signatory who are authorized to
  vote, to the Scrutinizer and to the Company at the email address viz; vakilgroup@gmail.com, if they have
  voted from individual tab & not uploaded same in the CDSL e-voting system for the scrutinizer to verify
  the same.

## 14. INSTRUCTIONS FOR SHAREHOLDERS ATTENDING THE AGM/EGM THROUGH VC/OAVM & E-VOTING DURING MEETING ARE AS UNDER:

- 1. The procedure for attending meeting & e-Voting on the day of the AGM is same as the instructions mentioned above for e-voting.
- 2. The link for VC/OAVM to attend meeting will be available where the EVSN of Company will be displayed after successful login as per the instructions mentioned above for e-voting.
- 3. Shareholders who have voted through Remote e-Voting will be eligible to attend the AGM. However, they will not be eligible to vote at the AGM.
- 4. Shareholders are encouraged to join the Meeting through Laptops / IPads for better experience.
- 5. Further shareholders will be required to allow Camera and use Internet with a good speed to avoid any disturbance during the meeting.
- 6. 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.
- 7. Shareholders who would like to express their views/ask questions during the meeting may register themselves as a speaker by sending their request in advance atleast **two days prior to meeting** mentioning their name, demat account number/folio number, email id, mobile number at **vakilgroup@gmail.com**. The shareholders who do not wish to speak during the AGM but have queries may send their queries in advance **seven days prior to meeting** mentioning their name, demat account number/folio number, email id, mobile number at **vakilgroup@gmail.com**. These queries will be replied to by the company suitably by email.
- 8. Those shareholders who have registered themselves as a speaker will only be allowed to express their views/ask questions during the meeting. The Company reserves the right to restrict the number of questions and number of speakers, depending on the availability of time for the AGM.
- 9. Only those shareholders, who are present in the 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 available during the AGM.
- 10. If any Votes are cast by the shareholders through the e-voting available during the AGM and if the same shareholders have not participated in the meeting through VC/OAVM facility, then the votes cast by such shareholders shall be considered invalid as the facility of e-voting during the meeting is available only to the shareholders attending the meeting.

# PROCESS FOR THOSE SHAREHOLDERS WHOSE EMAIL/MOBILE NO. ARE NOT REGISTERED WITH THE COMPANY/DEPOSITORIES FOR OBTAINING LOGIN CREDENTIALS FOR E-VOTING FOR THE RESOLUTIONS PROPOSED IN THIS NOTICE:

- 1. For Physical shareholders- please provide necessary details like 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 Company's email id at <a href="mailto:vakilgroup@gmail.com">vakilgroup@gmail.com</a> /RTA's email id at <a href="mailto:rnt.helpdesk@linkintime.co.in">rnt.helpdesk@linkintime.co.in</a>
- 2. For Demat shareholders Please update your email id & mobile no. with your respective Depository Participant (DP).
- 3. For Individual Demat shareholders Please update your email id & mobile no. with your respective Depository Participant (DP) which is mandatory while e-Voting & joining virtual meetings through Depository.
- 15. If you have any queries or issues regarding attending AGM & e-Voting from the CDSL e-Voting System, you can write an email to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com or contact at toll free no. 1800 22 55 33.
- 16. All grievances connected with the facility for voting by electronic means may be addressed to Mr. Rakesh Dalvi, Manager, (CDSL, ) Central Depository Services (India) Limited, A Wing, 25<sup>th</sup> Floor, Marathon Futurex, Mafatlal Mill Compounds, N M Joshi Marg, Lower Parel (East), Mumbai 400013 or send an email to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com or call toll free no. 1800 22 55 33.
- 17. The voting rights of members shall be in proportion to their shares of the paid-up equity share capital in the Company as on the cut-off date i.e. Friday, 15<sup>th</sup> September, 2023.
- 18. The registers required to be maintained under the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 shall be available for inspection through electronic mode during the AGM. Members are requested to write to the Company on vakilgroup@gmail.com for inspection of said documents.
- 19. The Register of Members and Transfer books of the Company will be closed from **Saturday**, **16**<sup>th</sup> **September 2023 to Friday**, **22**<sup>nd</sup> **September 2023** (both days inclusive).
- 20. The dividend recommended by the Directors, if approved by the members at the Annual General Meeting, will be paid on or after 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2023, to those members whose names appear on Register of members as on Friday, 15<sup>th</sup> September, 2023.
- 21. Those members who have not uncashed /received their Dividend Warrants for the previous years may approach the Company for claiming unpaid/unclaimed Dividend.
- 22. Members holding shares in the electronic form are hereby informed that bank particulars registered with their respective Depository Participants (DP) with whom they maintain their demat accounts, will be used by the Company for payment of Dividend. For any changes in the bank accounts, the same shall be addressed to the respective DP of the members.
- 23. Members holding shares in physical form and are desirous of either registering or changing their bank particulars are requested to intimate the same to Link Intime India Private Limited, our RTA and / or to the Company.
- 24. Members may note that as per the Income Tax Act, 1961, as amended by the Finance Act, 2020, dividends paid or distributed by the Company after 1<sup>st</sup> April 2020, shall be taxable in the hands of the shareholders and the Company shall be required to deduct tax at source (TDS) at the prescribed rates from the dividend to be paid to shareholders, subject to approval of shareholders in the ensuing AGM. The TDS rate would vary depending on the residential status of the shareholder and the documents submitted by them and accepted by the Company.
  - a. All Shareholders are requested to ensure that the below details are completed and/or updated, as applicable, in their respective demat account(s) maintained with the Depository participant(s); or in case of shares held

in physical form, with the Company, on or before the commencement of book closure from **Saturday**, 16<sup>th</sup> **September 2023 to Friday**, 22<sup>nd</sup> **September 2023 (both days inclusive)**. Please note that the following details, in case you had already registered with the Company, as available with the Company in the Register of Members/Register of Beneficial Ownership maintained by the Depositories will be relied upon by the Company, for the purpose of complying with the applicable TDS provisions:

- I. Valid Permanent Account Number (PAN).
- II. Residential status as per the Income Tax Act, 1961 i.e. Resident or Non-Resident for FY 2022-23.
- III. Category of the Shareholder viz. Mutual Fund, Insurance Company, Alternate Investment Fund (AIF) Category I and II, AIF Category III, Government (Central/State Government), Foreign Portfolio Investor (FPI)/Foreign Institutional Investor (FII): Foreign Company, FPI/FII: Others (being Individual, Firm, Trust, Artificial Juridical Person, etc.), Individual, Hindu Undivided Family (HUF), Firm, Limited Liability Partnership (LLP), Association of Persons (AOP), Body of Individuals (BOI) or Artificial Juridical Person, Trust, Domestic Company, Foreign Company, etc.
- IV. Email Address.
- V. Residential Address
- b. For Resident Shareholders, TDS is required to be deducted at the rate of 10% under Section 194 of the Income Tax Act, 1961 on the amount of dividend declared and paid by the Company in the financial year 2022-23 provided valid PAN is registered by the Shareholder. If the valid PAN is not registered, the TDS is required to be deducted at the rate of 20% under Section 206AA of the Income Tax Act, 1961. However, no tax shall be deducted on the dividends paid to resident individuals if aggregate dividend distributed or likely to be distributed during the financial year does not exceed Rs. 5000. Normal dividend(s) declared in the preceding financial year 2022 23 would be considered as the basis to determine applicability of the said threshold for the entire financial year.
  - Even in the cases where the shareholder provides valid Form 15G (for individuals, with no tax liability on total income and income not exceeding maximum amount which is not chargeable to tax) or Form 15H (for individual above the age of 60 years with no tax liability on total income), no TDS shall be deducted.
- c. For Non-resident shareholders, the TDS is required to be deducted at the rate of 20% (plus applicable surcharge and cess) under Section 195 of the Income Tax Act, 1961. Further, as per Section 90 of the Income Tax Act, 1961 the non-resident shareholder has the option to be governed by the provisions of the Double Tax Avoidance Treaty between India and the country of tax residence of the shareholder, if they are more beneficial to them. For this purpose, i.e. to avail Tax Treaty benefits, the non-resident shareholders will have to provide the following:
  - I. Self-attested copy of the PAN allotted by the Indian Income Tax authorities.
  - II. Self-attested copy of valid Tax Residency Certificate obtained from the tax authorities of the country of which the shareholder is a resident.
  - III. Self-declaration in Form 10F; and
  - IV. Self-declaration in the attached format certifying:
    - Shareholder is and will continue to remain a tax resident of the country of its residence during the Financial Year 2022-23.
    - Shareholder is eligible to claim the beneficial DTAA rate for the purposes of tax withholding on dividend declared by the Company.
    - Shareholder has no reason to believe that its claim for the benefits of the DTAA is impaired in any manner.
    - Shareholder is the ultimate beneficial owner of its shareholding in the Company and dividend receivable from the Company; and
    - Shareholder does not have a taxable presence or a permanent establishment in India during the Financial Year 2022-23.
- d. The draft of the aforementioned documents may also be accessed from the Company's website at <a href="http://elcidinvestments.com/dividend\_information/">http://elcidinvestments.com/dividend\_information/</a>

Accordingly, in order to enable us to determine the appropriate TDS / withholding tax rate applicable, shareholders are requested to submit their forms for non-deduction of tax at source (TDS) viz. 15G/15H/10F and other relevant documents as mentioned above with RTA of the company at <a href="https://linkintime.co.in/formsreg/submission-of-form-15g-15h.html">https://linkintime.co.in/formsreg/submission-of-form-15g-15h.html</a> before **Friday**, 15<sup>th</sup> **September**, 2023.

- e. It may be further noted that in case the tax on dividend is deducted at a higher rate in absence of receipt of the aforementioned details/ documents, there would still be an option available with the shareholder to file the return of income and claim an appropriate refund, if eligible. No claim shall lie against the Company for such taxes deducted.
- f. We shall arrange to email the soft copy of TDS certificate at your registered email ID in due course, post payment of the dividend.
- g. A separate communication through email will be send to shareholders on Friday, 18<sup>th</sup> August, 2023, informing the said change in Income Tax Act, 1961 and as well as relevant procedure to be adopted by the shareholders for availing the applicable tax rate.
- 25. In accordance with SEBI vide its circular no. SEBI/HO/MIRSD/RTAMB/CIR/P/2020/166 dated 7<sup>th</sup> September 2020 all share transfers shall be carried out compulsorily in the dematerialized form with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> April 2021. Hence no transfer of shares in physical forms are allowed.

Further, in compliance with SEBI vide its circular SEBI/HO/ MIRSD/MIRSD\_RTAMB/P/CIR/2022/8 dated 25<sup>th</sup> January 2022, the requests of Issue of duplicate share certificate, Claim from unclaimed suspense account, Renewal/Exchange of securities certificate, Endorsement, Sub-division / splitting of securities certificate, Consolidation of securities certificates/folios, Transmission and Transposition received by the Company in physical form will be processed and the shares will be issued in dematerialization form only.

For this purpose, the securities holder/claimant shall submit a duly filled up Form ISR-4 which is hosted on the website of the company as well as on the website of Link Intime India Pvt Ltd, Registrar and share transfer agent (RTA). The aforementioned form shall be furnished in hard copy form.

Members holding shares in physical form are requested to dematerialize their holdings at the earliest.

26. SEBI vide its Circulars No. SEBI/HO/MIRSD-PoD1/P/CIR/2023/37 dated 16<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 in suppression of earlier Circular no. SEBI/HO/MIRSD/MIRSD\_ RTAMB/P/CIR/2021/655 dated 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2021 has made it mandatory for all shareholders holding shares in physical form to furnish nomination details to the Company / RTA:

Shareholders can register their nomination details in Form SH-13 or they can choose to give declaration to opt out of Nomination by filing Form ISR-3.

In case of shareholder holding shares in physical form wishes to change the nominee or cancel the nomination then Form SH-14 needs to be filled.

The forms mentioned above are available on the website of the Company as well as on the website of RTA.

27. SEBI vide its Circulars No. SEBI/HO/MIRSD-PoD1/P/CIR/2023/37 dated 16<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 in suppression of earlier Circular no. SEBI/HO/MIRSD/MIRSD\_ RTAMB/P/CIR/2021/655 dated 3<sup>rd</sup> November, 2021, has made it mandatory for all holders holding shares in physical form to furnish to the RTA the documents / details relating, PAN, Contact details, Postal address with PIN, Mobile number, E-mail address, Bank account details (bank name and branch, bank account number, IFS code) and Specimen signature.

For furnishing the above-mentioned details, shareholder must submit Form ISR-1 and/or ISR-2 in hard copy form to the company/ RTA. The forms are available on the website of the company at http://elcidinvestments.com/investors/kyc/ as well as on the website of RTA at <a href="https://web.linkintime.co.in/KYC-downloads.html">https://web.linkintime.co.in/KYC-downloads.html</a>

28. Pursuant to the provisions of Section 124, 125 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with IEPF Authority (Accounting Audit, Transfer and Refund) Rules, 2016, dividend for the financial year 2015-16, which remain unclaimed unpaid / unclaimed for a period of 7 years will be transferred by the Company to Investor Education and Protection Fund (IEPF) established by the Central Government. Accordingly, the unclaimed dividend for the financial year 2014-15 was transferred to IEPF last year. Further all the shares in respect of which dividend has remained unpaid or unclaimed for 7 (seven) consecutive years or more are required to be transferred to the Demat Account of IEPF Authority.

- 29. During the financial year 2022-23, the company transferred to the IEPF the unclaimed dividends amounting to Rs. 13,500/-. The shares transferred to IEPF can be claimed by the Shareholders from the Authority after complying with the procedure as prescribed under IEPF Rules.
- 30. The Company has appointed M/s. Ruchi Kotak & Associates, Company Secretaries (FCS No.: 9155 /CP No.: 10484), as the Scrutinizer to scrutinize the voting through remote e-voting process and e-voting during the AGM in a fair and transparent manner.
- 31. The chairman shall, at the AGM, at the end of the discussion on the resolutions on which voting is to be held, allow voting with the assistance of scrutinizer, by use of electronic voting for all those members who are present at the AGM but have not casted their votes by availing the remote e-Voting facility.
- 32. The Scrutinizer shall, immediately after the conclusion of voting at the AGM, first count the votes cast during the AGM, thereafter unblock the votes cast through remote e-voting and make, not exceeding 2 working days of the AGM, a consolidated Scrutinizer's Report of the total votes cast in favour or against, if any, to the Chairman or a person authorised by him in writing, who shall countersign the same.
- 33. The Scrutinizer shall within a period of not exceeding 2 working days from the conclusion of the e-voting period make a Scrutinizer's Report on the votes cast in favour or against, if any, and forthwith to the Chairman or a person authorized by him, who shall countersign the same and declare the result of the voting. The results along with the report of the Scrutinizer shall be placed on the website of the Company viz. <a href="http://elcidinvestments.com/bombay-stock-exchange/">http://elcidinvestments.com/bombay-stock-exchange/</a> and on the website of CDSL viz. <a href="https://elcidinvestments.com/bombay-stock-exchange/">https://elcidinvestments.com/bombay-stock-exchange/</a> and on the website of CDSL viz. <a href="https://elcidinvestments.com/bombay-stock-exchange/">https://elcidinvestments.com/bombay-stock-exchange/</a> and on the website of CDSL viz. <a href="https://elcidinvestments.com/bombay-stock-exchange/">https://elcidinvestments.com/bombay-stock-exchange/</a> and on the website of CDSL viz. <a href="https://elcidinvestments.com/bombay-stock-exchange/">https://elcidinvestments.com/bombay-stock-exchange/</a> and on the website of CDSL viz. <a href="https://elcidinvestments.com/bombay-stock-exchange/">https://elcidinvestments.com/bombay-stock-exchange/</a> and on the website of CDSL viz. <a href="https://elcidinvestments.com/bombay-stock-exchange/">https://elcidinvestments.com/bombay-stock-exchange/</a> and on the website of CDSL viz. <a href="https://elcidinvestments.com/bombay-stock-exchange/">https://elcidinvestments.com/bombay-stock-exchange/</a> and on the website of CDSL viz. <a href="https://elcidinvestments.com/bombay-stock-exchange/">https://elcidinvestments.com/bombay-stock-exchange/</a> and on the website of CDSL viz. <a href="https://elcidinvestments.com/">https://elcidinvestments.com/</a> by the Chairman or a person authorized by him in writing. The results shall also be immediately forwarded to the BSE Limited, Mumbai, where the shares of the Company are listed.
- 34. Information required under Regulation 36(3) of the Listing Regulations and Secretarial Standard 2 on "General Meetings" with respect to the seeking appointment/re-appointment of Directors at the forthcoming AGM is as under:

Name of the Director	Miss. Amrita Amar Vakil
Director Identification Number	00170725
Age	42 years
Qualification	Bachelor of Science Degree in Human Resources and Economics Degree from Michigan State University, East Lansing, Michigan.
Designation	Director
Date of Appointment	22 <sup>nd</sup> August 2019.
Nature of expertise in functional area	Ms. Amrita Vakil began her career at Asian Paints Limited, in the year 2003 in the Human Resource department and was responsible for end-to-end training of the Executives cadre of the Company. She was also instrumental in the launch of employees' intranet portal of Asian Paints Limited. In the year 2005, she joined Frost & Sullivan, an American Consulting Company as a Senior HR Executive and managed a Generalist HR profile. She handled HR operations for all their India & Middle East offices. She spent a total of 5 (five) years at Frost and Sullivan and then she quit the organization to pursue her passion in the hospitality sector and she continues to work towards it.
Expertise in specific functional areas	Human Resources, General Management & Finance
No of Shares held in the Company	12,150
Directorships and Committee Membership held in other Companies	<ol> <li>Asian Paints Limited</li> <li>Suptaswar Investments and Trading Company Limited</li> <li>Murahar Investments and Trading Company Limited</li> </ol>
Chairmanship /Membership in statutory committee of the Board of *this company *Of other companies	Nil Member of Investment Committee of Asian Paints Limited. Member of Corporate Social Responsibility Committee of Asian Paints Limited. Member of Audit Committee of Murahar Investment and Trading Company Limited Member of Nomination & Remuneration Committee of Murahar Investment and Trading Company Limited
Inter se relationship between Directors KMP	Daughter of Dipika Vakil & Sister of Varun Vakil Sister in law of Ragini Vakil
No. of Board Meetings attended during 2022-23.	6
Details of Remuneration last drawn	NA
Terms and Conditions of re-appointment	To be appointed as non-executive Director liable to retire by rotation.
Details of proposed remuneration.	She will be paid remuneration only in the form of sitting fees.

The Board of Directors proposes the re-appointment of Ms. Amrita Amar Vakil as Non-Executive Director of the Company and recommend the resolutions as set out in point no. 3 of the notice for the approval of the members at the ensuing Annual General Meeting.

None of the Directors and KMPs except Miss. Amrita Vakil, Mrs. Dipika Vakil, Mrs. Ragini Vakil and Mr. Varun Vakil and their relatives are interested in these resolutions except to the extent of their shareholding in the company.

**By Order of the Board** For **Elcid Investments Limited** 

Varun Vakil Chairman

Mumbai: May 29, 2023

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