Notice

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the 31<sup>st</sup>Annual General Meeting of the members of the Company, Arfin India Limited is scheduled to be held on Friday, September 29, 2023 at 12:00 p.m. (IST) through Video Conferencing (VC) or Other Audio Visual Means (OAVM) to transact the following businesses:

#### **Ordinary Businesses**

#### 1. Adoption of Financial Statements

To receive, consider and adopt the audited financial statements of the Company for the financial year ended on March 31, 2023 and the Reports of the Board of Directors and Auditors thereon.

### 2. Appointment of Director(s) Retiring by Rotation

To appoint a Director in place of Mr. Jatin M. Shah (DIN: 00182683), who retires by rotation and being eligible, offers himself for re-appointment.

### **Special Businesses**

# 3. Shifting of Registered Office of the Company Outside the Local Limits of City but under the same Registrar of Companies (ROC) and within same state

To consider and if thought fit, to pass the following resolution as a **Special Resolution**:

RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Section 12 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act 2013 read with rules made thereunder (including any statutory modification or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force), consent of the members be and is hereby accorded for shifting the Registered Office of the Company from B-302, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Pelican House, Nr. Natraj Cinema, Gujarat Chamber of Commerce Building, Ashram Road Ahmedabad – 380009, Gujarat to Plot No. 117, Ravi Industrial Estate, Behind Prestige Hotel,

Billeshwarpura, Chhatral, Gandhinagar – 382729, Gujarat, outside local limits of city, where the registered office of the Company is presently situated.

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Board be and is hereby authorized to delegate all or any of the powers to any committee of directors with power to further delegate to any other officer(s) / authorized representative(s) of the Company to do all acts, deeds and things and take all such steps as may be necessary, proper or expedient to give effect to this resolution.

### 4. Ratification of Remuneration Payable to Cost Auditors

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

**RESOLVED THAT** pursuant to the provisions of Section 148 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 read with the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014 and the Companies (Cost Records and Audit) Rules, 2014 including any amendment, modification or variation thereof, the Company hereby ratifies the remuneration of ₹ 50,000 (Rupees Fifty Thousand Only) plus GST and out of pocket expenses payable to M/s. Ashish Bhavsar & Associates, Cost Accountants (FRN: 000387) who have been appointed by the Board of Directors as Cost Auditors of the Company, to conduct audit of cost records maintained by the Company as prescribed under the Companies (Cost Records and Audit) Rules 2014, for the financial year ending on March 31, 2024.

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### **Registered Office**

B-302, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Pelican House, Gujarat Chamber of Commerce Building, Ashram Road, Ahmedabad – 380009, Gujarat, India.

CIN: L65990GJ1992PLC017460

Tel. No.: +91 2764 232620/21 Email: <u>investors@arfin.co.in</u> Website: <u>www.arfin.co.in</u>

#### For and on Behalf of Board of Directors

Mahendra R. Shah

(Chairman)

(DIN: 00182746)

Place: Ahmedabad Date: August 11, 2023 **Notes** 

- 1. An Explanatory Statement pursuant to Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013, ('the Act') relating to the Special Business to be transacted at the Annual General Meeting ('AGM') is annexed hereto. Further, the relevant details with respect to Item No. 3 and 4 pursuant to Regulation 36(3) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("SEBI Listing Regulations") and Secretarial Standard on General Meetings issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India, in respect of Director seeking reappointment at this AGM are also annexed.
- 2. The Government of India, Ministry of Corporate Affairs has allowed conducting Annual General Meeting through Video Conferencing (VC) or Other Audio Visual Means (OAVM) and dispended the personal presence of the members at the meeting. Accordingly, the Ministry of Corporate Affairs issued Circular No. 14/2020 dated 8th April, 2020, Circular No. 17/2020 dated 13th April, 2020, Circular No. 20/2020 dated 5<sup>th</sup> May, 2020, Circular No. 02/2021 dated 13th January, 2021, Circular No. 21/2021 dated 14<sup>th</sup> December, 2021, Circular No. 02/2022 dated 5<sup>th</sup> May 2022 and latest being 10/2022 dated 28th December, 2022 ("MCA Circulars") and Circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD /CMD2/CIR/P/2021/11 dated 15th January, 2021 and Circular No. SEBI/HO/DDHS/P/CIR /2022/0063 dated 13<sup>th</sup> May, 2022 and SEBI/HO/ CRD/PoD-2/P/CIR/2023/4 dated 5th January, 2023 issued by the Securities Exchange Board of India ("SEBI Circular") prescribing the procedures and manner of conducting the Annual General Meeting through VC/OVAM. In terms of the said circulars, the 31st Annual General Meeting ("AGM") of the Members will be held through VC/OAVM. Hence, Members can attend and participate in the AGM through VC/OAVM only. The registered office of the

- Company shall be deemed to be the venue for the AGM. The facility of casting votes by a member using remote e-Voting system as well as venue e-Voting during the AGM will be provided by National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL).
- 3. 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
- 4. Institutional / Corporate Members are requested to send a scanned copy (PDF / JPEG format) of the Board Resolution authorizing its representatives to attend and vote at the AGM, pursuant to Section 113 of the Act, on email id of the Scrutinizer <a href="mailto:kshahcs@yahoo.co.in">kshahcs@yahoo.co.in</a> and the email id of Company at <a href="mailto:cs@arfin.co.in">cs@arfin.co.in</a> with a copy marked to <a href="mailto:evoting@nsdl.co.in">evoting@nsdl.co.in</a>.
- 5. The Register of Members and Share Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from Saturday, September 23, 2023 to Friday, September 29, 2023 (both days inclusive) for the purpose of Annual General Meeting.

# ELECTRONIC DISPATCH OF ANNUAL REPORT AND PROCESS FOR REGISTRATION OF EMAIL ID FOR OBTAINING COPY OF ANNUAL REPORT:

6. In accordance with SEBI Circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD2/CIR/P/2022/62 dated May 13, 2022, owing to the difficulties involved in dispatching of physical copies of the financial statements (including Report of Board of Directors, Auditor's report or other documents required to be attached therewith), such statements including the Notice of AGM are being sent in electronic mode to members whose e-mail address is registered with the

Company or the Depository Participant(s).

- 7. Members holding shares in physical mode and who have not updated their email addresses with the Company are requested to update their email addresses by writing to the RTA of the Company on the email id mcsstaahmd@gmail.com along with the copy of the signed request letter mentioning the name and address of the member, self-attested copy of the PAN card, and self-attested copy of any document (eg.: Driving License, Election Identity Card, Passport) in support of the address of the member. Members holding shares in dematerialized mode are requested to register / update their email addresses with the relevant Depository Participants. In case of any queries / difficulties in registering the e-mail address, members may write to RTA of the Company on the email id mcsstaahmd@gmail.com.
- 8. The Notice of AGM along with Annual Report for the financial year 2022-23, is available on the website of the Company at <a href="www.arfin.co.in">www.arfin.co.in</a>, on the website of BSE Limited and the AGM Notice is also available on the website of NSDL (agency for providing the Remote e-Voting facility) i.e. <a href="www.evoting.nsdl.com">www.evoting.nsdl.com</a>.

### PROCEDURE FOR JOINING THE AGM THROUGH VC/OAVM

9. Member will be provided with a facility to attend the AGM through VC/OAVM through the NSDL e-Voting system. Members may access by following the steps mentioned below in Point No. 20 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 i.e. 125805** 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.
- 10. The Members can join the AGM in the VC/OAVM mode 15 minutes before and 15 minutes after 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 for 1,000 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.
- **11.** Members who need assistance before or during the AGM can contact NSDL on <a href="mailto:evoting@nsdl.co.in">evoting@nsdl.co.in</a> / 022 48867000 / 022 24997000.
- **12.** Members are encouraged to join the Meeting through Laptops for better experience.
- 13. Further Members will be required to allow Camera and use Internet with a good speed to avoid any disturbance during the meeting.
- 14. 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.

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**15.** The attendance of the Members attending the AGM through VC/OAVM will be counted for the purpose of reckoning the quorum under Section 103 of the Companies Act, 2013.

16. 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 the SEBI (Listing Obligations & Disclosure Requirements) Regulations 2015 (as amended), and the Circulars issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs dated April 08, 2020, April 13, 2020, May 05, 2020, January 13, 2021, December 14, 2021, May 05, 2022, December 28, 2022 and in terms of SEBI vide Circular no. SE SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD2/CIR/P/2022/62 dated May 13, 2022 in relation to e-Voting facility provided by listed entities, the members are provided with the facility to cast their vote electronically, through the e-Voting services provided by NSDL, on all the resolutions set forth in this Notice.

## PROCEDURE TO RAISE QUESTIONS / SEEK CLARIFICATIONS WITH RESPECT TO ANNUAL REPORT:

- 17. As the AGM is being conducted through VC/OAVM, for the smooth conduct of proceedings of the AGM, members are encouraged to express their views / send their queries in advance mentioning their name demat account number / folio number, email id, mobile number at investors@arfin.co.in or cs@arfin.co.in. Questions / queries received by the Company till 5.00 p.m. IST on September 19, 2023 shall only be considered and the same will be replied by the Company suitably.
- **18.** Members who would like to express their views or ask questions during the AGM may use chat

facility to raise questions to moderator. The moderator then will ask one by one question during the meeting. Shareholders who would like to express their views / ask questions during the meeting may register themselves as a speaker shareholder and may send their request mentioning their name, demat account number / folio number, email id, mobile number at <a href="mailto:investor@arfin.co.in">investor@arfin.co.in</a>. Those shareholders who have registered themselves as a speaker shareholder will only be allowed to express their views / ask questions during the meeting.

**19.** The Company reserves the right to restrict the number of questions and number of speakers, as appropriate for smooth conduct of the AGM.

### 20. THE INSTRUCTIONS FOR MEMBERS FOR REMOTE E-VOTING ARE AS UNDER:-

The remote e-Voting period begins on Tuesday, September 26, 2023 at 9:00 AM (IST) and ends on Thursday, September 28, 2023 at 5:00 PM (IST). The remote e-Voting module shall be disabled by NSDL for voting thereafter.

During this period, Members holding shares either in physical form or in dematerialized form, as on Friday, September 22, 2023 i.e. cut-off date, may cast their vote electronically. Those members, who will be present in the AGM through VC / OAVM facility and 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 e-Voting system during the AGM. Any recipient of the Notice, who has no voting rights as on cut-off date, shall treat this notice as information only. The voting rights of members shall be in proportion to their shares in the paid-up equity share capital of the Company as on the cut-off date.

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### 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. | A. NSDL IDeAS Facility If you are already registered for NSDL IDeAS Facility, follow the below steps:  |  |  |  |
|   | 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.  |  |  |  |
|   | 2. Once the home page of e-Services is launched, click on the "Beneficial Owner" icon under "Login" which is available under "IDeAS" section.  |  |  |  |
|   | 3. 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.  |  |  |  |
|   | 4. Click on "Access to e-Voting" under e-Voting services and you will be able to see e-Voting page.  |  |  |  |
|   | 5. Click on options available against company name or e-Voting service<br>provider - NSDL and you will be re-directed to NSDL e-Voting website for<br>casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual<br>meeting and voting during the meeting.   |  |  |  |
|   | If you are not registered, follow the below steps:  a. Option to register is available at <a href="https://eservices.nsdl.com">https://eservices.nsdl.com</a> .  b. Select "Register Online for IDeAS" Portal or click at <a href="https://eservices.nsdl.com">https://eservices.nsdl.com</a> /SecureWeb/IdeasDirectReg.jsp  c. Please follow steps given in points 1-5. |  |  |  |
|   | B. e-voting website of NSDL     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  |  |  |  |

| Type of shareholders                                | Login Method   |  |  |  |  |
|---|--|--|--|--|--|
|   | mobile.  |  |  |  |  |
|   | 2. Once the home page of e-Voting system is launched, click on the icon "Login" which is available under 'Shareholder / Member' section.   |  |  |  |  |
|   | 3. A new screen will open. You will have to enter your User ID (i.e. your sixteen digits demat account number held with NSDL), Password / OTP and a Verification Code as shown on the screen.  |  |  |  |  |
|   | 4. 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 and voting during the meeting. |  |  |  |  |
|   | C. Shareholders / Members can also download NSDL mobile app "NSDL Speede" facility by scanning the QR code mentioned below for seamless voting experience  NSDL Mobile App is available on   |  |  |  |  |
|   | App Store Google Play  |  |  |  |  |
|   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Individual<br>Shareholders<br>holding securities in | 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.  |  |  |  |  |
| demat mode with CDSL                                | The URL for users to login to Easi / Easiest are https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasi/home/login or www.cdslindia.com/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 <a href="https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasi/Registration/EasiRegistration.">https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasi/Registration/EasiRegistration.</a>  |  |  |  |  |

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| Type of shareholders  | Login Method   |  |  |  |  |
|---|--|--|--|--|--|
|   | 4. Alternatively, the user can directly access e-Voting page by providing demat Account Number and PAN No. from a link in <a href="www.cdslindia.com">www.cdslindia.com</a> 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. <b>NSDL</b> where the e-voting is in progress. |  |  |  |  |
| Individual<br>Shareholders  | You can also login using the login credentials of your demat account through your Depository Participant registered with NSDL/CDSL for e-Voting facility.  |  |  |  |  |
| (holding securities in demat mode) login through their depository | 2. 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.  |  |  |  |  |
| participants  | 3. 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 and 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. 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 <a href="mailto:evoting@nsdl.co.in">evoting@nsdl.co.in</a> or call at 022 - 4886 7000 and 022 - 2499 7000.                 |  |  |
| 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 <a href="mailto:helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com">helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com</a> or contact toll free no. 1800-22-55-33. |  |  |

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?

1. Visit the e-Voting website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the following URL:

- https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/ 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.
- 3. 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.

4. 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.

5. 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 is12************************************  |  |  |
| c) For Members holding shares in Physical Form.                | EVEN Number followed by Folio Number registered with the company   |  |  |
|  | For example if folio number is 001*** and EVEN is 125805 then user ID is -125805001***.  |  |  |

- 6. Password details for shareholders other than Individual shareholders are given below:
  - a) If you are already registered for e-Voting, then you can use your existing password to login and cast your vote.
  - b) If you are using NSDL e-Voting system for the first time, you will need to retrieve the 'initial password' which was communicated to you. Once you retrieve your 'initial password', you need to enter the 'initial password' and the system will force you to change your password.
  - c) How to retrieve your 'initial password'?
    - (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 (i.e. point no. 21).

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- 7. 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 <a href="https://www.evoting.nsdl.com">www.evoting.nsdl.com</a>.
  - b) Physical User Reset Password?" (If you are holding shares in physical mode) option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com.
  - 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.
- 8. After entering your password, tick on Agree to "Terms and Conditions" by selecting on the check box.
- 9. Now, you will have to click on "Login" button.
- 10.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.

- 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 125805" 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.
- You can also take the printout of the votes cast by you by clicking on the print option on the confirmation page.
- Once you confirm your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.

#### **GENERAL GUIDELINES FOR SHAREHOLDERS**

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 <a href="https://www.evoting.nsdl.com">www.evoting.nsdl.com</a> to reset the password.

In case of any queries related to e-Voting, you may refer the Frequently Asked Questions ("FAQs") for Shareholders and e-voting user manual for Shareholders available at the

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download section of <a href="https://www.evoting.nsdl.com">https://www.evoting.nsdl.com</a>. For any grievances connected with facility for evoting, please contact

### Ms. Pallavi Mhatre, Manager, NSDL,

4th Floor, 'A' Wing, Trade World, Kamala Mills Compound, Senapati Bapat Marg, Lower Parel, Mumbai 400 013.

E-mail: evoting@nsdl.co.in,

Toll free no: 022 - 48867000 / 022 - 24997000

Contact no: 022-24994545

- 21. Process for those shareholders whose email ids are not registered with the depositories for procuring user id and password and registration of email ids for e-Voting for the resolutions set out in this notice:
  - (i) 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), and AADHAR (self-attested scanned copy of Aadhar Card), and Communication details by email to investors@arfin.co.in. Members may write to RTA of the Company on the email id mcsstaahmd@gmail.com.
  - (ii) 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 investors@arfin.co.in.

If you are an Individual shareholder holding securities in demat mode, you are requested to refer to the login method explained at step 1 (A) i.e. Login method for e-Voting and joining virtual meeting for Individual

### shareholders holding securities in demat mode.

- (iii)Alternatively shareholders / members may send a request to <a href="mailto:evoting@nsdl.co.in">evoting@nsdl.co.in</a> for procuring user id and password for e-Voting by providing above mentioned documents.
- (iv)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 required to update their mobile number and email ID correctly in their demat account in order to access e-Voting facility.

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

- (i) The procedure for e-Voting on the day of the AGM is same as the instructions mentioned above for remote e-Voting.
- (ii) Only those members / shareholders, who will be 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 in the AGM.
- (iii) Members 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.
- (iv)The details of the person who may be contacted for any grievances connected with the facility for e-Voting on the day of the AGM

shall be the same person mentioned for Remote e-Voting.

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

23. Members are requested to note that pursuant to the provisions of Section 124 of the Companies Act, 2013, the amount of dividend unclaimed or unpaid for a period of 7 years from the date of transfer to Unpaid Dividend Account, shall be transferred to the Investor Education &

Protection Fund (IEPF) set up by Government of India and no claim shall lie against the Company after the transfer of Unpaid or Unclaimed Dividend amount to the Government

24. The balance lying in the unpaid / unclaimed dividend account of the Company in respect of dividend declared for the financial year 2014-15 is transferred to the Investor Education and Protection Fund.

The following are the details of dividend paid by the Company and their respective due dates of transfer to such fund of the Central Government, which remains unpaid:

| Sr.<br>No. | Financial<br>Year | Type of<br>Dividend | Unclaimed /<br>Unpaid Dividend (₹) | Corresponding<br>Equity Shares | Due Date of<br>Transfer |
|------------|-------------------|---------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1          | 2015-16           | Final Dividend      | 1,80,162                           | 1,20,108                       | 17/10/2023              |
| 2          | 2016-17           | Final Dividend      | 1,22,960                           | 61,480                         | 17/10/2024              |
| 3          | 2017-18           | Final Dividend      | 2,16,130                           | 1,08,065                       | 31/10/2025              |

The members are also requested to note that all shares on which dividend remains unclaimed for seven consecutive years or more shall be transferred to the IEPF account in compliance with Section 124 of the Companies Act, 2013 and the applicable Rules. In view of this, members are requested to claim their dividends from the Company, within the stipulated timeline. The members, whose unclaimed dividends have been transferred to IEPF, may claim the same by making an application to the IEPF Authority after complying with the procedure prescribed under the IEPF Rules.

- 25. The relevant details, pursuant to Regulation 26(4) and 36(3) of the SEBI (Listing Obligation and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 in respect of the directors seeking Reappointment at the AGM, forms integral part of the Notice. Other details as required under Secretarial Standard 2 are included in the Corporate Governance Report, which forms part of the Annual Report. The directors have furnished the requisite consents / declarations for their Re-appointment.
- 26. Members may please note that SEBI vide its Circular No. SEBI/HO/MIRSD/MIRSD/RTAMB/P /CIR/2022/8 dated January 25, 2022 has

mandated the listed companies to issue securities in dematerialized form only while processing service requests viz. Issue of duplicate securities 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. Accordingly, Members are requested to make service requests by submitting a duly filled and signed Form ISR-4, the format of which is available on the website of the Company's Registrar and Transfer Agents, MCS Share Transfer Agent Limited at <a href="https://www.mcsregistrars.com/">https://www.mcsregistrars.com/</a>. It

- may be noted that any service request can be processed only after the folio is KYC Compliant.
- 27. SEBI vide its notification dated January 24, 2022 has mandated that all requests for transfer of securities including transmission and transposition requests shall be processed only in dematerialized form. In view of the same and to eliminate all risks associated with physical shares and avail various benefits of dematerialisation, Members are advised to dematerialize the shares held by them in physical form. Members can contact the Company or RTA, for assistance in this regard.
- 28. Members are requested to intimate changes, if any, pertaining to their name, postal address, email address, telephone / mobile numbers, Permanent Account Number (PAN), mandates, nominations, power of attorney, etc., to their DPs if the shares are held by them in electronic form and to the RTA of the Company on the email id <a href="mailto:mcsstaahmd@gmail.com">mcsstaahmd@gmail.com</a>, if the shares are held by them in physical form.
- 29. 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. 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 "MCS Share Transfer Agent Limited at <a href="mailto:mcsstaahmd@gmail.com">mcsstaahmd@gmail.com</a> in case the shares are held in physical form.
- 30. The Company has appointed Mr. Kamlesh M. Shah, proprietor of M/s. Kamlesh M. Shah & Co., Practicing Company Secretary, Ahmedabad (ICSI membership number: ACS 8356,

- certificate of practice number: 2072), who in the opinion of the Board is a duly qualified person as a scrutinizer to scrutinize the voting processes in a fair and transparent manner.
- 31. The scrutinizer shall, immediately after the conclusion of voting at the annual general meeting, count votes cast at the meeting, thereafter unblock votes cast through remote e-Voting in presence of at least two witnesses not in employment of the Company and present a consolidated scrutinizers' report of the total votes cast in favour or against, if any, to the Chairman or a person authorized by him in writing who shall countersign the same.
- 32. The results declared along with the scrutinizer's report shall be placed on the Company's website <a href="www.arfin.co.in">www.arfin.co.in</a> and on the website of NSDL and shall be communicated to the stock exchange within the time prescribed by the law.
- **33.** The resolution shall be deemed to be passed on the date of the annual general meeting, subject to the same being with requisite majority.

### PROCEDURE FOR INSPECTION OF DOCUMENTS

- 34. All the documents referred to in the accompanying Notice and Explanatory Statements, shall be available for inspection through electronic mode, for which the request required to be sent on and before September 19, 2023.
- 35. 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

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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 from the date of circulation of this Notice up to September 19, 2023. Members seeking to inspect such documents can send an email to investors@arfin.co.in.

### **Registered Office**

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#### For and on Behalf of Board of Directors

Mahendra R. Shah

(Chairman)

(DIN: 00182746)

Place: Ahmedabad Date: August 11, 2023 Pursuant to Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013 (Including Additional Information on Director(s) Recommended for Appointment / Re-Appointment as Required Under Regulation 36(3) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and Under the Secretarial Standards on General Meetings)

### In Respect of Item No. 2

Mr. Jatin M. Shah

### **Brief Resume and Nature of Expertise**

Mr. Jatin M. Shah aged about 39 years, born on December 09, 1983 falls under the category of promoters of the Company and is a commerce graduate from the Gujarat University. Mr. Shah is Managing Director of the Company appointed w.e.f. June 12, 2012. He has over 15 years of rich industrial experience in metal business. Mr. Shah has a rich knowledge of Indian Metal Industry with good understanding of Manufacturing, Sales, Imports, Export, International Markets, and proven his ability in Business, Setting up Systems and Procedures for Robust Growth.

### Disclosure of Relationships between Directors Inter-se

Mr. Jatin M. Shah is related to Mr. Mahendra R. Shah and Mrs. Pushpa M. Shah as being their son.

## Details of other Directorships, Membership / Chairmanships of Committees of other Board as on March 31, 2023

- Directorships: Director in Krish Ferro Industries Private Limited
- ii. Membership / Chairmanships of Committee(s) of other Board: Nil (Only Statutory Committees of Board of Directors have been taken into consideration)
- iii. Shareholding in the Company as on March 31, 2023: 2,51,59,530 equity shares of ₹ 1/-(rupees one only) each representing 15.83% of total share capital of the Company.

### No. of Board Meetings Attended during the Financial Year 2022-23

Mr. Jatin M. Shah has attended all the 5 board

meetings held during the financial year 2022-23, more details on which have been provided in the corporate governance report forming part of this annual report.

Re-appointment of Mr. Jatin M. Shah is also being proposed in accordance with the provisions of Section 152(6) of the Companies Act, 2013 i.e. appointment of director(s) in place of director(s) retiring by rotation and accordingly being eligible, Mr. Jatin M. Shah offers himself for re-appointment.

The board recommends the shareholders to approve re-appointment of Mr. Jatin M. Shah as a director of the company in terms of provisions of Section 152(6) of the Companies Act, 2013.

### In Respect of Item No. 3

Presently, the Company's Registered Office is located at B-302, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Pelican House, Nr. Natraj Cinema, Gujarat Chamber of Commerce Building, Ashram Road, Ahmedabad – 380009, Gujarat. The Board of Directors of your Company at their meeting held on May 22, 2023 has decided to shift the Registered Office of the Company from the B-302, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Pelican House, Nr. Natraj Cinema, Gujarat Chamber of Commerce Building, Ashram Road, Ahmedabad – 380009, Gujarat to Plot No. 117, Ravi Industrial Estate, Behind Prestige Hotel, Billeshwarpura, Chhatral, Gandhinagar – 382729, Gujarat to carry on the business of the Company more economically and efficiently and with better operational convenience.

All Manufacturing units of the Company are located at Chhatral, Gandhinagar and therefore shifting of Registered Office shall facilitate better coordination and interaction with shareholders, customers, Financial Investors and leading to improve investors' relationship.

As per provisions of Section 12 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 and rules made thereunder, shifting of Registered Office of the Company outside the local limits but within the same State requires approval of the Members by way of Special Resolution through Postal Ballot. Though Section 110 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 22 of the Companies (Management & Administration) Rules, 2014 requires the Company to pass the resolution through Postal Ballot for shifting of registered office outside the local limits of any city, town or village, but as per the Companies (Amendment) Act, 2017, any item of business required to be transacted at a general meeting by a Company which is required to provide the facility to members to vote by electronic means. As the Company has more than 5,000 shareholders in the Company, the Company is providing facility to the members to vote electronically at the General Meeting. Therefore the Board recommends the Resolution as set out in Item No. 3 for approval of the Members as Special Resolution.

### In Respect of Item No. 4

The Board, on the recommendation of the Audit Committee, has approved the re-appointment and remuneration of M/s. Ashish Bhavsar & Associates, Cost Accountants, Ahmedabad, (FRN.: 000387) as the Cost Auditors to conduct the audit of the cost records of the Company for the financial year ending on March 31, 2024. In accordance with the provisions of Section 148(3) of the Companies Act, 2013 read with the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014, the remuneration payable to the Cost Auditors has to be subsequently ratified by the members of the Company. Accordingly, consent of the members is sought for passing an ordinary resolution as set out in this item of the notice for ratification of the remuneration payable to the Cost Auditors for the financial year ending on March 31, 2023.

None of the directors and key managerial personnel of the Company and their relatives is concerned or interested, financially or otherwise, in this resolution. The Board of Directors recommends the resolution for members' approval.

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