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NOTICE OF 42ndANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

NOTICE is hereby given that the 42nd Annual General Meeting of the Members of Neil Industries Limited (the 'Company') will be held on Saturday, the 27th day of September, 2025 at 11:00 A.M.(IST) through Video Conferencing ('VC') / Other Audio -Visual Means ('OAVM') facility to transact the following businesses:

ORDINARY BUSINESS:

- 1.To receive, consider and adopt the Audited Financial Statements of the Company for the financial year ended March 31, 2025, together with the Reports of the Board of Directors and the Auditors thereon and in this regard, to pass the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:
- "RESOLVED THAT the Audited Financial Statements including Balance Sheet of the Company as at March 31, 2025, the Statement of Profit and Loss, the Statement of Changes in Equity and the Cash Flow Statement for the year ended on that date together with all the notes annexed thereto and the Director's and Auditor's Reports of the Company as at March 31, 2025, placed before the meeting, be and are hereby considered and adopted."
- 2.To appoint a director in place of Mr. Chandra Kant Dwivedi (DIN: 06396144) who retires by rotation, and being eligible offers himself for re-appointment as a Director of the Company and in this regard, to pass the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:
- "RESOLVED THAT Mr. Chandra Kant Dwivedi (DIN: 06396144), Director of the Company, who retires by rotation and being eligible for reappointment, be and is hereby appointed as a Non-Executive Non-Independent Director of the Company."

SPECIAL BUSINESS:

3. To consider and approve the continuation of holding of office by Shri Chandra Kant Dwivedi (DIN: 06396144) as a Non-Executive Non-Independent Director, , notwithstanding his attaining the age of seventy-five years:

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

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Regulation 17(1A) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements)Regulations, 2015 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof, for the time being in force) and based on the recommendation of Nomination and Remuneration Committee and the Board of Directors of the Company, the consent of the members of the Company be and is hereby accorded for continuation of holding of office by Shri Chandra Kant Dwivedi (DIN: 06396144) as a Non-Executive Non- Independent director of the Company, liable to retire by rotation, notwithstanding his attaining the age of 75 years on June 15, 2026;

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board be and is hereby severally authorized to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things and take all such steps as may be necessary, proper, expedient or desirable for the



purpose of giving effect to this resolution and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto."

4.To approve the appointment of M/s V. Agnihotri & Associates, Practicing Company Secretaries as Secretarial Auditors of the Company for a term of five (5) consecutive years and to fix their remuneration.

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

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Section 204 of the Companies Act, 2013, and Rule 9 of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014, read with Regulation 24A of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, ("SEBI Listing Regulations") (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof for the time being in force), based on the recommendation of the Audit Committee and Board of Directors, the consent of the members of the Company be and is hereby accorded for the appointment of M/s V. Agnihotri & Associates (Peer Review No. 2065/2022), Practicing Company Secretaries, Kanpur, as the Secretarial Auditor of the Company, for a term of five (5) consecutive years, from FY 2025-26 to FY 2029-30, on such terms and conditions, including remuneration, as may be determined by the Board of Directors of the Company (including its Committee thereof) in consultation with the Secretarial Auditor, from time to time;

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board be and is hereby severally authorized to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things and take all such steps as may be deemed necessary, proper, expedient or desirable for the purpose of giving effect to this resolution and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto."

5. Appointment of Mrs. Kiran Priyani (DIN:11219647) as a Non-Executive, Independent Director of the Company.

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

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Sections 149, 150, 152 read with Schedule IV and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 (the "Act"), the Companies (Appointment and Qualification of Directors) Rules, 2014, Regulation 17 and 25(2A) of SEBI Listing Regulations as amended from time to time and/or any other applicable laws (including statutory amendment(s), modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof, for the time being in force), if any, read with the Articles of Association of the Company, and as recommended by the Nomination and Remuneration Committee and Board of Directors, Mrs. Kiran Priyani (DIN:11219647), who was appointed as an Additional Non-Executive Independent Director of the Company with effect from August 11, 2025, and who has submitted a declaration that she meets the criteria of independence under Section 149(6) of the Act and Regulation 16(1) (b) of the Listing Regulations and being eligible for appointment under the provisions of the Act, the Rules made thereunder and the Listing Regulations, and in respect of whom the Company has received a notice in writing under Section 160 of the Act proposing her candidature for the office of the Director, not liable to retire by rotation be and is hereby appointed as a Non-Executive Independent Director of the Company, to hold office for a term of five (5) consecutive years commencing from August 11, 2025 up to the conclusion of the Annual General Meeting of the Company to be held in the calendar year 2030 or the expiry of five (5) years, whichever is earlier.



RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board be and is hereby severally authorized to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things and take all such steps as may be deemed necessary, proper, expedient or desirable for the purpose of giving effect to this resolution and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto."

Date: August 11, 2025 Place: Kanpur By Order of Board For Neil Industries Limited

Sd/-(Deepanti Verma) Company Secretary ACS No. 50852



Notes:

1. The Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Government of India ("MCA") issued General Circular Nos. 14/2020 dated 8th April 2020, 17/2020 dated 13th April 2020, 20/2020 dated 5th May 2020, 02/2021 dated 13th January, 2021, 19/2021, 20/2021 dated 14th December 2021, 02/2022 dated 5th May, 2022 and 10/2022 dated 28th December 2022, respectively, ("MCA Circulars") allowing, inter-alia, conduct of AGMs through Video Conferencing (VC) /Other Audio-Visual Means (OAVM) facility on or before 30th September 2025 and also in accordance with the requirement provided in paragraphs 3 and 4 of the MCA General Circular No. 20/2022. Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) also vide its circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD2/CIR/P/2021/11 dated 15th January 2021, Circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD2/CIR/P/2022/ 62 dated 13th May 2022 and Circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/PoD-2/ P/CIR/2023/4 dated 05th January 2023 (SEBI Circular") has provided certain relaxations from compliance with certain provisions of the SEBI ("Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements Regulations, 2015 ("Listing Regulations"). In compliance with the aforesaid MCA Circulars and SEBI Circulars and the applicable provisions of Companies Act, 2013 and rules made thereunder, and SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, the 42nd AGM of the Company is being convened and conducted through VC/OAVM. Further, Members attending the Meeting through VC/OAVM shall be counted for the purpose of reckoning the quorum under Section 103 of the Act.

Skyline Financial Services Private Limited, Registrar and Share Transfer Agent ("RTA") of the Company, shall be providing facility for voting through remote e-voting for participation in the AGM through VC/OAVM facility and e-voting during the AGM.

- 2. The Company has enabled the Members to participate at the 42nd AGM through VC/OAVM facility. The instructions for participation by Members are given in the subsequent pages.
- Since the AGM is being conducted through VC/OAVM, Members will not be able to appoint proxies
 forthis meeting. Hence proxies form, Attendance Slip and route map of the venue of the AGM are not
 annexed to the Notice.
- 4. The Members can join the AGM in the VC/OAVM mode 15 minutes before and 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 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.
- 5. The Company has enabled the Members to participate at the 42^{na} AGM through VC/OAVM facility the instructions for participation by members are given in the subsequent pages. The Company has provided the facility to Members to exercise their right to vote by electronic means both through remote e-voting and e-voting during the AGM. 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. The process and instructions for remote e-voting are provided in the subsequent pages. Such remote e-voting facility is in addition to voting that will take place at the 42nd AGM being held through VC.
- 6. In compliance with the aforesaid MCA Circulars and SEBI Circular, notice of the AGM along with the Annual Report for the financial year 2024-25 is being sent only through electronic mode to those Members whose email addresses are registered with the Company/Depositories.
- 7. The Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Government of India ("MCA") issued General Circular Nos. 14/2020 dated 8th April 2020, 17/2020 dated 13th April 2020, 20/2020 dated 5th May 2020, 02/2021 dated 13th January, 2021, 19/2021, 20/2021 dated 14th December 2021, 02/2022 dated 5th May, 2022



and 10/2022 dated 28th December 2022, respectively, ("MCA Circulars") allowing, inter-alia, conduct of AGMs through Video Conferencing (VC) /Other Audio-Visual Means (OAVM) facility on or before 30th September 2025 and also in accordance with the requirement provided in paragraphs 3 and 4 of the MCA General Circular No. 20/2022. Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) also vide its circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD2/CIR/P/2021/11 dated 15th January 2021, Circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD2/CIR/P/2022/ 62 dated 13th May 2022 and Circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/PoD-2/ P/CIR/2023/4 dated 05th January 2023 (SEBI Circular") has provided certain relaxations from compliance with certain provisions of the SEBI ("Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements Regulations, 2015 ("Listing Regulations") 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 National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL) for facilitating voting through electronic means, as the authorized agency. The facility of casting votes by a member using remote e-Voting system as well as venue voting on the date of the AGM will be provided by NSDL.

- 8. The Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Government of India ("MCA") issued General Circular Nos. 14/2020 dated 8th April 2020, 17/2020 dated 13th April 2020, 20/2020 dated 5th May 2020, 02/2021 dated 13th January, 2021, 19/2021, 20/2021 dated 14th December 2021, 02/2022 dated 5th May, 2022 and 10/2022 dated 28th December 2022, respectively, ("MCA Circulars") allowing, inter-alia, conduct of AGMs through Video Conferencing (VC) /Other Audio-Visual Means (OAVM) facility on or before 30th September 2025 and also in accordance with the requirement provided in paragraphs 3 and 4 of the MCA General Circular No. 20/2022. Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) also vide its circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD2/CIR/P/2021/11 dated 15th January 2021, Circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD2/CIR/P/2022/ 62 dated 13th May 2022 and Circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/PoD-2/P/CIR/2023/4 dated 05th January 2023 (SEBI Circular") has provided certain relaxations from compliance with certain provisions of the SEBI ("Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements Regulations, 2015 ("Listing Regulations"). The Notice calling the AGM has been uploaded on the website of the Company at www.neil.co.in. The Notice can also be accessed from the websites of the Stock Exchanges i.e. BSE Limited at www.bseindia.com and the AGM Notice is also available on the website of NSDL (agency for providing the Remote e-Voting facility) i.e.www.evoting.nsdl.com.
- 9. The Register of Directors and Key Managerial Personnel and their shareholding, maintained under Section 170 of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Register of Contracts or Arrangements in which the directors are interested, maintained under section 189 of the Act, will be available electronically for inspection by the members from the date of circulation of this notice up to the date of the AGM i.e. September 27, 2025. Members seeking to inspect such documents can send an e-mail to neilil@rediffmail.com.
- 10. The relevant details, pursuant to Regulations 36(3) of the Listing Regulations and Secretarial Standard on General Meetings issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India, in respect of Director seeking re-appointment at this AGM is annexed.
- 11. The voting rights of Shareholders shall be in proportion to their shares of the paid -up equity share capital of the Company as on the date of September 19, 2025.
- 12. The Register of Members and Share Transfer Books will remain closed from September 20, 2025 to September 27, 2025 (both days inclusive) for the purpose of AGM.
- 13. Mr. Anurag Fatehpuria, Practicing Company Secretary, (Certificate of Practice No. 12855) has been appointed as Scrutinizer to scrutinize the e-voting process in fair and transparent manner. The Scrutinizer shall within a period of not exceeding two (2) working days from the conclusion of the e-voting period unlock the votes in the presence of atleast two (2) witnesses not in the employment of the Company and make a Scrutinizer's Report of the votes cast in favour or against, if any, forthwith to the Chairman of the Company.



14. The Results shall be declared on or after the 42nd Annual General Meeting of the Company. The Results declared along with the Scrutinizer's Report shall be placed on the Company's website www.neil.co.in and on the website of NSDL within two (2) days of passing of the resolutions in the 42nd Annual General Meeting of the Company on September 27, 2025 and communicated to the BSE Limited.

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

The remote e-voting period begins on Wednesday, September 24, 2025 at 09:00 A.M. (IST) and ends on Friday, September 26, 2025at 05:00 P.M. (IST) The remote e-voting module shall be disabled by NSDL for voting thereafter. The Members, whose names appear in the Register of Members / Beneficial Owners as on the record date (cut-off date)i.e. September 19, 2025, may cast their vote electronically. The voting right of shareholders shall be in proportion to their share in the paid-up equity share capital of the Company as on the cut-off date, being September 19, 2025.

The Notice of the 42nd AGM of the Company *inter alia* indicating the process and manner of e-voting process as follows:

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

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:

Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with 1. Existing IDeAS user can visit the e-Services website of NSDL V https://eservices.nsdl.com either on a Personal Computer or on mobile. On the a Services home page click on the "Pagestic."	Type of shareholders
mobile. On the e-Services home page click on the "Benefic Owner" icon under "Login" which is available under 'IDeAS'secti, this will prompt you to enter your existing User ID and Password After successful authentication, you will be able to see e-Voting services under Value added 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 i.e. NSDL at you will be re-directed to e-Voting website of NSDL for casting you vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting voting during the meeting. 2. If you are not registered for IDeAS e-Services, option to register available at https://eservices.nsdl.com . Select "Register Online for IDeAS Portal" or click https://eservices.nsdl.com/SecureWeb/IdeasDirectReg.jsp 3. Visit the e-Voting website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing to	holding securities in demat mode with



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. A new screen will open. You will have to enter your User ID (i.e. your sixteen digit demat account number hold with NSDL), Password/OTP and a Verification Code as shown on the screen. After successful authentication, you will be redirected to NSDL Depository site wherein you can see e-Voting page. Click on company name or e-Voting service provider i.e. NSDL and you will be redirected to e-Voting website of NSDL for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting.

 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









Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with CDSL

- 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 Easi /Easiest are requested to visit CDSL website www.cdslindia.com and click on login icon & New System Myeasi Tab and then user your existing my easi username & password.
- 2. 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 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, 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



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	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) login through their depository participants	You can also login using the login credentials of your demat account through your Depository Participant registered with NSDL/CDSL for e-Voting facility. upon logging in, you will be able to see e-Voting option. 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 i.e. NSDL and you will be redirected to e-Voting website of NSDL for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting.

Important note: Members who are unable to retrieve User ID/ Password are advised to use Forget User ID and Forget Password option available at 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 evoting@nsdl.com or call at 022 - 4886 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 helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com or contact at toll free no. 1800-21-09911

B) Login Method for e-Voting and joining virtual meeting 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.
- 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, your Password/OTP and a Verification Code as shown on the screen.

 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
- 4. Your User ID details are given below:

vote electronically.

Manner of holding shares i.e. Demat	Your User ID is:
(NSDL or CDSL) or Physical	
a) For Members who hold shares in demat account with NSDL.	8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digit Client ID For example if your DP ID is IN300*** and Client ID is 12***** then your user ID is IN300***12*****.
b) For Members who hold shares in demat account with CDSL.	16 Digit Beneficiary ID For example if your Beneficiary ID is 12*********** then your user ID is 12************************************
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 101456 then user ID is 101456001***

- 5. Password details for shareholders other than Individual shareholders are given below:
 - a) If you are already registered for e-Voting, then you can user your existing password to login and cast your vote.
 - 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.



- 6. If you are unable to retrieve or have not received the "Initial password" or have forgotten your password:
 - a) Click on "Forgot User Details/Password?" (If you are holding shares in your demat account with NSDL or CDSL) option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com.
 - 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 evoting@nsdl.com mentioning your demat account number/folio number, your PAN, your name and your registered address etc.
 - d) Members can also use the OTP (One Time Password) based login for casting the votes on the e-Voting system of NSDL.
- 7. After entering your password, tick on Agree to "Terms and Conditions" by selecting on the check box.
- 8. Now, you will have to click on "Login" button.
- 9. After you click on the "Login" button, Home page of e-Voting will open.

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

How to cast your vote electronically and join General Meeting on NSDL e-Voting system?

- 1. After successful login at Step 1, you will be able to see all the companies "EVEN" in which you are holding shares and whose voting cycle and General Meeting is in active status.
- Select "EVEN" of company for which you wish to cast your vote during the remote e-Voting
 period and casting your vote during the General Meeting. For joining virtual meeting, you
 need to click on "VC/OAVM" link placed under "Join Meeting".
- 3. Now you are ready for e-Voting as the Voting page opens.
- 4. Cast your vote by selecting appropriate options i.e. assent or dissent, verify/modify the number of shares for which you wish to cast your vote and click on "Submit" and also "Confirm" when prompted.
- 5. Upon confirmation, the message "Vote cast successfully" will be displayed.
- 6. You can also take the printout of the votes cast by you by clicking on the print option on the confirmation page.
- 7. Once you confirm your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.

General Guidelines for shareholders

 Institutional shareholders (i.e. other than individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) are required to send scanned copy (PDF/JPG Format) of the relevant Board Resolution/ Authority letter etc. with attested specimen signature of the duly authorized signatory(ies) who are authorized to vote, to the Scrutinizer by e-mail to af2011@rediffmail.com with a copy marked to evoting@nsdl.com Institutional shareholders (i.e. other than individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) can also upload their Board Resolution / Power of Attorney / Authority Letter etc. by clicking



on "Upload Board Resolution / Authority Letter" displayed under "e-Voting" tab in their login.

- 2. It is strongly recommended not to share your password with any other person and take utmost care to keep your password confidential. Login to the e-voting website will be disabled upon five unsuccessful attempts to key in the correct password. In such an event, you will need to go through the "Forgot User Details/Password?" or "Physical User Reset Password?" option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com to reset the password.
- 3. In case of any queries, you may refer the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) for Shareholders and e-voting user manual for Shareholders available at the download section of www.evoting.nsdl.com or call on toll free no.: 022 4886 7000 or send a request to Mr. Vikram Jha, NSDL atevoting@nsdl.com

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

- 1. In case shares are held in physical mode please provide Folio No., Name of shareholder, scanned copy of the share certificate (front and back), PAN (self attested scanned copy of PAN card), AADHAAR (self attested scanned copy of Aadhaar Card) by email to neilil@rediffmail.com.
- 2. In case shares are held in demat mode, please provide DPID-CLID (16 digit DPID + CLID or 16 digit beneficiary ID), Name, client master or copy of Consolidated Account statement, PAN (self attested scanned copy of PAN card), AADHAAR (self attested scanned copy of AADHAAR Card) to (neilil@rediffmail.com). If you are an Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode, you are requested to refer to the login method explained at step 1 (A) i.e. Login method for e-Voting and joining virtual meeting for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode.
- 3. Alternatively shareholder/members may send a request to evoting@nsdl.com for procuring user idand password for e-voting by providing above mentioned documents.
- 4. 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.

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

- The procedure for e-Voting on the day of the AGM is same as the instructions mentioned above for remote e-voting.
- 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.
- 3. 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.
- 4. The details of the person who may be contacted for any grievances connected with the facility for e-Voting on the day of the AGM shall be the same person mentioned for Remote e-voting.



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

- 1. Member will be provided with a facility to attend the AGM through VC/OAVM through the NSDL e-Voting system. Members may access by following the steps mentioned above for Access to NSDL e-Voting system. After successful login, you can see link of "VC/OAVM link" placed under "Join meeting" menu against company name. You are requested to click on VC/OAVM link placed under Join General Meeting menu. The link for VC/OAVM will be available in Shareholder/Member login where the EVEN of Company will be displayed. Please note that the members who do not have the User ID and Password for e-Voting or have forgotten the User ID and Password may retrieve the same by following the remote e-Voting instructions mentioned in the notice to avoid last minute rush.
- 2. Members are encouraged to join the Meeting through Laptops for better experience.
- 3. Further Members will be required to allow Camera and use Internet with a good speed to avoid any disturbance during the meeting.
- 4. Please note that Participants Connecting from Mobile Devices or Tablets or through Laptop connecting via Mobile Hotspot may experience Audio/Video loss due to Fluctuation in their respective network. It is therefore recommended to use Stable Wi-Fi or LAN Connection to mitigate any kind of aforesaid glitches.
- 5. Shareholders who would like to express their views/have questions may send their questions in advance mentioning their name demat account number/folio number, email id, mobile number at (neilil@rediffmail.com). The same will be replied by the company suitably.
- 6. Members who would like to express their views/ask questions as a speaker at the Meeting may pre-register themselves by sending a request from their registered e-mail address mentioning their names, DP ID and Client ID/folio number, PAN and mobile number at neilil@reiffmail.com between 22.09.2025 (9.00 a.m. IST) and 24.09.2025 (05.00 p.m. IST). Only those Members who have pre-registered themselves as a speaker will be allowed to express their views/ask questions during the AGM. The Company reserves the right to restrict the number of speakers depending on the availability of time for the AGM. Only questions of the Members holding shares as on the cut-off date will be considered.



EXPLANATORY STATEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 102(1) OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013

As required under Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act"), the following Explanatory Statement sets out all material facts relating to the businesses mentioned under Item Nos. 3 to 5 of the accompanying Notice:

Item No. 3

In terms of Regulation 17(1A) of SEBI Listing Regulations, no listed company shall appoint or continue the appointment of a non-executive director, who has attained the age of 75 years, unless a special resolution is passed by the Members to that effect. Further, the listed entityshall ensure compliance with the above, at any time prior to the non-executive director attaining the age of seventy-five years.

The Members may recall that at the 32nd AGM of the Company held on September 18, 2015, they had approved the appointment of Mr. Chandra Kant Dwivedi (DIN- 06396144; currently aged74 years as a Non-Executive, Non-Independent Director with effect from September 18, 2015, liable to retire by rotation and he was also last re-appointed as the Non Executive Non-Independent Director of the Company, in the AGM held on 27th September, 2024.

Mr. Chandra Kant Dwivedi holds academic qualifications in M.A. (Economics), LL.B., and LT. Mr. Dwivedi is a seasoned economist with over 48 years of extensive experience in the field of economics and education. His vast knowledge and practical insights have significantly contributed to company. He has been a Director of the Company since September 18, 2015. Additionally, for the past eight years, he has been associated with a major agro-business industry, further broadening his expertise and bringing valuable perspective & insights to the Company. It may also be noted that Mr. Chandra Kant Dwivedi will be attaining the age of 75 years on June 15, 2026.

Keeping in view that Mr. Chandra Kant Dwivedi has a rich experience and expertise, the Nomination and Remuneration Committee ("NRC") and the Board of Directors in their respective meetings held on August 11, 2025 considered to recommend that it would be in the best interest of the Company for the continuation of Mr. Chandra Kant Dwivedi as a Non-Executive Director, liable to retire by rotation, notwithstanding his attaining the age of seventy-five (75) years subject to the approval of the members in the ensuing AGM of the Company.

to,. Mr. Chandra Kant Dwivedi is not disqualified / debarred from holding the office of director by virtue of any SEBI order or any other such authority.

In compliance with the applicable provisions, the proposal for continuation of office by Mr. Chandra Kant Dwivedi as the Non-Executive Non- Independent Director of the Company, liable to retire by rotation is now being placed before the Members for their approval by way of a Special Resolution.

Mr. Chandra Kant Dwivedi, himself is deemed to be concerned or interested in the resolution set out at Item No. 3 of the accompanying Notice. Save and except the above, none of the other Directors / Key Managerial Personnel of the Company / their relatives are, in any way, concerned or interested in the resolutions.

Disclosures pursuant to Regulation 36(3) and other applicable provisions of the Listing Regulations and Secretarial Standard -2 on General Meetings are set out in Annexure-A to the Notice.



Item No. 4

In terms of Regulation 24A of the SEBI **Listing Regulations** every listed entity is required to appoint a peer reviewed Company Secretary or a Firm of Company Secretary(ies) as a Secretarial Auditor on the basis of recommendation of the Board of the Directors and in terms of the provisions of Section 204 of the Companies Act, 2013 (the "Act") and Rule 9 of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014, every listed company is required to annex with its Report of Board of Directors a Secretarial Audit Report given by a Practicing Company Secretary.

Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) vide its notification dated December 12, 2024, amended the SEBI Listing Regulations. The amended regulations require companies to obtain shareholders approval for appointment of Secretarial Auditors, in addition to approval by the Board of Directors. Further, such Secretarial Auditor must be a peer reviewed company secretary and should not have incurred any of the disqualifications as specified by SEBI.

In light of the aforesaid provisions, based on the recommendation of the Audit Committee, the Board of Directors of the Company, at its meeting held on April 15, 2025 considered the experience and expertise, of M/s V. Agnihotri & Associates, Practicing Company Secretaries (Peer Review No 2065/2022), as Secretarial Auditors for a term of 5 (five)consecutive financial years, commencing from the financial year 2025-26 to the financial year 2029-30 on such remuneration as maybe determined by the Board of Directors of the Company from time to time subject to the approval of the members at the ensuing AGM.

CS Vaibhav Agnihotri (Fellow Company Secretary) is the Proprietor of V. Agnihotri & Associates and has been practicing as a whole-time company secretary since 2013, former Chairman of Kanpur Chapter of NIRC of ICSI in the year 2023, he had also served as a Vice Chairman, Secretary and Treasurer for the years 2019, 2022 respectively. He is registered in the Independent Director Data Bank after having qualified the Self-Assessment Test with the Indian Institute of Corporate Affairs.

CS Vaibhav Agnihotri has in depth knowledge with extensive experience in corporate lending norms of Banks/Financial Institutions, governance, legal compliance, and regulatory advisory, Secretarial Audits, Due Diligence. Skilled in guiding companies through complex statutory and regulatory frameworks, including Companies Act, SEBI Regulations, and other corporate laws. Adept at drafting and vetting legal documents, conducting board and general meetings, maintaining statutory records, and ensuring timely filings with ROC and other authorities. Known for delivering strategic insights to promote good governance practices and support corporate decision-making. Dedicated to supporting clients across various industries in maintaining compliance and building sustainable business practices.

M/s V. Agnihotri & Associates, Practicing Company Secretaries, have consented to their appointment as the Secretarial Auditor, if appointed and have confirmed that they have subjected themselves to the peer review process of the Institute of Company Secretaries of India("ICSI") and hold a valid certificate of peer review issued by the ICSI. Further, V. Agnihotri & Associates, Practicing Company Secretaries, have confirmed that they are eligible for appointment as the Secretarial Auditor and are free from any disqualifications.

The Board of Directors in consultation with the Audit Committee may alter or vary the terms and conditions of appointment, including approval, revisions of remuneration, in such manner and to such extent as may be mutually agreed with the Secretarial Auditors. The Board of Directors and the Audit Committee shall consider the remuneration of the Secretarial Auditors, for the balance part of the tenure based on review and any additional efforts on account of changes in regulations, restructuring



or other considerations if any. Besides the audit services, the Company would also obtain certifications which are to be mandatorily received from the Secretarial Auditors under various statutory regulations from time to time.

None of the Directors / Key Managerial Personnel of the Company /their relatives are, in any way, concerned or interested, financially orotherwise, in the resolution.

In accordance with the provisions of Regulation 24A of the Listing Regulations, the appointment of Secretarial Auditor, is required to be approved by the members of the Company. Accordingly, the Board proposes the approval of the Members for passing an Ordinary Resolution as set out at Item No. 4 of this Notice.

Item No. 5

The Board of Directors, based on the recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee, has approved the appointment of Mrs. Kiran Priyani (DIN: 11219647; age 52 years) as an Independent Director of the Company, not liable to retire by rotation, for a term of 5 years commencing from August 11, 2025, subject to the approval of shareholders by way of a Special Resolution.

Mrs. Kiran Priyani is an accomplished academic professional with over 25 years of teaching and research experience. Her expertise spans across areas such as public policy, education, governance, etc., which aligns closely with the Company's focus on strengthening board-level oversight, ethical governance, and strategic thought leadership. Despite her current role as a teacher, she has a broad and balanced outlook, and brings to the table strong analytical skills, sound understanding of regulatory frameworks, and a deep commitment to ethical standards. Her diverse perspective and independent judgment will significantly benefit the Board.

The Board, after evaluating her background, experience, and declarations, is of the opinion that she is a person of integrity, possesses the necessary skills and capabilities required for the role, and fulfils the conditions specified under the applicable laws for appointment as an Independent Director.

Mrs. Kiran Priyani has expressed her willingness for appointment and has also given the declaration that she is not disqualified / debarred from holding the office of director by virtue of any SEBI order or any other such authority. The Company has received a declaration from her to the effect that she meets the criteria of independence as provided in Section 149(6) of the Act and Rules framed thereunder and Schedule IV thereto, Regulation 16(1)(b) of the Listing Regulations and declaration that she is in compliance with Rules 6(1) and 6(2) of the Companies (Appointment and Qualification of Directors) Rules, 2014, with respect to her registration with the data bank of independent directors maintained by the Indian Institute of Corporate Affairs. In terms of Regulation 25(8) of the Listing Regulations, she has confirmed that she is not aware of any circumstance or situation which exists or may be reasonably anticipated that could impair or impact her ability to discharge her duties with an objective independent judgment and without any external influence. In the opinion of the Board, she fulfils the conditions specified in the Act and Listing Regulations for appointment as an Independent Director and that she is independent of the management of the Company.

The profile and specific areas of expertise of Mrs. Kiran Priyani are provided as **Annexure-A** to the Notice.

In compliance with the provisions of Section 149 read with Schedule IV to the Act and Regulation 17 of the Listing Regulations and other applicable provisions, the appointment of Mrs. Priyani as an Independent Director for a term of five (5) years is now being placed before the Members for their approval by way of a Special Resolution set out at Item No. 5 of the Notice, which the Board recommends.



None of the Directors and Key Managerial Personnel of the Company or their respective relatives, except Mrs. Kiran Priyani to whom the resolution relates, is concerned or interested in the Resolution mentioned at Item No. 5 for the approval of the members.

Disclosures pursuant to Regulations 36(3) and other applicable provisions of the Listing Regulations and Secretarial Standard -2 on General Meetings are set out in **Annexure-A** to the Notice.



ANNEXURE -A

The details required to be disclosed under provisions of Regulation 36(3) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and Secretarial Standard-2 on General Meetings are as under:

ITEM No. 2 & 3:

Mr. Chandra Kant Dwivedi is a Non-Executive -Non Independent Director of the Company whose office is subject to retire by rotation as per Section 152 of the Companies Act, 2013 in the ensuing Annual General Meeting. The resolution seeks for his re-appointment at this Annual General Meeting. The particulars of the director are given below:

Brief Profile

Name of the Director	Chandra Kant Dwivedi
DIN	06396144
Father's Name	Late Ganesh Prasad Dwivedi
Date of Birth	15/06/1951
Age	74 years
Qualification	M.A. (Economics), L.L.B., LT
Date of first appointment	30/10/2012
Disclosure of relationships between directors and inter-se	Ms. Dwivedi is not related to any other director on the Board of the Company.
Experience and expertise in specific functional Area	Mr. Dwivedi is an economist and has a rich experience of more than 48 years in the field of Economics, and education. He is also associated with a major agro business industry from last 9 years.
Terms and conditions for appointment / re-appointment	Non-Executive Director liable to retire by rotation
Directorships in other Companies	Trywood Developers Private Limited
Membership/Chairmanship of committee of Directors of other companies	Nil
Shareholding in the Company either directly or in the form of beneficial interest for any other person	Nil
Number of Board Meetings attended during the financial year	6 out of 6
Remuneration last drawn	Not Applicable
Chairman / Member of the Committee of the Board of Directors of the Company	Member of Nomination & Remuneration Committee
Details of Listed Companies from which the Director resigned during FY 2022-23, FY 2023-24, FY 2024-25	None



ITEM No. 5:

Mrs. Kiran Priyani is an Additional (Non-Executive Independent Director) Director of the Company. The resolution seeks to regularize the appointment of Mrs. Kiran Priyani at this Annual General Meeting. The particulars of the director are given below.

Brief Profile

Name of the Director	Kiran Priyani
DIN	11219647
Father's Name	Late Kishan Chand Guwalani
Date of Birth	19/06/1972
Age	52 years
Qualification	Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) and Bachelor of Education (B.Ed.)
Date of first appointment	11/08/2025
Disclosure of relationships between directors and inter-se	Mrs. Kiran Priyani is not related to any other director on the Board of the Company.
Experience and expertise in specific functional Area	Mrs. Kiran Priyani holds a Bachelor's degree in Arts (B.A.) and a Bachelor's degree in Education (B.Ed.). She is an academic professional with over 25 years of experience in the field of education.
Terms and conditions for appointment / re-appointment	As per the resolution read with explanatory statement of the accompanying notice.
Directorships in other Companies	Nil
Membership/Chairmanship of committee of Directors of other companies	Nil
Shareholding in the Company either directly or in the form of beneficial interest for any other person	Nil
Number of Board Meetings attended during the financial year	Not Applicable
Remuneration last drawn	Nil
Chairman / Member of the Committee of the Board of Directors of the Company	None
Details of Listed Companies from which the Director resigned during FY 2022- 23, FY 2023-24, FY 2024- 25	None