

### एचएमटी लमिटिड HMT LIMITED

(CIN No: L29230KA1953GOI000748)

#### Regd. Office: HMT Bhavan, No.59, Bellary Road, Bengaluru-560032 Ph: 080 – 23330333, e-mail: cosey@hmtindia.com Website: www.hmtindia.com

### **NOTICE**

**Notice** is hereby given that the 71<sup>st</sup> Annual General Meeting of the members of **HMT Limited** will be held on **Friday, November 22**, **2024** at 11.00 A.M IST through Video Conferencing / Other Audio-Visual Means to transact the following businesses:

#### **ORDINARY BUSINESS:**

- 1. To receive, consider and adopt:
  - a. The Audited Standalone Financial Statements for the financial year ended March 31, 2024 and the reports of the Directors' and Auditors' thereon;
  - b. The Audited Consolidated Financial Statements for the financial year ended March 31, 2024 and the report of Auditors' thereon;
- 2. To appoint a director in place of Ms. Arti Bhatnagar (DIN: 10065528), who retires by rotation and being eligible has offered herself for re-appointment.
- 3. To authorize the Board of Directors to fix the remuneration of the Independent Auditors appointed by C&AG of India for the year 2024-25.

#### SPECIAL BUSINESS:

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

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of section 152 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 read with rules made thereunder and in terms of Ministry of Heavy Industries order dated 26th March 2024, Shri Rajesh Kohli (DIN: 10333951), be and is hereby appointed as Chairman & Managing Director (Additional Charge) of the Company, liable to retire by rotation and in terms and conditions as may be stipulated by the Government of India."

5. To consider and, if thought fit, to pass with or without modification, the following resolution as an **Ordinary Resolution:** 

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of section 152 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 read with rules made thereunder and in terms of Ministry of Heavy Industries order dated 7th June 2024, Smt. Sameena Kohli (DIN: 10663362), be and is hereby appointed as Director (Finance) (Additional Charge) of the Company, liable to retire by rotation and in terms and conditions as may be stipulated by the Government of India."

## 6. To consider and, if thought fit, to pass with or without modification, the following resolution as an **Ordinary Resolution:**

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of section 152 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 read with rules made thereunder and in terms of Ministry of Heavy Industries order dated 23rd July 2024, Dr. Renuka Mishra (DIN: 08635835), be and is hereby appointed as Government Nominee Director of the Company, liable to retire by rotation and in terms and conditions as may be stipulated by the Government of India."

#### By Order of the Board

Reg. Office: HMT Bhavan, No.59, Bellary Road, Bengaluru-560032

Sd/-(S Kishor Kumar) Company Secretary

Date: 25.10.2024 Place: Bengaluru

- 1. The Members of the Company
- 2. All Directors
- 3. Statutory Auditors
- 4. Secretarial Auditor

#### Notes: -

- 1. Ministry of Corporate Affairs ("MCA") has vide its circular dated May 5, 2020, January 13, 2021, May 5, 2022, December 28, 2022, September 25, 2023 and September 19, 2024 read with circulars dated April 8, 2020 and April 13, 2020 (collectively referred to as "MCA Circulars") permitted the holding of the Annual General Meeting ("AGM") through VC / OAVM, without the physical presence of the Members. In compliance with the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 ("Act"), SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("SEBI Listing Regulations") and MCA Circulars, the AGM of the Company is being held through VC/OAVM herein after called as "e-AGM". The deemed venue for the AGM shall be the registered office of the Company.
- 2. The relevant explanatory statement pursuant to Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013 which sets out the details relating to Special Business at the AGM is annexed hereto and forms part of the notice as **Annexure A**.
- 3. Pursuant to provisions of the Regulations 26 (4) & 36 (3) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, the brief resume / profile of the Directors eligible for appointment / re-appointment vide Item Nos. 2, 4, 5 & 6 is enclosed herewith as **Annexure B**.
- 4. The Company has appointed M/s KFin Technologies Limited ("KFintech"), Registrars and Transfer Agents, to provide Video Conferencing facility for the Annual General Meeting and the attendant enablers for conducting of the e-AGM. Members can attend the meeting through login credentials provided to them to connect to Video conference. The instructions for attending e-AGM through Video Conference & remote e-voting/e-voting during the AGM are appended to this Notice as Annexure C.
- 5. The Company has fixed November 15, 2024 as the 'Cut-off Date' to record the entitlement of the shareholders to cast their voting through remote e-voting/e-voting during the AGM. 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. The remote e-voting period will commence from November 19, 2024 at 9.00 a.m. IST and will end on November 21, 2024 at 5.00 p.m. IST. Voting beyond the said date shall not

be allowed and the remote e-voting facility shall be blocked. A person who is not a member as on the cut-off date should treat this Notice for information purposes only.

- 6. Members who have cast their vote by remote e-voting prior to the AGM may also attend the meeting by VC but shall not be entitled to cast their vote again.
- 7. Pursuant to the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013, a member entitled to attend and vote at the AGM is entitled to appoint a proxy to attend and vote on his/her behalf and the proxy need not be a Member of the Company. Since this AGM is being held pursuant to the MCA Circulars through VC / OAVM, physical attendance of Members has been dispensed with. Accordingly, the facility for appointment of proxies by the Members will not be available for the AGM and hence the Proxy Form and Attendance Slip are not annexed to this Notice.
- 8. The Company has appointed Shri D. Venkateswarlu, Practicing Company Secretary to act as a scrutinizer, to scrutinize the e-voting process in a fair and transparent manner. The Scrutinizer shall, immediately after the conclusion of voting at the AGM, count the votes cast at the AGM and thereafter unblock the votes cast through remote e-voting in the presence of at least two witnesses not in employment of the Company. The Scrutinizer shall submit a consolidated Scrutinizer's Report of the total number of votes cast in favour of or against or invalid if any, not later than 48 hours after the conclusion of the AGM to the Chairman of the Company. The Chairman, or any other person authorized by the Chairman, shall declare the result of the voting forthwith. The results declared along with the Scrutinizer's Report shall be available on the Company's website and on the website of M/s. KFin Technologies Ltd (e-voting agency) and same shall be communicated to the stock exchanges.
- 9. Members of the Company under the category of Institutional Investors are encouraged to attend and vote at the AGM.
- 10. The Share Transfer Books and Register of Members of the Company shall remain closed from **November 16, 2024 to November 22, 2024** (both days inclusive) in connection with the AGM.
- 11. Members attending the AGM through VC / OAVM shall be counted for the purpose of reckoning the quorum under Section 103 of the Act.
- 12. In compliance with the aforesaid MCA Circulars and SEBI Circular dated May 12, 2020, January 15, 2021, May 13, 2022, January 05, 2023, October 07, 2023 and October 03, 2024, Notice of the AGM along with the Annual Report 2023-24 is being sent only through electronic mode to those Members whose email addresses are registered with the Company/ Depositories. Members may note that the Notice and Annual Report 2023-24 will also be available on the Company's website, www.hmtindia. com, websites of the Stock Exchanges i.e., BSE Limited and National Stock Exchange of India Limited at www.bseindia.com and www.nseindia.com respectively, and on the website of M/s. KFin Technologies Ltd, at https://evoting.kfintech.com.
- 13. Pursuant to Section 139 (5) read with Section 142 (1) of the Companies Act, 2013, the Auditors of a Government Company are appointed by the Comptroller and Auditor General (C&AG) of India and their remuneration is fixed by the Company in the Annual General Meeting. The members may authorize the Board of Directors to fix up an appropriate remuneration of Auditors for the year 2024-25 as may be deemed fit by the Board.
- 14. In case of joint holders, the Member whose name appears as the first holder in the order of names as per the Register of Members of the Company will be entitled to vote at the AGM.

- 15. Relevant documents referred to in the accompanying Notice calling the AGM are available on the website of the Company for inspection by the Members. The Register of Directors and Key Managerial Personnel and their shareholding, the Register of Contracts or Arrangements in which the directors are interested and the relevant documents referred to in the Notice will be available electronically for inspection by the Members during the AGM. Members seeking to inspect such documents can send an e-mail to cosey@hmtindia.com
- 16. The Members holding shares in electronic form are requested to update PAN, Address with PIN, Email, mobile number, bank account details and nomination details with their Depository Participants (DPs) with whom they are maintaining their demat accounts.

Members holding shares in physical form are requested to advise for any change/updations to M/s. KFin Technologies Limited. We draw your kind attention that SEBI, vide its circular dated November 03, 2021 (subsequently amended by circulars dated December 14, 2021, March 16, November 17, 2023, Master circular dated May 7, 2024 and June, 10, 2024) mandated that the security holders (holding securities in physical form), whose folio(s) are not updated with the KYC details excepting nomination choice (viz., PAN; Contact Details; Mobile Number, Bank Account Details and signature, if any) shall be eligible for any payment including dividend, interest or redemption in respect of such folios, only through electronic mode. However, you are requested to still update the "choice of Nomination" to secure your holdings for smooth transmission of securities and prevent accumulation benefits in future .

Accordingly, as mandated vide captioned circulars, the dividend payable against your holdings are liable to be withheld if the KYC details are not updated against your holding.

For the purpose of updation of KYC details against your folio, you are requested to download the forms & SEBI Circulars, which are uploaded on the website of Kfin Technologies Limited - https:// ris.kfintech.com/clientservices/isc/isrforms.aspx

Please forward the duly executed KYC documents in any of the following modes to our RTA, M/s. KFin Technologies Limited (Unit: HMT), Selenium Tower-B, Plot No 31 & 32, Gachibowli, Financial District, Nanakramguda, Serilingampally, Hyderabad – 500 032, Telangana

### i. For registering/updating your email address with the Company permanently and to keep receiving all communication electronically:

- a. Members holding shares in physical mode may contact M/s. KFin Technologies Limited at einward.ris@kfintech.com for the prescribed format to update their e-mail address.
- b. Members holding shares in dematerialized mode are requested to register/ update their email addresses with their respective Depository Participant.

### ii. In case of queries, Members are requested to write to einward.ris@kfintech.com or call at the toll-free number 1800 309 4001.

17. In accordance with the proviso to Regulation 40(1) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, effective from April 1, 2019, transfer of securities of the Company shall not be processed unless the securities are held in the dematerialized form with a depository. Accordingly, shareholders holding equity shares in physical form are urged to have their shares dematerialized so as to be able to freely transfer them and participate in corporate actions.

- 18. Members may visit the website of the Company www.hmtindia.com for more information on the Company.
- 19. The Company has assigned an e-mail ID: cosey@hmtindia.com to enable investors to register their complaints, if not adequately addressed by the RTA.
- 20. Queries on accounts and operations of the Company, if any, may please be sent to the Company atleast ten days in advance of the AGM so that the replies may be made available at the AGM.
- 21. Since the AGM will be held through VC / OAVM, the Route Map is not annexed in this Notice.
- 22. Upto 2000 members will be able to join on a FIFO basis to the e-AGM.
- 23. No restrictions on account of FIFO entry into e-AGM in respect of 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.

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#### Annexure A

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

The following explanatory statement sets out the material facts relating to the business mentioned in Item No. 4, 5 & 6 of the accompanying Notice.

#### **ITEM NO.4**

In terms of the Articles of Association of the Company, the Government of India is vested with the power to appoint the Directors of the Company from time to time and also shall determine the terms of office of such Directors.

Ministry of Heavy Industries vide its order dated 26th March 2024, entrusted the additional charge of the post of Chairman & Managing Director of HMT Limited to Shri. Rajesh Kohli (DIN: 10333951), Executive Director, Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited, with immediate effect and from the date of his assumption of charge of the posts, for a period of one year or till the joining of a regular incumbent, or until further orders, whichever is earliest, subject to the ex-post facto approval of the Appointments Committee of the Cabinet (ACC). Accordingly, Shri. Rajesh Kohli (DIN:10333951), has been inducted on the Board of Directors of the Company as Chairman & Managing Director (Additional Charge)/Additional Director pursuant to Article 67(D) of the Articles of Association of the Company read with Section 161 (1) of the Companies Act, 2013, w.e.f 5th April, 2024 (A/N) on his assumption of charge and holds office upto the date of this Annual General Meeting.

Further pursuant to SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015, every public sector listed Company shall ensure that approval of shareholders for appointment of a person on the Board of Directors is taken at next general meeting. Therefore, approval of the shareholders is sought for regularization of the appointment of Shri. Rajesh Kohli as Chairman & Managing Director (Additional Charge) on the same terms and conditions as determined by the Government of India.

The Nomination & Remuneration Committee of the Board of Directors has recommended the appointment of Shri. Rajesh Kohli as Chairman & Managing Director (Additional Charge) of the Company.

Shri. Rajesh Kohli, if appointed, shall be liable to retire by rotation. Shri. Rajesh Kohli is not disqualified from being appointed as a Director in terms of Section 164 of the Companies Act, 2013.

Shri. Rajesh Kohli does not hold any shares in HMT Limited. Except Shri. Rajesh Kohli, being an appointee, none of the Directors and Key Managerial Personnel of the Company or their relatives is in any way concerned or interested in the resolution financially or otherwise.

The Board of Directors of your Company recommends passing of the resolution as set out at Item No. 4 as an Ordinary Resolution.

The Board recommends the resolution for approval of the Shareholders.

#### **ITEM NO.5**

In terms of the Articles of Association of the Company, the Government of India is vested with the power to appoint the Directors of the Company from time to time and also shall determine the terms of office of such Directors.

Ministry of Heavy Industries vide its order dated 7<sup>th</sup> June, 2024 has entrusted the additional charge of the post of Director (Finance) of HMT Limited to Smt. Sameena Kohli, General Manager (Finance-SBD & ISG), BHEL, Bengaluru for a period of one year or till the joining of regular incumbent to the post or until further order, whichever is earliest, subject to the approval of Appointment Committee of Cabinet (ACC). Smt. Sameena Kohli (DIN: 10663362), Director (Finance), (Additional Charge) has been inducted on the Board of Directors of the Company w.e.f 10<sup>th</sup> June, 2024 on her assumption of charge pursuant to Article 67(D) of the Articles of Association of the Company read with Section 161 (1) of the Companies Act, 2013 and holds office upto the date of this Annual General Meeting.

Further pursuant to SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015, every public sector listed Company shall ensure that approval of shareholders for appointment of a person on the Board of Directors is taken at next general meeting. Therefore, approval of the shareholders is sought for regularization of the appointment of Smt. Sameena Kohli as Director (Finance) (Additional Charge) on the same terms and conditions as determined by the Government of India.

The Nomination & Remuneration Committee of the Board of Directors has recommended the appointment of Smt. Sameena Kohli as Director (Finance) (Additional Charge) of the Company.

Smt. Sameena Kohli, if appointed, shall be liable to retire by rotation. Smt. Sameena Kohli is not disqualified from being appointed as a Director in terms of Section 164 of the Companies Act, 2013.

Smt. Sameena Kohli does not hold any shares in HMT Limited. Except Smt. Sameena Kohli, being an appointee, none of the Directors and Key Managerial Personnel of the Company or their relatives is in any way concerned or interested in the resolution financially or otherwise.

The Board of Directors of your Company recommends passing of the resolution as set out at Item No. 5 as an Ordinary Resolution.

The Board recommends the resolution for approval of the Shareholders.

#### **ITEM NO.6**

In terms of the Articles of Association of the Company, the President of India is vested with the power to appoint the Directors of the Company from time to time and also shall determine the terms of office of such Directors.

Ministry of Heavy Industries vide its order dated 23<sup>rd</sup> July, 2024, appointed Dr. Renuka Mishra (DIN: 08635835), Economic Adviser, Ministry of Heavy Industries as Government Nominee Director of the Company, until further orders. Accordingly, Dr. Renuka Mishra has been inducted on the Board of Directors of the Company as a Government Nominee Director/Additional Director pursuant to Article 67(D) of the Articles of Association of the Company read with Section 161 (1) of the Companies Act, 2013 w.e.f., 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2024 and holds office upto the date of this Annual General Meeting.

Further pursuant to SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015, every public sector listed Company shall ensure that approval of shareholders for appointment of a person on the Board of Directors is taken at next general meeting. Therefore, approval of the shareholders is sought for regularization of the appointment of Dr. Renuka Mishra as Government Nominee Director on the same terms and conditions as determined by the Government of India.

The Nomination & Remuneration Committee of the Board of Directors has recommended the appointment of Dr. Renuka Mishra as Government Nominee Director of the Company.

Dr. Renuka Mishra, if appointed, shall be liable to retire by rotation. Dr. Renuka Mishra is not disqualified from being appointed as a Director in terms of Section 164 of the Companies Act, 2013.

Dr. Renuka Mishra does not hold any shares in HMT Limited. Except Dr. Renuka Mishra being an appointee, none of the Directors and Key Managerial Personnel of the Company or their relatives is in any way concerned or interested in the resolution financially or otherwise.

The Board of Directors of your Company recommends passing of the resolution as set out at Item No. 6 as an Ordinary Resolution.

The Board recommends the resolution for approval of the Shareholders.

Reg. Office: HMT Bhavan, No.59, Bellary Road, Bengaluru-560032

By Order of the Board

Sd/-

Date: 25.10.2024 Place: Bengaluru (S Kishor Kumar) Company Secretary

#### Annexure B

### BRIEF RESUME OF DIRECTORS PROPOSED FOR APPOINTMENT/ RE-APPOINTMENT AS PER SEBI (LODR) REGULATIONS, 2015

#### Director seeking re-appointment in this AGM

#### MS. ARTI BHATNAGAR

Ms. Arti Bhatnagar has been appointed as Government Nominee Director on the Board of HMT Limited w.e.f. 14.02.2023. She is presently working as Additional Secretary & Financial Adviser, Ministry of Commerce & Industry, Ministry of Heavy Industry and Ministry of MSME.

Ms. Arti Bhatnagar, aged 59, is a civil servant of the Indian Defence Accounts Service of the 1990 batch has a post graduate degree in Economics and M. Phil in Defence Strategic Studies from Madras University. Ms. Arti Bhatnagar is an alumni of the National Defence College.

With about 25 years of experience in dealing with Finance, Accounts and Audit of the Defence Forces, her expertise is in handling defence acquisition and procurement contracts. Ms. Arti Bhatnagar has worked as Joint Secretary (Security), Cabinet Secretariat handling SPG for five years. She has also worked as a Chief Vigilance Officer for Air India, Pawan Hans Ltd. and Airport Authority of India.

Ms. Arti Bhatnagar is holding directorship in Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited (BHEL), MMTC Limited, State Trading Corporation of India Limited, India Trade Promotion Organization (ITPO), Invest India and India International Convention & Exhibition Centre Limited (IICC Limited). She is a Chairperson of Risk Management Committee, Member of Audit Committee & Stakeholders Relationship Committee of the Board in BHEL, Chairperson of CSR Committee, Member of Audit Committee, Nomination & Remuneration Committee of the Board in MMTC Ltd, Chairperson of CSR Committee, Audit Committee and Remuneration Committee of the Board in India Trade Promotion Organization (ITPO), Chairperson of Audit Committee & Nomination and Remuneration Committee in India International Convention & Exhibition Centre Limited, Chairperson of Audit Committee in Invest India. Ms. Arti Bhatnagar has attended six Board Meetings of HMT Limited held during FY2023-24.

Ms. Arti Bhatnagar does not hold any shares in HMT Limited, either in her individual capacity or on a beneficial basis for any other person and No relationship is shared between Directors inter-se and Key Managerial Personnel of the Company.

#### Directors seeking appointment in this AGM

#### SHRI. RAJESH KOHLI

Shri. Rajesh Kohli has been entrusted with the additional charge of the post of Chairman & Managing Director, HMT Limited w.e.f. 05.04.2024 (A/N) for a period of one year or till the joining of a regular incumbent, or until further orders, whichever is earliest, subject to the ex-post facto approval of the Appointments Committee of the Cabinet (ACC) by the Ministry of Heavy Industries.

Shri. Rajesh Kohli, aged 58, is Executive Director in M/s. Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited (BHEL). Shri. Rajesh Kohli is a Mechanical Engineer with Honours from N.I.T Kurukshetra (Haryana) with more than 36 years of industry experience. He joined BHEL's Heavy Electrical Equipment Plant at Haridwar (Uttarakhand) in 1987. He has worked in diverse areas of advanced technologies like Superconducting machines, large electrical machines and defence business at BHEL including R&D, and IPR portfolios.

He joined BHEL Corporate Office at New Delhi in 2016 in Corporate Technology Management division. He carries a wide exposure in international practices of Original Equipment Manufacturers and stateof-art technologies. His recent charge as Executive Director with BHEL at its Corporate Office, New Delhi included diverse roles including Technology Licensing, Joint Ventures, M&A, R&D & Innovation Strategy, Knowledge Management, Cost Optimisation etc. Under his leadership, BHEL successfully forged partnerships with global OEMs in diverse business areas; and working on new partnerships in hydrogen value chain, coal to chemicals and Rail transportation areas.

Recently, he pursued to promote BHEL's in-house technology for coal gasification and its further conversion to chemicals for diverse industrial use, leading to BHEL signing an Agreement with Coal India Limited for a Joint Venture Company. He worked actively on many other such alliances for furthering BHEL's interest in diversifying its portfolio. He actively worked with the management fraternity, under the aegis of All India Management Association. He is a certified Total Quality Management Assessor and also a certified Product Lifecycle Management (PLM) Lead through CIMDATA USA.

Shri. Rajesh Kohli is not holding Directorship/Membership in Committees of the Board in other listed entities. Shri. Rajesh Kohli is holding the additional charge of posts of Chairman & Managing Director in HMT Machine Tools Limited, HMT (International) Limited and HMT Watches Limited, Subsidiary Companies and is holding directorship in Raichur Power Corporation Limited.

Shri. Rajesh Kohli does not hold any shares in HMT Limited, either in his individual capacity or on a beneficial basis for any other person and No relationship is shared between Directors inter-se and Key Managerial Personnel of the Company.

#### SMT. SAMEENA KOHLI

Smt. Sameena Kohli has been entrusted with the additional charge of the post of Director (Finance), HMT Limited w.e.f. 10.06.2024.

Smt. Sameena Kohli, aged 56 years, is General Manager at BHEL heading the Finance function of Solar Business Division and Industrial Systems Group. She is a qualified Cost Accountant & Company Secretary and has accumulated 32 years of rich experience in a wide range of Finance operations while working in various capacities at BHEL. She brings along a rich & versatile experience in manufacturing and service sector over a span of 3 decades. As Head Finance, she has been instrumental in expeditious project execution and cost control through close monitoring and fast resolution of issues involved. She had previously worked in various capacities in finance function at BHEL's Corporate Office & Power Sector also. Being the process savvy person, that she is, she has spear headed the digitization initiative across various areas related to Finance and Accounting. She has handled areas like Budgeting, Working Capital Management, Operations management, Project Accounting, Taxation, Auditing, Receivable Management, Trade Payables etc.

Smt. Sameena Kohli is not holding directorship in other Companies.

Smt. Sameena Kohli does not hold any shares in HMT Limited, either in her individual capacity or on a beneficial basis for any other person and No relationship is shared between Directors inter-se and Key Managerial Personnel of the Company.

#### DR. RENUKA MISHRA

Dr. Renuka Mishra has been appointed as Government Nominee Director on the Board of HMT Limited w.e.f. 23.07.2024. She presently holds the position of Economic Adviser, Ministry of Heavy Industries.

Dr. Renuka Mishra, PhD, MA (Economics), aged 52 years, is an officer of the Indian Economic Service (2003 Batch). She has previously served in offices of Government of India at Office of Development

Commissioner (MSME), Department of Economic affairs, Department of Commerce, Ministry of Overseas Indian Affairs and Department of Higher Education.

Dr. Renuka Mishra has been regular author of many articles/papers published in various journals/ magazines on the areas covering taxation, forestry, renewable energy, climate change and vulnerability of women.

Dr. Renuka Mishra is holding directorship in NEPA Limited, Rajasthan Electronics and Instruments Limited, Cement Corporation of India Limited, Engineering Projects (India) Limited, Bridge & Roof Company (India) Limited, Scooters India Limited, HMT Machine Tools Limited, HMT (International) Limited and HMT Watches Limited.

Dr. Renuka Mishra does not hold any shares in HMT Limited, either in her individual capacity or on a beneficial basis for any other person and No relationship is shared between Directors inter-se and Key Managerial Personnel of the Company.

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#### Annexure C

## PROCEDURE AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR REMOTE E-VOTING, ATTENDING THE E-AGM THROUGH VIDEO CONFERENCE AND E-VOTING DURING THE E-AGM SESSION

#### A. PROCEDURE AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR REMOTE E-VOTING

I. Instructions for remote e-voting by Individual shareholders holding shares of the company in Demat mode.

As per SEBI circular on e-voting Facility, dated December 9, 2020, all individual shareholders holding shares of the Company in the demat mode can cast their vote, by way of single login credential, through their demat accounts/ websites of Depositories/ Depository Participants. Accordingly, the procedure to login and access remote e-voting, as devised by the Depositories/ Depository Participant(s), is given below:

Type of shareholders		Login Method
Individual Shareholders holding	1.	User already registered for IDeAS facility:
securities in demat mode with NSDL	1.	Visit URL: https://eservices.nsdl.com
	11.	Click on the "Beneficial Owner" icon under "Login" under 'IDeAS section.
	111.	On the new page, enter User ID and Password. Post successfu authentication, click on "Access to e-Voting"
	IV.	Click on company name or e-Voting service provider and you will be re-directed to e-Voting service provider website for casting the vote during the remote e-Voting period.
	2.	User not registered for IDeAS e-Services
	Ι.	To register click on link : https://eservices.nsdl.com
	II.	Select "Register Online for IDeAS" or click at https://eservices nsdl.com/SecureWeb/IdeasDirectReg.jsp
	Ш.	Proceed with completing the required fields.
	IV.	Follow steps given in points 1
	3.	Alternatively by directly accessing the e-Voting website o NSDL
	١.	Open URL: https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/
	11.	Click on the icon "Login" which is available under 'Shareholder Member' section.
	111.	A new screen will open. You will have to enter your User II (i.e. your sixteen digit demat account number held with NSDL) Password / OTP and a Verification Code as shown on the screen
	IV.	Post successful authentication, you will requested to select the name of the company and the e-Voting Service Provider name i.e.KFintech.
	V.	On successful selection, you will be redirected to KFintech e-Voting page for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period.

Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with CDSL	1.	Existing user who have opted for Easi / Easiest
	I.	Visit https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasitoken/home/login or Click on the "Login" icon and opt for "My Easi New (Token)" (only applicable when using the URL www.cdslindia.com)
	II.	Login with your registered user id and password.
	III.	The user will see the e-Voting Menu. The Menu will have links on ESP i.e. KFintech e-Voting portal.
	IV.	Click on e-Voting service provider name to cast your vote.
	2.	User not registered for Easi/Easiest
	Ι.	Option to register is available at https://web.cdslindia.com myeasitoken/home/login
	II.	Proceed with completing the required fields.
	III.	Follow the steps given in point 1.
	3.	Alternatively, by directly accessing the e-Voting website of CDSL
	I.	Visit URL: www.cdslindia.com. click on E voting.
	II.	Provide your demat Account Number and PAN No.
	III.	System will authenticate user by sending OTP on registered Mobile & Email as recorded in the demat Account.
	IV.	After successful authentication, user will be provided links for the respective ESP, i.e KFintech where the e- Voting is in progress
Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with CDSL Individual Shareholder login through their demat accounts / Website of Depository Participant	Ι.	You can also login using the login credentials of your dema account through your DP registered with NSDL /CDSL fo e-Voting facility.
	II.	Once logged-in, you will be able to see e-Voting option. Once you click on e-Voting option, you will be redirected to NSDL / CDS Depository site after successful authentication, wherein you can see e-Voting feature.
	III.	Click on options available against company name or e-Voting service provider – Kfintech and you will be redirected to e-Voting website of KFintech for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period without any further authentication.

**Important note:** Members who are unable to retrieve User ID / Password are advised to use Forgot user ID and Forgot Password option available at respective websites.

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

Individual Members who are voting through the facilities provided by their Depository Participants, contact their respective Depository Participants on their helpline/contact details.

Login type	Helpdesk details
Securities held with	Please contact NSDL helpdesk by sending a request at evoting@nsdl.co.in
NSDL	or call at toll free no.: 1800 1020 990
Securities held with	Please contact CDSL helpdesk by sending a request at helpdesk.evoting@
CDSL	cdslindia.com or contact at 022- 23058738 or 1800 225533

- **II** Login method for e-voting for shareholders other than Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode and shareholders holding securities in physical mode.
- (A) In case of Members receiving an e-mail from KFintech [applicable to members whose email IDs are registered with the Company / Depository Participant(s)]:
  - i. Launch an internet browser and open https://evoting.kfintech.com
  - ii. Enter the login credentials (i.e. User ID and password). In case of physical folio, User ID will be EVEN (E-Voting Event Number) 8482 followed by folio number. In case of Demat account, User ID will be your DP ID and Client ID. However, if you are already registered with KFintech for e-voting, you can use your existing User ID and password for casting your vote.
  - iii. After entering the above details Click on Login.
  - iv. Password change menu will appear. Change the Password with a new Password of your choice. The new password shall comprise minimum 8 characters with at least one upper case (A-Z), one lower case (a-z), one numeric (0-9) and a special character (@,#,\$,etc.) The system will also prompt you to update your contact details like mobile number, email ID, etc. on first login. You may also enter a secret question and answer of your choice to retrieve your password in case you forget it. It is strongly recommended that you do not share your password with any other person and that you take utmost care to keep your password confidential. You need to login again with the new credentials.
  - v. On successful login, the system will prompt you to select the EVEN of 'HMT Limited' and click on 'Submit'.
  - vi. On the voting page, enter the number of shares (which represents the number of votes) as on the Cutoff Date i.e. **November 15, 2024** under "FOR/AGAINST" or alternatively, you may partially enter any number in "FOR" and partially "AGAINST" but the total number in "FOR/AGAINST" taken together shall not exceed your total shareholding as mentioned herein above. You may also choose the option ABSTAIN. If the Member does not indicate either "FOR" or "AGAINST" it will be treated as "ABSTAIN" and the shares held will not be counted under either head.
  - vii. Members holding multiple folios/demat accounts shall choose the voting process separately for each folio/demat accounts.
  - viii. Voting has to be done for each item of the notice separately. In case you do not desire to cast your vote on any specific item, it will be treated as abstained.
  - ix. You may then cast your vote by selecting an appropriate option and click on "Submit".
  - x. A confirmation box will be displayed. Click "OK" to confirm else "CANCEL" to modify. Once you have voted on the resolution (s), you will not be allowed to modify your vote. During the voting period, Members can login any number of times till they have voted on the Resolution(s).

xi. Corporate/Institutional Members (i.e. other than Individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) are also required to send scanned certified true copy (PDF Format) of the Board Resolution/Authority Letter etc., together with attested specimen signature(s) of the duly authorised representative(s), to the Scrutinizer at email ID: venkat\_acs@yahoo.com with a copy marked to evoting@kfintech. com. The scanned image of the above mentioned documents should be in the naming format "Corporate Name\_Event No."

#### (B) In case of Members who have not registered their e-mail address:

- i. Please follow the steps for registration of e-mail address as mentioned in Notes to the AGM Notice.
- ii. Please follow all steps above to cast your vote by electronic means after registration of Email ID.
- III. In case of any queries, you may refer to the Help & Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) and e-voting user manual available in the downloads section of KFintech's website https://evoting.kfintech.com or contact Ms. Swati Reddy (Unit: HMT LIMITED), at einward.ris@kfintech.com and evoting@kfintech.com or call KFintech's toll free No. 1-800-309-4001 for any further clarifications.
- IV. Members who have acquired shares after the dispatch of the Annual Report and on or before the cut-off date i.e. November 15, 2024, may obtain the User ID and Password for exercising their right to vote by electronic means as follows:
  - a. If the e-mail or mobile number of the member is registered against Folio No./ DP ID Client ID:

The member may send SMS: MYEPWD <space> Event number+Folio No. or DP ID Client ID to 9212993399

Example for NSDL: MYEPWD <SPACE> IN12345612345678

Example for CDSL: MYEPWD <SPACE> 1402345612345678

Example for Physical: MYEPWD <SPACE> HMT1234567

OR

The member may go to the home page of https://evoting.kfintech.com, and click "forgot password" and enter Folio No. or DP ID Client ID and PAN to generate a password.

b) Members who may require any technical assistance or support before or during the AGM are requested to contact KFintech at toll free number 1-800-309-4001 or write to them at einward. ris@kfintech.com.

# B. INSTRUCTIONS FOR ATTENDING THE E-AGM THROUGH VIDEO CONFERENCE AND E-VOTING DURING THE E-AGM SESSION

1. Members may access the platform to attend the AGM through VC at https://emeetings.kfintech.com/ by clicking "Video Conference tab" and login through the user id and password provided in the mail received from KFintech. The link for the AGM will be available in the shareholder/members login where the "Event" and the "Name of the company" can be selected. Click on the video symbol and accept the meeting etiquettes to join the meeting. Please note that the Members who have not registered their e-mail address or 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 this Notice.

- 2. The facility for joining the AGM shall open 30 minutes before the scheduled time for commencement of the AGM
- 3. Members are encouraged to join the Meeting using Google Chrome (preferred browser) for better experience.
- 4. Members will be required to grant access to the web-cam to enable two-way video conferencing.
- 5. Members are advised to use stable Wi-Fi or LAN connection to participate at the AGM through VC in a smooth manner. Participants may experience audio/video loss due to fluctuation in their respective networks.
- 6. Members who may want to express their views or ask questions may visit https://emeetings.kfintech. com/ and click on the tab "**Post Your Questions**" to post their queries in the window provided, by mentioning their name, demat account number/folio number, email ID and mobile number. The window shall remain active from **November 17, 2024** and **November 18, 2024**.
- 7. In addition to the above mentioned step, the Members who wish to speak during the meeting may register themselves as speakers for the AGM to express their views. Accordingly, the Members may visit https://emeetings.kfintech.com/ and click on 'Speaker Registration' during the period from November 19, 2024 and November 20, 2024. The company reserves the right to restrict the speakers at the AGM to only those Members who have registered themselves, depending on the availability of time for the AGM.
- 8. Members who have not cast their vote through remote e-voting shall be eligible to cast their vote through e-voting system available during the AGM. E-voting during the AGM is integrated with the VC platform. Members may click on the voting icon ("Thumb sign") on the left side of the screen to cast their votes.
- 9. Members who may require any technical assistance or support before or during the AGM are requested to contact M/s. Kfin Technologies Limited at toll free number 1-800-309-4001 or write to them at evoting@kfintech.com.

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