

# PONDY OXIDES AND CHEMICALS LIMITED **POCL**<sup>®</sup>

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**NSE Symbol : POCL**  
**BSE Scrip Code : 532626**

Dear Sir/Madam,

**Sub: Disclosure under Regulation 30 of SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015 – Notice of Extraordinary General Meeting (EGM) of members**

In continuation to our letter dated 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2024 regarding the schedule of EGM and pursuant to Regulation 30 of SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015, we enclose herewith the Notice of EGM, which is scheduled to be held on Friday, 25<sup>th</sup> October 2024 at 03:00 P.M. (IST) through Video Conferencing (VC) / Other Audio Visual Means (OAVM).

In compliance with section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Regulation 44 of SEBI (LODR) Regulations 2015, the Company is providing the facility of Remote E-voting and E-voting at the EGM through Central Depository Services Limited (CDSL) for the resolutions proposed to be passed at the EGM. The remote E-voting shall commence from Tuesday, 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2024 at 09.00 A.M. (IST) and end on Thursday, 24<sup>th</sup> October 2024 at 05.00 P.M. (IST) (Both days inclusive). The cut-off date for determining the eligibility of the Shareholders to cast their vote is Friday, 18<sup>th</sup> October 2024.

The Notice of EGM is also uploaded on the Company's website as per the details given below:

<https://pocl.com/public-announcements/>

Kindly take the above information on record.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,  
For **Pondy Oxides and Chemicals Limited**

**K. Kumaravel**  
**Director Finance & Company Secretary.**  
Encl.: as above



**PONDY OXIDES & CHEMICALS LTD.**

**CIN:** L24294TN1995PLC030586

**Registered Office:** 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, KRM Centre, No: 2, Harrington Road, Chetpet,  
Chennai – 600 031, Tamil Nadu, India.

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**NOTICE OF EXTRA ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Extra-Ordinary General Meeting (“EGM”) of the Members of Pondy Oxides & Chemicals Limited (the “Company”) will be held on Friday, the 25<sup>th</sup> of October 2024, at 03:00 P.M. IST through Video Conference (VC) or Other Audio-Visual Means (OAVM) to transact the following special business:

**SPECIAL BUSINESS:**

**ITEM NO. 1: TO APPROVE CAPITAL RAISING BY WAY OF ISSUANCE OF EQUITY SHARES AND/OR EQUITY LINKED SECURITIES BY WAY OF QUALIFIED INSTITUTIONS PLACEMENT**

*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 Section 23, 42, 62, 179 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 and rules made thereunder (including any amendments thereto or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force), the Companies (Prospectus and Allotment of Securities) Rules, 2014, all other applicable rules under the Companies Act, 2013, Chapter VI of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018 as amended from time to time (the “**ICDR Regulations**”), Foreign Exchange Management Act, 1999 (“**FEMA**”) and the rules and regulations framed there under as amended, and the current Consolidated FDI Policy issued by the Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade, Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Government of India (“**DPIIT**”), and the enabling provisions of the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company and the Listing Agreements entered into by the Company with the stock exchanges where equity shares of the Company are listed, read with the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (“**Listing Regulations**”), and sanctions of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (“**SEBI**”), Government of India (“**GOI**”), Ministry of Corporate Affairs (“**MCA**”), Stock Exchanges, Registrar of Companies (“**RoC**”), Reserve Bank of India (“**RBI**”), Foreign Investment Promotion Board (“**FIPB**”), Department of Industrial Policy & Promotion (“**DIPP**”), Ministry of Finance (Department of Economic Affairs), and all other Ministries/ Departments of the Government of India and all other appropriate and / or competent authorities or bodies (herein after referred to as “**Applicable Regulatory Authorities**”) and subject to such conditions and modifications, as may be prescribed by any of them in granting such approvals, consents, permissions and sanctions, which may be agreed to by the Board of Directors of the Company (hereinafter referred as “**Board**” which term shall include any Committee thereof which the Board may have constituted to exercise its powers including the powers conferred in this Resolution), the consent of the

shareholders of the Company be and is hereby accorded to the Board to create, offer, issue and allot, such number of fully paid-up Equity Shares, denominated in Rupee, in the course of domestic offering(s) in the domestic market, through Qualified Institutions Placement (“QIP”), through issue of an offer document and/ or preliminary placement document, placement document or other permissible / requisite offer document to Qualified Institutional Buyers as defined under the ICDR Regulations (“QIBs”) in accordance with Chapter VI of the ICDR Regulations or otherwise, such number of Equity Shares, for an aggregate amount not exceeding INR 250 crores (Indian Rupees Two Hundred and Fifty Crores only) equivalent thereof in one or more foreign currency, inclusive of premium that may be fixed on such equity shares to be issued, whether they be holders of Equity Shares of the Company or not (collectively called the “Investors”) as may be decided by the Board in its discretion, and permitted under applicable laws and regulations, whether shareholders of the Company or not, pursuant to a qualified institutions placement under Chapter VI of the ICDR Regulations at such price, being not less than the price determined in accordance with the pricing formula specified under the ICDR Regulations (or such other formula as may be prescribed by SEBI) or such lower price as may be permissible under the ICDR Regulations or notifications, considering the prevailing market conditions and other relevant factors and where necessary in consultation with the Book Running Lead Manager(s) and/or Merchant Bankers and/or Underwriters and/or stabilizing agent and/or other Advisors, Depositories, Registrars and other agencies and on such terms and conditions as may be determined and deemed appropriate by the Board in its absolute discretion at the time of such issue and allotment considering the prevailing market conditions and other relevant factors in consultation with the merchant banker(s) to be appointed, so as to enable to list on any stock exchanges in India and/or on any of the overseas stock exchanges, wherever required and as may be permissible;

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the allotment of the Equity shares in one or more tranches, as may be decided by the Board shall be completed within a period of 365 days from the date of passing of the special resolution by the shareholders of the Company or such other time as may be allowed under the ICDR Regulations, Companies Act, and/or applicable and relevant laws/guidelines, from time to time;

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Equity shares allotted shall not be eligible to be sold by the Allottee for a period of 1 year from the date of allotment, except on a recognized stock exchange, or except as may be permitted from time to time under the ICDR Regulations;

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** in accordance with Regulation 176(3) under Chapter VI of ICDR Regulations, no partly paid-up Equity Shares shall be issued / allotted and no single Allottee shall be allotted more than 50% of the issue size and the minimum number of allottees shall be as per the ICDR Regulations;

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** in accordance with Regulation 179(2) under Chapter VI of ICDR Regulations, a minimum of 10% of the Securities shall be allotted to mutual funds and if mutual funds do not subscribe to the aforesaid minimum percentage or part thereof, such minimum portion may be allotted to other QIBs, in accordance with the ICDR Regulations;

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the tenure of the convertible or exchangeable Eligible Securities issued through the QIP shall not exceed sixty months from the date of allotment;

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** application for allotment of Eligible Securities, and allotment of Eligible Securities through the QIP shall be in accordance with the criteria provided under Chapter VI of the ICDR Regulations. No allotment shall be made, either directly or indirectly, to any QIB who is a promoter, or any person related to the promoters of the Company.

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** in the event the Equity Shares are issued in the course of QIP under Chapter VI of ICDR Regulations, the relevant date for the purpose of pricing of the Equity Shares shall be

- (i) in case of allotment of Equity Shares, the date of the meeting in which the Board or any Committee duly authorized by the Board decides to open the issue of Equity Shares, subsequent to the receipt of shareholders' approval in terms of provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and other applicable laws, rules, regulations and guidelines in relation to the proposed issue and at such price being not less than the price determined in accordance with the pricing formula provided under Chapter VI of the ICDR Regulations; and
- (ii) in case of allotment of eligible convertible Securities, either the date of the meeting in which the Board decides to open the issue of such convertible securities or the date on which the holders of such convertible securities become entitled to apply for the Equity Shares, as may be determined by the Board;

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Eligible Securities (excluding warrants) shall be allotted as fully paid up;

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** an issue of Equity shares shall be at such price which is not less than the price determined in accordance with the applicable provisions of Regulation 176 provided under Chapter VI of the ICDR Regulations and applicable law (the "QIP Floor Price"), the Act and other applicable laws, and the price determined for the QIP shall be subject to appropriate adjustments as per the provisions of the applicable laws, including ICDR Regulations. The Board may in its discretion, in accordance with applicable law and in consultation with the lead managers appointed for the QIP, also offer a discount of not more than 5% or such percentage as permitted under applicable law on the QIP Floor Price;

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the consent of the members of the Company, be and is hereby accorded to Board or its duly constituted committee thereof, to issue and allot such number of Equity Shares as may be required to be issued and allotted upon conversion of any Securities or as may be necessary in accordance with the terms of the offering. All such Equity Shares shall rank pari-passu with the existing Equity Shares in all respects;

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** in case of offering of any Securities, including without limitation any securities convertible into equity shares, consent of the members of the Company be and is hereby accorded to the Board or its duly constituted committee thereof, to issue and allot such number of equity shares as may be required to be issued and allotted upon conversion, redemption or cancellation of any such Securities referred to above in accordance with the terms of issue/ offering in respect of such Securities and such equity shares shall rank pari passu with the existing equity shares of the Company in all respects, except as may be provided otherwise under the terms of issue/ offering and in the offer document and/or placement document and/or offer letter and/or offering circular and/or listing particulars, in accordance with the applicable laws;

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** no allotment shall be made, either directly or indirectly, to any person who is a promoter or any person related to promoters in terms of the ICDR Regulations;

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Company shall not undertake any subsequent QIP until the expiry of two weeks or such other time as may be prescribed in the ICDR Regulations, from the date of prior QIP made pursuant to one or more special resolutions;

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT**

- (A) The Equity shares to be created, issued, allotted and offered in terms of this Resolution shall be subject to the provisions of the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company.
- (B) The underlying equity shares shall rank pari passu in all respects including entitlement to dividend, voting rights or otherwise with the existing Equity Shares of the Company in all respects as may be provided under the terms of issue and in accordance with the placement document(s);

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the issue to the holders of Securities, which are convertible into or exchangeable with the Equity Shares at a later date, will be, inter alia, subject to the following terms and conditions:

- a. In the event the Company is making a bonus issue by way of capitalization of its profits or reserves prior to the allotment of the Equity Shares, the number of Equity Shares to be allotted will stand augmented in the same proportion in which the Equity Share capital increases as a consequence of such bonus issue and the premium, if any, will stand reduced pro tanto;
- b. In the event the Company is making a rights offer by the issue of Equity Shares prior to the allotment of the Equity Shares, the entitlement to the Equity Shares will stand increased in the same proportion as that of the rights offer, and such additional Equity Shares will be offered to the holders of the Securities at the same price at which the same are offered to the existing shareholders;
- c. In the event of a merger, amalgamation, takeover or any other reorganization or restructuring or any such corporate action, the number of Equity Shares, the price and the time period as aforesaid will be suitably adjusted; and
- d. In the event of consolidation and/or division of outstanding Equity Shares into smaller number of Equity Shares (including by way of stock split) or reclassification of the Securities into other securities and/or involvement in such other event or circumstances which in the opinion of the concerned stock exchange requires such adjustments, necessary adjustments will be made.

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** without prejudice to the generality of the above, the aforesaid shares may have such features and attributes or any terms or combination of terms in accordance with international practices to provide for the tradability and free transferability thereof as per the prevailing practices and regulations in the capital markets and the Board be and is hereby authorised in its absolute discretion in such manner as it may deem fit, to dispose of such of the shares that are not subscribed;

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** for the purpose of giving effect to any offer, issue or allotment of equity shares, the Board or a committee thereof, in consultation with the Book Running Lead Manager(s), advisors and/or other intermediaries as may be appointed in relation to the Issue, be and is hereby authorised on behalf of the Company to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things as it may, in absolute discretion, deem necessary or desirable for such purpose, including without limitation, the determination of the terms thereof, finalization and approval of the offer document and / or preliminary placement document, placement document or other permissible / requisite offer document, determining the form, proportion and manner of the issue, including the class of investors to whom the equity shares are to be

allotted, number of Equity shares to be allotted, issue price, premium amount on issue / conversion / exercise / redemption, rate of interest, redemption period, fixing record date, listings on one or more stock exchanges in India or abroad, entering into arrangements for managing, underwriting, marketing, listing and trading, to issue placement document(s) and to sign all deeds, documents undertakings, agreements, papers, declarations and writings as may be required in this regard including without limitation, the private placement offer letter (along with the application form), information memorandum, disclosure documents, the preliminary placement document as may be required, approve and finalise the bid cum application form and confirmation of all allocation notes, seek any consents and approvals as may be required, provide such declarations, affidavits, certificates, consents and/or authorities as required from time to time, finalize utilisation of the QIP, give instructions or directions and/or settle all questions, difficulties or doubts that may arise at any stage from time to time, and give effect to such modifications, changes, variations, alterations, deletions, additions as regards the terms and conditions as may be required by the SEBI, the MCA, the book running lead manager(s), or other authorities or intermediaries involved in or concerned with the QIP or any other mode of issuance of Securities and as the Board may in its absolute discretion deem fit and proper in the best interest of the Company without being required to seek any further consent or approval of the members or otherwise, and that all or any of the powers conferred on the Board pursuant to this resolution may be exercised by the Board to the end and intent that the members shall be deemed to have given their approval thereto expressly by the authority of this resolution, and all actions taken by the Board or any committee constituted by the Board to exercise its powers, in connection with any matter(s) referred to or contemplated in any of the foregoing resolutions be and are hereby approved, ratified and confirmed in all respects and to pay any fees, commissions, remuneration, expenses relating thereto and for other related matters and with power on behalf of the Company to settle all questions, difficulties or doubts that may arise in regard to such offer(s) or issue(s) or allotment(s) as it may, in its absolute discretion, deem fit;

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Board or duly constituted committee thereof, be and is hereby authorized by the members of the Company to approve, finalise, execute, ratify, and/or amend/modify agreements and documents, including any power of attorney, lock up letters, and agreements in connection with the appointment of any intermediaries and/ or advisors (including for marketing, listing, trading and appointment of book running lead managers/ legal counsel/ bankers/ advisors/ registrars/ and other intermediaries as required) and to pay any fees, commission, costs, charges and other expenses in connection therewith;

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Board or duly constituted committee, thereof is authorised by the members of the Company to open one or more bank accounts in the name of the Company, as may be required, subject to requisite approvals, if any, and to give such instructions including closure thereof as may be required and deemed appropriate by the Board;

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Board be and is hereby authorised to appoint merchant bankers, underwriters, depositories, custodians, registrars, trustees, bankers, lawyers, advisors, credit rating agencies and all such agencies as may be involved or concerned in the issue and to remunerate them by way of commission, brokerage, fees or the like (including reimbursement of their actual expenses) and also to enter into and execute all such arrangements, contracts/agreements, memorandum, documents, etc., with such agencies, to seek the listing of Equity shares on one or more recognized stock exchange(s), to affix common seal of the Company on any arrangements, contracts/ agreements, memorandum, documents, etc. as may be required;

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** for the purpose of giving effect to the above, the Board be and is hereby authorised in consultation with the merchant banker(s), advisors and / or other intermediaries as may be

appointed in relation to the issue of Equity Shares, is authorised to take all actions and do all such acts, deeds, matters and things as it may, in its absolute discretion, deem necessary, desirable or expedient for the issue and allotment of Equity Shares and listing thereof with the stock exchanges or otherwise as may be required in relation to the issue and to resolve and settle all questions and difficulties that may arise in the issue, offer and allotment of Equity Shares, including finalization of the number of Equity Shares to be issued in each tranche thereof, form, terms and timing of the issue of Equity Shares including for each tranche of such issue of Equity Shares, identification of the investors to whom Equity Shares are to be offered, utilization of the proceeds and other related, incidental or ancillary matters as the Board may deem fit at its absolute discretion, to make such other applications to concerned statutory or regulatory authorities as may be required in relation to the issue of Equity Shares and to agree to such conditions or modifications that may be imposed by any relevant authority or that may otherwise be deemed fit or proper by the Board and to do all acts, deeds, matters and things in connection therewith and incidental thereto as the Board in its absolute discretion deems fit and to settle any questions, difficulties or doubts that may arise in relation to the any of the aforesaid or otherwise in relation to the issue of Equity Shares;

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Board be and is hereby authorised to delegate all or any of the powers herein conferred to any Committee of Directors or any Director(s) of the Company, including the Management Committee, in such manner as they may deem fit in their absolute discretion with the power to take such steps and to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things as they may deem fit and proper for the purposes of the Issue and settle any questions or difficulties that may arise in this regard to the Issue;

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** subject to applicable law, the Board be and is hereby authorized to delegate all or any of the powers herein conferred to any Director(s), committee(s), executive(s), officer(s) or representatives(s) of the Company or to any other person to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things and also to execute such documents, writings etc., and to represent the Company before any governmental authorities, as may be necessary to give effect to this resolution;

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** Managing Director or the Company Secretary of the Company be and is hereby severally authorised to certify the true copy of this resolution and forward the same to any person or authority for their record and necessary action.

**By order of the Board  
For Pondy Oxides & Chemicals Limited**

**K Kumaravel  
Director Finance & Company Secretary  
Membership No.: A10921**

**Date:** 23-09-2024

**Place:** Chennai

**Registered Office:**

4<sup>th</sup> Floor, KRM Centre, No: 2, Harrington Road,  
Chetpet, Chennai – 600 031, Tamil Nadu, India.

**CIN:** L24294TN1995PLC030586

## NOTES:

1. The Ministry of Corporate Affairs (“MCA”) has vide its General Circular Nos. 9/2024 dated September 19, 2024, 9/2023 dated September 25, 2023, 11/2022 dated December 28, 2022, 3/2022 dated May 5, 2022 read with circulars dated January 13, 2021, May 5, 2020, April 8, 2020, April 13, 2020 and other applicable circulars (collectively referred to as “MCA Circulars”) and the Securities and Exchange Board of India (‘SEBI’) vide its circular nos. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD1/CIR/P/2020/79 dated May 12, 2020, SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD2/CIR/ P/2021/11 dated January 15, 2021, SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD2/CIRP/P/2022/62 dated May 13, 2022, SEBI/HO/CFD/PoD-2/P/CIR/2023/4 dated 5<sup>th</sup> January 2023 and SEBI/HO/CFD/CFD-PoD-2/P/CIR/2023/167 dated 7<sup>th</sup> October 2023 (‘SEBI Circulars’) has permitted the holding of the Extraordinary General Meeting (“EGM”) through Video Conferencing (“VC”) / Other Audio Visual Means (“OAVM”), without the physical presence of the Members at a common venue. In compliance with these MCA and SEBI Circulars, applicable provisions of the Act (including any statutory modifications or re-enactments thereof for the time being in force) read with Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014, as amended and pursuant to Regulation 44 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations & Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (‘Listing Regulations’), the EGM of the Company is being conducted through VC/OAVM on Friday, 25<sup>th</sup> October 2024 at 03:00 PM IST. The registered office of the Company shall be deemed to be the venue for the EGM.
2. Pursuant to the provisions of the Act, a member entitled to attend and vote at the EGM 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 EGM 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 this EGM and hence the Attendance Slip and Proxy Form are not annexed to this Notice.
3. The Members can join the EGM through VC/OAVM mode 30 minutes before and after the scheduled time of the commencement of the Meeting by following the procedure mentioned in this Notice. The facility of participation in the EGM 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 EGM without restriction on account of first come first served basis. The detailed instructions for joining the Meeting through VC/OAVM forms part of the Notes to this Notice;
4. The attendance of the Members attending the EGM through VC/OAVM will be counted for the purpose of reckoning the quorum under Section 103 of the Act;
5. An Explanatory Statement pursuant to Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013 (“the Act”), in respect of business to be transacted at the EGM, as set out above and the relevant details, above as required by Regulation 36(3) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (“SEBI”) (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 pursuant to Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013 (“the Act”) with respect to the Special Business set out in the Notice is annexed.

6. 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.
7. In view of the same and to eliminate all risks associated with physical shares and for ease of portfolio management, members holding shares in physical form are advised to dematerialize the shares held by them. Members can contact the Company or Company's Registrars and Transfer Agents - M/s. Cameo Corporate Services Limited for assistance in this regard;
8. 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 request viz., Issue of duplicate securities certificates; claim from Unclaimed Suspense Account; Renewal / Exchange of securities certificate; Endorsement; Sub-division / Splitting of securities certificate; consolidation of securities certificate/folios; Transmission; Transposition. Accordingly, Members are requested to make service requests by submitting a duly filled and signed Form ISR-4, on the website of the Company's Registrar and Share Transfer Agent, M/s. Cameo Corporate Services Limited at <https://cameoindia.com/registry-and-share-transfer>. It may be noted that any service request can be processed only after the folio is KYC Compliant.
9. To support the "Green Initiative", Members who have not registered their email addresses are requested to register the same with the Company's Registrar and Share Transfer Agent/their Depository Participants, in respect of shares held in physical/electronic mode, respectively, for receiving all communication(s) including Annual Report, Notices, Circulars, etc. from the Company electronically;
10. 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, bank details such as, name of the bank and branch details, bank account number, MICR code, IFSC code, etc., to their Depository Participant in case the shares are held in electronic form and in case the shares are held in physical form to M/s. Cameo Corporate Services Limited in prescribed form ISR-1 and other forms pursuant to SEBI Circular No. SEBI/HO/MIRSD\_RTAMB/P/CIR/2021/655 dated November 3, 2021, SEBI/HO/MIRSD\_RTAMB/P/CIR/2021/687 dated November 14, 2021 and SEBI/HO/MIRSD/MIRSD-PoD-1/P/CIR/2023/37 dated March 16, 2023;
11. In case of joint holders attending the EGM, 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;
12. Members holding shares in physical form are requested to advise any change of address immediately to the Company's Registrar and Share Transfer Agent. Members holding shares in electronic form must send the advice about change in address to their respective Depository Participant only and not to the Company or the Company's Registrar and Share Transfer Agent.
13. **Updation of Members' Details:**  
The format of the Register of Members prescribed by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs under the Act requires the Company / Registrar and Share Transfer Agent to record additional details of Members, including their PAN details, email address, bank details for payment of dividend, etc. Members holding shares in physical form are requested to submit the details to the Company or to

its Registrar and Share Transfer Agent. Members holding shares in electronic form are requested to submit the details to their respective Depository Participant.

**14. Nomination Facility:**

As per the provisions of Section 72 of the Act and Rule 19(1) of the Companies (Share Capital and Debentures) Rules, 2014, as amended, Members holding shares in physical form may file nomination in the prescribed Form SH-13 with the Company's Registrar and Share Transfer Agent. In respect of shares held in dematerialized form, the nomination form may be filed with the respective Depository Participant.

15. All documents referred to in the accompanying Notice and the Explanatory Statement shall be open for inspection by the Members by writing an e-mail to the Company Secretary at [kk@pocl.com](mailto:kk@pocl.com);

16. In compliance with the aforesaid MCA Circulars and SEBI Circulars, Notice of the EGM is being sent only through electronic mode to those Members whose e-mail addresses are registered with the Company / Depository Participants. Members may note that the Notice of EGM will also be available on the Company's website at [www.pocl.com](http://www.pocl.com), on the website of the Stock Exchanges i.e. BSE Limited at [www.bseindia.com](http://www.bseindia.com), National Stock Exchange of India Limited at <https://www.nseindia.com/> and on the website of CDSL <https://www.cdslindia.com/>;

17. Since the EGM will be held through VC / OAVM, the Route Map is not annexed to this Notice.

**VOTING THROUGH ELECTRONIC MEANS:**

1. In compliance with the provisions of Section 108 of the Act and the Rules framed thereunder, as amended to date and Regulation 44 of the Listing Regulations, the Members are provided with the facility to cast their vote electronically, through the e-Voting services provided by CDSL, on all the resolutions set forth in this Notice. The instructions for e-Voting are given herein below:
2. The remote e-Voting period commences at 09:00 AM (IST) on Tuesday, 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2024 and ends at 05:00 PM (IST) on Thursday, 24<sup>th</sup> October 2024. The e-Voting module shall be disabled/blocked by CDSL for voting thereafter. During this period, Members holding shares either in physical or de-materialized form as on the Cut-Off Date i.e., Friday, 18<sup>th</sup> October 2024, may cast their votes electronically. Any person who is not a member as on the cut-off date should treat this Notice for information purposes only. Those members, who will be present in the EGM 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 EGM. The voting rights 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.
3. The Company has appointed Mr. Krishna Sharan Mishra of M/s. KSM & Associates., Company Secretaries (Membership No. FCS 6447) as the Scrutinizer to scrutinize the voting at the meeting and remote e-voting process, in a fair and transparent manner and they have communicated their willingness to be appointed and will be available for the purpose;
4. The Members who have cast their vote by remote e-Voting prior to the EGM may also attend / participate in the EGM through VC / OAVM, but shall not be entitled to cast their vote again;
5. The voting rights of Members shall be in proportion to their share in the paid-up equity share capital of the Company as on Friday, 18<sup>th</sup> October 2024 ("Cut-Off Date");

6. Any person, who are other than individual shareholders holding securities in Demat mode and shareholders holding securities in physical mode, who acquires shares of the Company and become member of the Company after dispatch of the notice and holding shares as of the Cut-off date i.e. Friday, 18<sup>th</sup> October 2024, may obtain the login ID and password by sending a request at [helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com](mailto:helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com). However, if you are already registered with CDSL for remote e-Voting then you can use your existing user ID and password for casting your vote. If you have forgotten your password, you could reset your password by using “Forgot User Details/Password” or “Physical User Reset Password” option available on [www.evotingindia.com](http://www.evotingindia.com). In case of Individual shareholders holding securities in Demat mode, who acquires shares of the Company and become member of the Company after dispatch of the Notice and holding shares as of the Cut-off date i.e. Friday, 18<sup>th</sup> October 2024 are requested to follow the login method mentioned below in point (A) under e-Voting instructions;

7. **E-Voting Instructions:**

The way to vote electronically on CDSL/NSDL e-Voting system consists of “Two Steps” which are mentioned below:

**Step 1: Access to CDSL/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 is 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 CDSL	<p>(i) 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. The URL for users to login to Easi / Easiest are <a href="https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasi/home/login">https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasi/home/login</a> or <a href="http://www.cdslindia.com">www.cdslindia.com</a> and click on New System - Myeasi.</p> <p>(ii) 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. CDSL. Click on CDSL to cast your vote.</p> <p>(iii) 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></p> <p>(iv) Alternatively, the user can directly access e-Voting page by providing demat Account Number and PAN No. from a link in <a href="http://www.cdslindia.com">www.cdslindia.com</a> home page. The system will authenticate the user by sending OTP on registered Mobile &amp; Email as recorded in the demat Account. After successful authentication, user will be</p>

Type of Shareholders	Login Method
	provided links for the respective ESP i.e. CDSL where the e-Voting is in progress.
Individual Shareholders holding securities in Demat mode with NSDL.	<p>(i) If you are already registered for NSDL IDeAS facility, please visit the e-Services website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the following URL: <a href="https://eservices.nsdl.com/">https://eservices.nsdl.com/</a> either on a Personal Computer or on a mobile. Once the home page of e-Services is launched, click on the “Beneficial Owner” icon under “Login” which is available under “IDeAS” section. A new screen will open. You will have to enter your User ID and Password. After successful authentication, you will be able to see e-Voting services. Click on “Access to e-Voting” under e-Voting services and you will be able to see e-Voting page. Click on options available against company name or e-Voting service provider - CDSL and you will be re-directed to CDSL e-Voting website for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting &amp; voting during the meeting.</p> <p>(ii) If the user is not registered for IDeAS e-Services, option to register is available at <a href="https://eservices.nsdl.com">https://eservices.nsdl.com</a>.</p> <p>(iii) Select “Register Online for IDeAS” Portal or click at <a href="https://eservices.nsdl.com/SecureWeb/IdeasDirectReg.jsp">https://eservices.nsdl.com/SecureWeb/IdeasDirectReg.jsp</a></p> <p>(iv) Visit the e-Voting website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the following URL: <a href="https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/">https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/</a> either on a Personal Computer or on a mobile. Once the home page of e-Voting system is launched, click on the icon “Login” 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 held 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 options available against company name or e-Voting service provider - NSDL and you will be redirected to e-Voting website of CDSL for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting &amp; voting during the meeting.</p>
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 CDSL/NSDL for e-Voting facility. Once login is complete, you will be able to see e-Voting option. Once you click on e-Voting option, you will be redirected to CDSL/NSDL Depository site after successful authentication, wherein you can see e-Voting feature. Click on options available against company name or e-Voting service provider-CDSL and you will be redirected to e-Voting website of CDSL 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 Forgot User ID and Forgot Password option available at the above-mentioned website.

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

<b>Login Type</b>	<b>Helpdesk details</b>
Individual Shareholders holding securities in Demat mode with CDSL	Members facing any technical issue to login can contact CDSL helpdesk by sending a request at <a href="mailto:helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com">helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com</a> or contact at +91 22 2305 8738 or +91 22 2305 8542-43
Individual Shareholders holding securities in Demat mode with NSDL	Members facing any technical issue to 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 toll free no.: 1800 1020 990 and 1800 224 430

(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.

- (i) The shareholders should log on to the e-voting website [www.evotingindia.com](http://www.evotingindia.com).
- (ii) Once the Home page of e-Voting system is launched, Click on “Shareholders” module.
- (iii) Now enter your User ID
  - a. For CDSL: 16 digits beneficiary ID,
  - b. For NSDL: 8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digits Client ID,
  - c. Shareholders holding shares in Physical Form should enter Folio Number registered with the Company.
- (iv) Next enter the Image Verification as displayed and Click on Login.

If you are holding shares in demat form and had logged on to [www.evotingindia.com](http://www.evotingindia.com) and voted on an earlier e-voting of any company, then your existing password is to be used.

- (v) If you are a first-time user follow the steps given below:

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

	company, please enter the member id / folio number in the Dividend Bank details field as mentioned in instruction (v).
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- (vi) After entering these details appropriately, click on “SUBMIT” tab.
  - (vii) Shareholders holding shares in physical form will then directly reach the Company selection screen. However, shareholders holding shares in demat form will now reach ‘Password Creation’ menu wherein they are required to mandatorily enter their login password in the new password field. Kindly note that this password is to be also used by the demat holders for voting for resolutions of any other company on which they are eligible to vote, provided that company opts for e-voting through CDSL platform. It is strongly recommended not to share your password with any other person and take utmost care to keep your password confidential.
  - (viii) For shareholders holding shares in physical form, the details can be used only for e-voting on the resolutions contained in this Notice.
  - (ix) Click on the EVSN for the relevant on which you choose to vote.
  - (x) On the voting page, you will see “RESOLUTION DESCRIPTION” and against the same the option “YES/NO” for voting. Select the option YES or NO as desired. The option YES implies that you assent to the Resolution and option NO implies that you dissent to the Resolution.
  - (xi) Click on the “RESOLUTIONS FILE LINK” if you wish to view the entire Resolution details.
  - (xii) After selecting the resolution, you have decided to vote on, click on “SUBMIT”. A confirmation box will be displayed. If you wish to confirm your vote, click on “OK”, else to change your vote, click on “CANCEL” and accordingly modify your vote.
  - (xiii) Once you “CONFIRM” your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.
  - (xiv) You can also take a print of the votes cast by clicking on “Click here to print” option on the Voting page.
  - (xv) If a demat account holder has forgotten the login password then Enter the User ID and the image verification code and click on Forgot Password & enter the details as prompted by the system.
- (C) Facility for Non – Individual Shareholders and Custodians –Remote Voting:
- (i) Non-Individual shareholders (i.e. other than Individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) and Custodians are required to log on to [www.evotingindia.com](http://www.evotingindia.com) and register themselves in the “Corporates” module.
  - (ii) A scanned copy of the Registration Form bearing the stamp and sign of the entity should be emailed to [helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com](mailto:helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com).

- (iii) After receiving the login details a Compliance User should be created using the admin login and password. The Compliance User would be able to link the account(s) for which they wish to vote on.
- (iv) The list of accounts linked in the login should be mailed to [helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com](mailto:helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com) and on approval of the accounts they would be able to cast their vote.
- (v) A scanned copy of the Board Resolution and Power of Attorney (POA) which they have issued in favour of the Custodian, if any, should be uploaded in PDF format in the system for the scrutinizer to verify the same.
- (vi) Alternatively Non-Individual shareholders are required to send the relevant Board Resolution/ Authority letter etc. together with attested specimen signature of the duly authorized signatory who are authorized to vote, to the Scrutinizer at [evoting.ksmassociates@gmail.com](mailto:evoting.ksmassociates@gmail.com) and to the Company at the email address viz; [kk@pocl.com](mailto:kk@pocl.com), if they have voted from individual tab & not uploaded same in the CDSL e-voting system for the scrutinizer to verify the same.

**INSTRUCTIONS TO MEMBERS FOR e-VOTING ON THE DAY OF THE EGM ARE AS UNDER:**

1. The procedure for e-Voting on the day of the EGM is same as the instructions mentioned above for remote e-Voting.
2. Only those Members/ Shareholders, who will be present in the EGM 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 EGM.
3. Members who have voted through Remote e-Voting will be eligible to attend the EGM. However, they will not be eligible to vote at the EGM.
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 EGM shall be the same person mentioned for Remote e-Voting.

**GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS / INFORMATION FOR MEMBERS FOR VOTING ON THE RESOLUTIONS:**

1. Corporate / Institutional Members (i.e., other than Individuals, HUF, NRI, etc.) are also required to send scanned certified true copy (PDF / JPG Format) of the relevant Board Resolution/ Authority Letter, etc., together with attested specimen signature(s) of the duly authorized representative(s) who are authorized to vote, to the Scrutinizer at the email address: [evoting.ksmassociates@gmail.com](mailto:evoting.ksmassociates@gmail.com) with a copy marked to [helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com](mailto:helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com);
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.evotingindia.com](http://www.evotingindia.com) to reset the password.
3. In case of any query pertaining to e-voting, Members may refer to the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) for shareholders and e-Voting user manual for shareholders available at the download section of [www.evotingindia.com](http://www.evotingindia.com) or call on 022-23058738 and 022-23058542/43 or send a request at helpdesk Any query or grievance connected with the remote e-voting may be addressed to Mr. Rakesh Dalvi, Sr.

Manager, CDSL, Central Depository Services (India) Limited, A Wing, 25<sup>th</sup> Floor, Marathon Futurex Mafatlal Mill Compounds, N M Joshi Marg, Lower Parel (East) Mumbai – 400013 or send an email to [helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com](mailto:helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com).

4. Any grievance or clarifications with regard to voting by electronic means may be addressed to Mr. K. Kumaravel, Company Secretary at KRM Centre, 4th Floor, No. 2, Harrington Road, Chetpet, Chennai – 600031, Tamil Nadu, India. Phone: 044-42965454, Email ID: [kk@pocl.com](mailto:kk@pocl.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 a request letter duly signed by the first-named shareholder stating Folio No., Name of shareholder, copy of the share certificate (front and back), PAN (self-attested copy of PAN card), AADHAR (self-attested copy of Aadhar Card) to the Registrars and Transfer Agents – Cameo Corporate Services Limited;
2. In case shares are held in Demat mode, please contact your Depository Participant (DP) and register your email address in your demat account, as per the process advised by your DP;
3. If you are an Individual shareholder holding securities in Demat mode, you are requested to refer to the login method explained under Login method for e-Voting and joining virtual meeting for Individual shareholders holding securities in Demat mode;
4. Alternatively, shareholder / members may send a request to [helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com](mailto:helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com) for procuring user ID and password for e-voting by providing above mentioned documents;
5. 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.

**INSTRUCTIONS TO MEMBERS FOR ATTENDING THE EGM THROUGH VC / OAVM, ARE AS UNDER:**

1. Member will be provided with a facility to attend the EGM through VC/OAVM through the CDSL e-Voting system. Members may access by following the steps mentioned above for Access to CDSL 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 EVSN of Company will be displayed.
2. 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.
3. Members are encouraged to join the Meeting through Laptops for better experience.
4. Further, Members will be required to allow Camera and use Internet with a good speed to avoid any disturbance during the meeting.

5. 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.
6. Facility of joining the EGM through VC / OAVM shall open 30 minutes before the time scheduled for the EGM and will be available for Members on first come first served basis.
7. Members who need assistance before or during the EGM, can contact CDSL on +91 22 2305 8738 or +91 22 2305 8542/43 or contact Mr. Rakesh Dalvi, Sr. Manager at [helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com](mailto:helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com).
8. Members who would like to express their views or ask questions during the EGM may register themselves as a speaker by sending their request from their registered email address mentioning their name, DP ID and Client ID/folio number, PAN, mobile number at [kk@pocl.com](mailto:kk@pocl.com) at least 7 working days prior to the EGM. Those Members who have registered themselves as a speaker will only be allowed to express their views/ask questions during the EGM. The Company reserves the right to restrict the number of speakers depending on the availability of time for the EGM.

**OTHER INFORMATION:**

1. The Scrutinizer shall, immediately after the conclusion of voting at the EGM, count the votes cast at the Meeting, thereafter unblock the votes cast through remote e-voting in the presence of at least two witnesses who are not in the employment of the Company and make, not later than 48 hours of conclusion of the Meeting, a consolidated Scrutinizer's Report of the total votes cast in favour or against, if any, to the Chairman or to a person authorized by the Chairman in writing who shall countersign the same;
2. The Chairman or the person authorized by him in writing shall forthwith on receipt of the consolidated Scrutinizer's Report, declare the Results of the voting. The Results declared, along with the Scrutinizer's Report, shall be placed on the Company's website and on the website of CDSL immediately after the results is declared and communicated to the Stock Exchanges where the equity shares of the Company are listed;
3. Subject to the receipt of requisite number of votes, the Resolutions forming part of the Notice of Extraordinary General Meeting shall be deemed to be passed on the date of the EGM i.e. Friday, 25<sup>th</sup> October 2024.

## **EXPLANATORY STATEMENT**

*(Pursuant to Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013)*

As required by Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013 (the “**Act**”), Secretarial Standard on General Meetings (SS-2) and the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (“**Listing Regulations**”), the following Explanatory Statement sets out all material facts relating to the businesses mentioned under Item No. 1 of the accompanying Notice:

### **ITEM NO. 1: TO APPROVE CAPITAL RAISING BY WAY OF ISSUANCE OF EQUITY SHARES AND/OR EQUITY LINKED SECURITIES BY WAY OF QUALIFIED INSTITUTIONS PLACEMENT**

The Company anticipates growth opportunities in its existing operations and continues to evaluate various avenues. Towards this, the Company continues to require capital for achieving such growth. Accordingly, our Company may use the proceeds of the Issue towards funding capital expenditure, working capital requirements, funding of costs related to the research and development and for general corporate purposes of the Company.

Accordingly, as approved by the Board at their meeting held on September 23, 2024 and in order to fulfil the aforesaid objects of the Company, it is hereby proposed to have an enabling approval for raising funds for an amount up to INR 250 Crores in one or more tranches, on such terms and conditions as it may deem fit, by way of issuance of Equity Shares, and/or securities convertible into Equity Shares at the option of the Company and/ or the holders of such securities, and/ or securities linked to Equity Shares, and/or any other instrument or securities representing Equity Shares and/ or convertible securities linked to Equity Shares (all of which are hereinafter collectively referred to as “**Securities**”) through one or more of the permissible modes including but not limited to private placement, qualified institutions placement (“**QIP**”). The securities may be issued in one or more tranches at such time or times at such price and to such classes of investors as the Board (including any duly authorized committee thereof) may in its absolute discretion decide, having due regard to the prevailing market conditions and any other relevant factors and wherever necessary, in consultation with book running lead manager(s) and other agencies that may be appointed, subject to the ICDR Regulations, Companies Act, 2013 and other applicable guidelines, notifications, rules and regulations.

**Object of the QIP:** Our Company proposes to utilize the net proceeds, after deducting fees, commissions and expenses related to the Issue towards funding capital expenditure, working capital requirements, funding of costs related to the research and development and for general corporate purposes of the Company. The fund to be used for general corporate purposes, if any, shall not exceed 25% of the funds to be raised through the qualified institutions placement. If the net proceeds are not completely utilised for the purposes stated hereinabove due to factors such as (i) economic and business conditions; (ii) increased competition; (iii) delay in procuring and operationalizing assets; (iv) receiving the necessary approvals; and (v) other commercial considerations, the same would be utilised (in part or full) as may be decided by our Board (including any duly authorized committee thereof), in accordance with applicable law.

In case, it is difficult to quantify the exact amount of fund to be used from the proceeds of the Issue, a broad range of amount may be provided by the Company in the offer document provided that the broad range shall be a realistic estimation and range gap shall not exceed +/- 10% of the amount specified for that object of the Issue.

The Board (including any duly authorized committee thereof) may in their discretion adopt any one or more of the mechanisms prescribed above to meet its objectives as stated in the aforesaid paragraphs without the need for fresh approval from the Members of the Company. The proposed issue of capital is subject to the applicable regulations issued by the Securities and Exchange Board of India, the Stock Exchanges, RBI, MCA, GOI, ROC, to the extent applicable, and any other government/ statutory/ regulatory approvals as may be required in this regard in India or abroad.

The relevant disclosures as required in terms of the Companies Act, 2013 and ICDR Regulations are as under:

- a) the allotment of Securities shall only be made to qualified institutional buyers as defined under Regulation 2(1)(ss) of ICDR Regulations (“QIBs”) and no allotment shall be made, either directly or indirectly, to any QIB who is a promoter, or any person related to the promoters of the Company;
- b) the allotment of the Securities shall be completed within 365 days from the date of passing of the special resolution or such other time as may be allowed under the Companies Act, 2013 and/or ICDR Regulations, from time to time;
- c) the “relevant date” for the purposes of pricing of the Securities to be issued and allotted in the proposed QIP shall be the date of the meeting in which the Board or a duly authorised committee decides to open the proposed QIP; or in case of issuance of convertible securities, the date of the meeting in which the Board or a duly authorized committee of the Board decides to open the issue of the convertible securities or the date on which the holders of such convertible securities become entitled to apply for the equity shares as provided under the ICDR Regulations;
- d) the equity shares of the same class, which are proposed to be allotted through qualified institutions placement or pursuant to conversion or exchange of eligible securities offered through qualified institutions placement, have been listed on a stock exchange for a period of at least one year prior to the date of issuance of notice to its shareholders for convening the meeting to pass the special resolution;
- e) An issuer shall be eligible to make a qualified institutions placement if any of its promoters or directors is not a fugitive economic offender;
- f) no single allottee shall be allotted more than 50% of the QIP size and the minimum number of allottees shall be in accordance with the ICDR Regulations. It is clarified that qualified institutional buyers belonging to the same group or who are under same control shall be deemed to be a single allottee;
- g) the Securities (excluding warrants) to be offered and allotted shall be in dematerialized form and shall be allotted on fully paid up basis;
- h) the Securities allotted shall not be eligible for sale by the allottee for a period of one year from the date of allotment, except on a recognized stock exchange, or except as may be permitted from time to time;
- i) The Company shall not undertake any subsequent QIP until the expiry of two weeks from the date of the QIP to be undertaken pursuant to the special resolution passed at this meeting.

The Special Resolution also seeks to give the Board powers to issue Securities in one or more tranche/s, at such time or times, at such price or prices and to such person(s) including institutions, incorporated bodies and/ or individuals or otherwise as the Board (including any duly authorized committee thereof) in its absolute discretion deem fit. The detailed terms and conditions for the issue(s)/offering(s) will be determined by the Board or its committee in its sole discretion in consultation with the advisors, lead managers, underwriters, monitoring agency and such other authority or authorities as may be necessary considering the prevailing market conditions and in accordance with the applicable provisions of law and other relevant factors.

Further, Section 62(1)(a) of the Act provides, inter alia, that when it is proposed to increase the issued capital of a company by allotment of further equity shares, such further equity shares shall be offered to the existing Members of such company in the manner laid down therein unless the Members by way of a special resolution decide otherwise. Since the Special Resolution proposed in the business of the Notice may result in the issue of Equity Shares of the Company to persons other than existing Members of the Company, approval of the Members is also being sought pursuant to the provisions of Section 62(1)(c) and other applicable provisions of the Act as well as applicable rules notified by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs and in terms of the provisions of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended.

In terms of Rule 14(2) of the Companies (Prospectus and Allotment of Securities) Rules, 2014, a company can make a private placement of its securities under the Act, only after receipt of prior approval of its Members by way of a Special Resolution. Consent of the Members would therefore be necessary pursuant to the provisions of Sections 42 and 62(1)(c) of the Act, read with applicable provisions of the ICDR Regulations and the Listing Regulations, for issuance of Securities. The Equity Shares allotted pursuant to the issue shall rank in all respects pari passu with the existing Equity Shares of the Company.

The Equity Shares to be allotted would be listed on the stock exchanges. The offer/issue/allotment would be subject to the availability of the regulatory approvals, if any. The conversion of Securities held by foreign investors into Equity Shares would be subject to the applicable foreign investment cap and relevant foreign exchange regulations. As and when the Board (including any duly authorized committee thereof) does take a decision on matters on which it has the discretion, necessary disclosures will be made to the stock exchanges as may be required under the provisions of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended.

None of the Directors / Key Managerial Personnel / Senior Management of the Company or their relatives are concerned or interested, financially or otherwise, in the proposed resolution except to the extent of their shareholding, if any, in the Company, or subscription by a financial institution / Company / body corporate in which the Key Managerial Personnel, Director / Senior Management or his / her relative may be, directly or indirectly, interested.

**By order of the Board  
For Pondy Oxides & Chemicals Limited**

**K Kumaravel  
Director Finance & Company Secretary  
Membership No.: A10921**

**Date:** 23-09-2024

**Place:** Chennai

**Registered Office:**

4<sup>th</sup> Floor, KRM Centre, No: 2, Harrington Road,  
Chetpet, Chennai – 600 031, Tamil Nadu, India.

**CIN:** L24294TN1995PLC030586