ZUARI INDUSTRIES LIMITED

(Formerly Zuari Global Limited) CIN: L65921GA1967PLC000157

Registered Office: Jai Kisaan Bhawan, Zuarinagar Goa - 403 726 Tel.: 0832-2592180/81 Corporate Office: 5th Floor, Tower - A, Global Business Park, Sector-26, MG Road, Gurugram, Haryana - 122 002 Website: www.zuariindustries.in, E-mail: ig.zgl@adventz.com Tel.: 0124-4827800

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the **55th** (Fifty-Fifth) Annual General Meeting ("AGM") of the Members of Zuari Industries Limited (formerly Zuari Global Limited) will be held on **Thursday, 28 September 2023 at 3.00 P.M. (IST)**, through Video Conference ("VC") / Other Audio-Visual Means ("OAVM") ("hereinafter referred to as "electronic mode") to transact the following businesses:

Ordinary Business:

- To receive, consider and adopt the Audited Financial Statements (including the consolidated financial statements) of the Company for the financial year ended 31 March 2023 and the reports of the Board of Directors ("the Board") and the Auditors thereon.
- 2. To declare the final dividend as detailed below:
 - dividend @ 10% i.e., Rs. 1/- per equity share of the face value of Rs.10/- each on 2,97,81,184 equity shares fully paid up.
 - dividend @7% i.e., Rs.0.70/- per 7% Non-Convertible Redeemable Preference Shares of the face value of Rs.10 each on 59,22,080 shares aggregating to Rs.32,70,935/-
 - (iii) dividend @10.5% i.e., Rs.1.05/- per 10.5% Non-Convertible Redeemable Preference Shares of the face value of Rs.10 each on 58,52,034 shares aggregating to Rs.48,48,370/-; and
- 3. To re-appoint Mrs. Jyotsna Poddar, (DIN: 00055736), who retires by rotation and being eligible, offers herself for re-appointment.

Special Business:

4. To ratify the remuneration of the Cost Auditors of the Company for the Financial Year 2023-24

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

"**RESOLVED THAT** pursuant to the provisions of Section 148 and all other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment thereof, for the time being in force), the remuneration of Rs.75,000/- (Rupees Seventy Five Thousand Only) plus applicable taxes and out of pocket expenses for the financial year ending 31 March 2024 as recommended by the Audit Committee and approved by the Board of Directors to be paid to Mr. Somnath Mukherjee, F.C.M.A., Cost Accountant (Membership No. 5343), for conducting the Cost Audit, be and is hereby confirmed, approved and ratified."

> By Order of the Board For **Zuari Industries Limited** (Formerly Zuari Global Limited)

> > Sd/-Laxman Aggarwal Company Secretary M. No. A19861

Place: Gurugram Date: 14 August 2023

Registered Office: Jai Kisaan Bhawan, Zuarinagar, Goa 403 726



NOTES:

- 1. The Explanatory Statement pursuant to Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act") setting out material facts concerning the business under Item No. 4 and 5 of the Notice, is annexed hereto.
- 2. In view of the continuing Covid-19 pandemic, the Ministry of Corporate Affairs ("MCA") has vide its Circular No.28 December 2022, 5 May 2022, 14 December 2021 read with circulars dated 13 January 2021, 5 May 2020, 8 April 2020 and 13 April 2020 (collectively referred to as "MCA Circulars") and SEBI vide its circulars dated 5 January 2023,13 May 2022 read with 15 January 2021 and 12 May 2020 (collectively referred to as "SEBI Circulars") permitted the holding of the Annual General Meeting ("AGM") through VC / OAVM, without the physical presence of the Members at a common venue. In compliance with these MCA Circulars and the relevant provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act") and the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, the AGM of the Members of the Company is being held through VC/OAVM. The venue of the meeting shall be deemed to be the Registered office of the Company at Jai Kisaan Bhawan, Zuarinagar, Goa - 403 726.
- 3. Pursuant to the provisions of the Act, 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 the Notice.
- 4. Since the meeting has been called through VC/OAVM, route map to the venue of the meeting is not required.
- 5. The Company has appointed Ms. Aditi Gupta, Company Secretary in Whole Time Practice, to act as the Scrutinizer for conducting the e-voting process in a fair and transparent manner.
- 6. Institutional/Corporate Shareholders (i.e., other than individuals/HUF, NRI, etc.) are required to send a scanned copy (PDF/JPEG Format) of its Board Resolution or governing body Resolution/Authorisation etc., authorising its representative to attend the AGM through VC/OAVM on its behalf and to vote through remote e-voting. The said Resolution/Authorization shall be sent to the Scrutinizer by email through their registered email address to <u>scrutinizermcalegal@gmail.com</u> with copies marked to the Company at <u>ig.zgl@adventz.com</u> and to its Registrar and Share Transfer Agent ("RTA") at <u>rta@adventz. zuarimoney.com</u>.
- 7. The Notice of the AGM along with the Annual Report for the financial year 2022-23 is being sent only by

electronic mode to those Members whose email addresses are registered with the Company/Depositories in accordance with the aforesaid MCA Circulars and SEBI Circulars. Members may note that the Notice of Annual General Meeting and Annual Report for the financial year 2022-23 will also be available on the Company's website www.zuariindustries.in; websites of the Stock Exchanges i.e. National Stock Exchange of India Limited ("NSE") and BSE Limited ("BSE") at www.nseindia.com and www.bseindia.com respectively. Members can attend and participate in the AGM through VC/OAVM facility only.

- 8. Members attending the meeting through VC/OAVM shall be counted for the purposes of reckoning the quorum under Section 103 of the Act.
- 9. The Company's RTA is:

Zuari Finserv Limited Plot No. 2, Zamrudpur Community Centre Kailash Colony Extension New Delhi - 110 048 Tel: 011 - 46474000 Email: <u>rta@adventz.zuarimoney.com</u> Website: <u>www.zuarimoney.com</u>

- 10. Pursuant to the provisions of Section 72 of the Act, members can avail facility for nomination in respect of shares held by them. Members holding shares in electronic form may contact their respective Depository Participant for availing this facility. Members holding shares in physical form may send their nomination in the prescribed form duly filled in to the RTA at the abovementioned address.
- 11. Pursuant to the provisions of Section 124 (5) and 125 of the Act, the dividend amount remaining unclaimed/ unpaid for a period of seven years from the due date of payment shall be transferred to the Investor Education and Protection Fund (IEPF) established by Central Government. Pursuant to the provisions of Section 124 (6) and section 125 of the Act, read with Rule 6 of the IEPF Authority (Accounting, Audit, Transfer and Refund) Rules, 2016, all shares in respect of which dividend has not been paid or claimed for seven consecutive years or more shall be transferred by the Company to the IEPF within 30 days of becoming due to be transferred.
- 12. The company has uploaded the details of unpaid and unclaimed amount lying with the Company as on the date of last AGM i.e., on the website of the Company www.zuariindustries.in as well as on the website of the MCA. Unclaimed dividend pertaining to the financial year 2015-16 is due for transfer to the IEPF and the same can be claimed from the Company.

Financial Year	Date of declaration of dividend	Last date for claiming unpaid dividend	Due date for transfer to IEPF
2015-2016	30-09-2016	27-10-2023	28-10-2023
2016-2017	28-09-2017	25-10-2024	26-10-2024
2017-2018	10-09-2018	07-10-2025	08-10-2025
2018-2019	06-09-2019	04-10-2026	05-10-2026
2019-2020	14-09-2020	12-10-2027	13-10-2027
2020-2021	13-02-2021	11-03-2028	12-03-2028
2020-2021	19-04-2021	17-05-2028	18-05-2028
2021-2022	14-11-2021	12-12-2028	13-12-2028
2021-2022	28-09-2022	25-10-2029	26-10-2029

The following are the due dates for transfer of unclaimed dividend to IEPF.

Members who have neither received nor encashed their dividend warrant(s) in respect of the earlier years, are requested to write to the Company/RTA, mentioned the relevant Folio number or DP ID and Client ID, for issuance of duplicate/revalidated dividend warrant(s). As and when the amount is due, it will be transferred by the Company to IEPF. No claim thereof shall lie against the Company after such transfer.

- 14. Pursuant to the amendments as per the Income Tax Act, 1961 ("the IT Act") by the Finance Act, 2020, dividend income is taxable in the hands of the shareholders from 1 April 2020 and the Company is required to deduct tax at source ("TDS") from dividend paid to the Members at prescribed rates in the IT Act. To enable the Company to comply with the TDS requirements, Members are requested to complete and / or update their Residential Status, Income Tax PAN, Category as per the IT Act with their Depository Participants or in case shares are held in physical form, with the Company's Registrar & Share Transfer Agent.
- 15. Members are advised to avail the facility for receipt of future dividends through National Electronic Clearing Services (NECS). The NECS facility is available at the specified locations. Shareholders holding shares in electronic form are requested to contact their respective Depository Participant for availing NECS facility. The Company or RTA cannot act on any request received directly from the members holding shares in electronic form for any change of bank particulars or bank mandates. Shareholders holding shares in physical form and desirous of either registering bank details or changing bank details already registered against their respective folios are requested to send a request letter for updating Bank Account Numbers with 9 digit MICR Number to the RTA or to the Company with attested copy of his/her PAN Card and a photocopy of his/her cheque leaf (to capture correct Bank Account Number, IFSC Code and 9 digit MICR Code).
- 16. To prevent fraudulent transactions, members are advised to exercise due diligence and notify the company of any change in address or demise of any member as soon as possible. Members are also advised not to leave their

demat account(s) dormant for long. Periodic statement of holdings should be obtained from the concerned Depository Participant and holdings should be verified.

- 17. SEBI has mandated the submission of Permanent Account Number (PAN) by every participant in securities market. Members holding shares in electronic form are, therefore, requested to submit the PAN to their Depository Participants with whom they are maintaining their demat accounts. Members holding shares in physical form can submit their PAN details to the Company or RTA.
- 18. Members are requested to notify any change of address in their postal/mail or email address:
 - i. To their Depository Participants (DPs) in respect of the shares held in demat form and
 - ii. To the Company at <u>ig.zgl@adventz.com</u> and to the RTA, Zuari Finserv Limited at <u>rta@adventz.</u> <u>zuarimoney.com</u> in respect of the shares held in physical form
 - iii. In case the mailing address registered with us is without the PINCODE, kindly inform the same to DP or the Company and the RTA, as mentioned above.
- 19. With effect from 1 April 2019, except in the case of transmission or transposition of securities, the requests for effecting transfer of securities shall not be processed unless the securities are held in dematerialized form with a Depository. Hence, the members holding shares in physical form are requested to dematerialize their physical shares into electronic form by sending demat request to their concerned DPs.
- 20. The Register of Directors and Key Managerial Personnel and their Shareholding maintained under Section 170 of the Act and the Register of Contracts or Arrangements in which the Directors are interested maintained under Section 189 of the Act and documents referred in the notice of meeting shall be available for inspection through electronic mode. Members may write to the Company at <u>ig.zgl@adventz.com</u> for inspection of said documents and the same will also be available for inspection by the members during the AGM.



21. To support the 'Green Initiative' in the Corporate Governance taken by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs, to contribute towards a Greener Environment and to receive all documents, Notices, including Annual Reports and other communications of the Company, investors should register their e-mail addresses with RTA if shares are held in physical mode or with the DPs, if shares are held in electronic mode.

22. Voting Process: EVENT No. 125431

A. Process and manner for members to vote through electronic means:

In compliance with provisions of Section 108 of the Act read with Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014, as amended from time to time and Regulation 44 of the SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015 and in compliance with SEBI circular dated 9 December 2020, the Company is pleased to provide the members the facility to exercise their right to vote at the 55th Annual General Meeting (AGM) by electronic means and the businesses may be transacted through the e-voting services provided by National Securities Depositories Limited (NSDL). Shareholders are advised to update their mobile number and email id in their demat accounts to access e-voting facility.

The detailed procedure is mentioned below:

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

The remote e-voting period begins on Monday, 25 September 2023 at 10:00 A.M. and ends on Wednesday, 27 September 2023 at 5:00 P.M. The remote e-voting module shall be disabled by NSDL for voting thereafter. The Members, whose names appear in the Register of Members / Beneficial Owners as on the record date (cutoff date) i.e., 21 September 2023, may cast their vote electronically. The voting right of shareholders shall be in proportion to their share in the paid-up equity share capital of the Company as on the cut-off date, being 21 September 2023.

How do I vote electronically using NSDL e-Voting system?

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

Step 1: Access to NSDL e-Voting system

A) Login method for e-Voting and joining virtual meeting for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode

In terms of SEBI circular dated 9 December 2020 on e-Voting facility provided by Listed Companies, Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode are allowed to vote through their demat account maintained with Depositories and Depository Participants. Shareholders are advised to update their mobile number and email Id in their demat accounts in order to access e-Voting facility.

Type of shareholders		Login Method	
Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with NSDL.	1.	Existing IDeAS user can visit the e-Services website of NSDL Viz. <u>https://</u> <u>eservices.nsdl.com</u> either on a Personal Computer or on a mobile. On the e-Services home page click on the " Beneficial Owner " icon under " Login " which is available under ' IDeAS ' section, this will prompt you to enter your existing User ID and Password. After successful authentication, you will be able to see e-Voting services under Value added services. Click on " Access to e-Voting " under e-Voting services and you will be able to see e-Voting page. Click on company name or e-Voting service provider i.e., NSDL and you will be re-directed to e-Voting website of NSDL for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting.	
	2.	If you are not registered for IDeAS e-Services, option to register is available	

Login method for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode is given below:

 If you are not registered for IDeAS e-Services, option to register is available at <u>https://eservices.nsdl.com</u>. Select "Register Online for IDeAS Portal" or click at <u>https://eservices.nsdl.com/SecureWeb/IdeasDirectReg.jsp</u>

Type of shareholders	Login Method		
	3. Visit the e-Voting website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the following URL: <u>https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/</u> either on a Personal Computer or on a mobile. Once the home page of e-Voting system is launched, click on the icon "Login" which is available under 'Shareholder/Member' section. A new screen will open. You will have to enter your User ID (i.e. your sixteen digit demat account number hold with NSDL), Password/OTP and a Verification Code as shown on the screen. After successful authentication, you will be redirected to NSDL Depository site wherein you can see e-Voting page. Click on company name or e-Voting service provider i.e. NSDL and you will be redirected to e-Voting website of NSDL for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting.		
	 Shareholders/Members can also download NSDL Mobile App "NSDL Speede" facility by scanning the QR code mentioned below for seamless voting experience. 		
	NSDL Mobile App is available on		
	🖆 App Store 🔰 Google Play		
Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with CDSL	 Users who have opted for CDSL Easi / Easiest facility, can login through their existing user id and password. Option will be made available to reach e-Voting page without any further authentication. The users to login Easi / Easiest are requested to visit CDSL website <u>www.cdslindia.com</u> and click on login icon & New System Myeasi Tab and then user your existing my easi username & password. 		
	2. After successful login the Easi / Easiest user will be able to see the e-Voting option for eligible companies where the evoting is in progress as per the information provided by company. On clicking the evoting option, the user will be able to see e-Voting page of the e-Voting service provider for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting. Additionally, there is also links provided to access the system of all e-Voting Service Providers, so that the user can visit the e-Voting service providers' website directly.		
	 If the user is not registered for Easi/Easiest, option to register is available at CDSL website <u>www.cdslindia.com</u> and click on login & New System Myeasi Tab and then click on registration option 		
	4. Alternatively, the user can directly access e-Voting page by providing Demat Account Number and PAN No. from a e-Voting link available on www.cdslindia.com home page. The system will authenticate the user by sending OTP on registered Mobile & Email as recorded in the Demat Account. After successful authentication, user will be able to see the e-Voting option where the evoting is in progress and also able to directly access the system of all e-Voting Service Providers.		
Individual Shareholders (holding securities in demat mode) login through their depository participants	You can also login using the login credentials of your demat account through your Depository Participant registered with NSDL/CDSL for e-Voting facility. upon logging in, you will be able to see e-Voting option. Click on e-Voting option, you will be redirected to NSDL/CDSL Depository site after successful authentication, wherein you can see e-Voting feature. Click on company name or e-Voting service provider i.e. NSDL and you will be redirected to e-Voting website of NSDL for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting.		

Important note: Members who are unable to retrieve User ID/ Password are advised to use Forget User ID and Forget Password option available at abovementioned website.



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

Login type	Helpdesk details
Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with NSDL	Members facing any technical issue in login can contact NSDL helpdesk by sending a request at <u>evoting@nsdl.co.in</u> or call at toll free no.: 022-48867000 and 022-24997000
Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with CDSL	Members facing any technical issue in login can contact CDSL helpdesk by sending a request at <u>helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com</u> or contact at toll free No. 1800225533.

B) Login Method for e-Voting and joining virtual meeting for shareholders other than Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode and shareholders holding securities in physical mode.

How to Log-in to NSDL e-Voting website?

- 1. Visit the e-Voting website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the following URL: <u>https://www.evoting.nsdl.</u> <u>com/</u> either on a Personal Computer or on a mobile.
- 2. Once the home page of e-Voting system is launched, click on the icon "Login" which is available under 'Shareholder/Member' section.
- 3. A new screen will open. You will have to enter your User ID, your Password/OTP and a Verification Code as shown on the screen.

Alternatively, if you are registered for NSDL eservices i.e. IDEAS, you can log-in at <u>https://eservices.nsdl.com/</u> with your existing IDEAS login. Once you log-in to NSDL eservices after using your log-in credentials, click on e-Voting and you can proceed to Step 2 i.e. Cast your vote electronically.

Manner of holding shares i.e. Demat (NSDL or CDSL) or Physical	Your User ID is:
 a) For Members who hold shares in demat account with NSDL. 	8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digit Client ID For example if your DP ID is IN300*** and Client ID is 12***** then your user ID is IN300***12*****.
b) For Members who hold shares in demat account with CDSL.	16 Digit Beneficiary ID For example if your Beneficiary ID is 12************************************
c) For Members holding shares in Physical Form.	EVEN Number followed by Folio Number registered with the company For example if folio number is 001*** and EVEN is 125431 then user ID is 125431001***

4. Your User ID details are given below :

5. Password details for shareholders other than Individual shareholders are given below:

- a) If you are already registered for e-Voting, then you can use your existing password to login and cast your vote.
- b) If you are using NSDL e-Voting system for the first time, you will need to retrieve the 'initial password' which was communicated to you. Once you retrieve your 'initial password', you need to enter the 'initial password' and the system will force you to change your password.

- c) How to retrieve your 'initial password'?
 - (i) If your email ID is registered in your demat account or with the company, your 'initial password' is communicated to you on your email ID. Trace the email sent to you from NSDL from your mailbox. Open the email and open the attachment i.e. a .pdf file. Open the .pdf file. The password to open the .pdf file is your 8 digit client ID for NSDL account, last 8 digits of client ID for CDSL account or folio number for shares held in physical form. The .pdf file

contains your 'User ID' and your 'initial password'.

- (ii) If your email ID is not registered, please follow steps mentioned below in process for those shareholders whose email ids are not registered.
- 6. If you are unable to retrieve or have not received the "Initial password" or have forgotten your password:
 - a) Click on "Forgot User Details/Password?" (If you are holding shares in your demat account with NSDL or CDSL) option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com.
 - b) Physical User Reset Password?" (If you are holding shares in physical mode) option available on <u>www.evoting.nsdl.com</u>.
 - c) If you are still unable to get the password by aforesaid two options, you can send a request at <u>evoting@nsdl.co.in</u> mentioning your demat account number/folio number, your PAN, your name and your registered address etc.
 - d) Members can also use the OTP (One Time Password) based login for casting the votes on the e-Voting system of NSDL.
- 7. After entering your password, tick on Agree to "Terms and Conditions" by selecting on the check box.
- 8. Now, you will have to click on "Login" button.
- 9. After you click on the "Login" button, Home page of e-Voting will open.

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

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

- 1. After successful login at Step 1, you will be able to see all the companies "EVEN" in which you are holding shares and whose voting cycle and General Meeting is in active status.
- Select "EVEN" of company for which you wish to cast your vote during the remote e-Voting period and casting your vote during the General Meeting. For joining virtual meeting, you need to click on "VC/OAVM" link placed under "Join Meeting".
- 3. Now you are ready for e-Voting as the Voting page opens.
- Cast your vote by selecting appropriate options i.e. assent or dissent, verify/modify the number of shares for which you wish to cast your vote and click on "Submit" and also "Confirm" when prompted.

- 5. Upon confirmation, the message "Vote cast successfully" will be displayed.
- 6. You can also take the printout of the votes cast by you by clicking on the print option on the confirmation page.
- 7. Once you confirm your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.

General Guidelines for shareholders

- Institutional shareholders (i.e. other than individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) are required to send scanned copy (PDF/JPG Format) of the relevant Board Resolution/ Authority letter etc. with attested specimen signature of the duly authorized signatory(ies) who are authorized to vote, to the Scrutinizer by e-mail to scrutinizermcalegal@gmail.com with a copy marked to evoting@nsdl.co.in. Institutional shareholders (i.e., other than individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) can also upload their Board Resolution / Power of Attorney / Authority Letter etc. by clicking on "Upload Board Resolution / Authority Letter" displayed under "e-Voting" tab in their login.
- 2. It is strongly recommended not to share your password with any other person and take utmost care to keep your password confidential. Login to the e-voting website will be disabled upon five unsuccessful attempts to key in the correct password. In such an event, you will need to go through the "Forgot User Details/Password?" or "Physical User Reset Password?" option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com to reset the password.
- 3. In case of any queries, you may refer the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) for Shareholders and e-voting user manual for Shareholders available at the download section of <u>www.evoting.nsdl.com</u> or call on toll free no.: 022-48867000 and 022-24997000 or send a request to Ms. Pallavi Mhatre, Senior Manager, NSDL at <u>evoting@nsdl.co.in</u>

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

- 1. In case shares are held in physical mode please provide Folio No., Name of shareholder, scanned copy of the share certificate (front and back), PAN (self attested scanned copy of PAN card), AADHAR (self attested scanned copy of Aadhar Card) by email to <u>ig.zgl@adventz.com</u>.
- 2. In case shares are held in demat mode, please provide DPID-CLID (16 digit DPID + CLID or 16 digit beneficiary ID), Name, client master or copy of Consolidated Account statement, PAN (self attested scanned copy of PAN card), AADHAR (self attested scanned copy of Aadhar Card) to ig.zgl@adventz.com. If you are an Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode, you are requested to refer to the login method explained at step 1 (A) i.e. Login method for e-Voting and joining virtual meeting for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode.



- 3. Alternatively shareholder/members may send a request to <u>evoting@nsdl.co.in</u> for procuring user id and password for e-voting by providing above mentioned documents.
- 4. In terms of SEBI circular dated December 9, 2020 on e-Voting facility provided by Listed Companies, Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode are allowed to vote through their demat account maintained with Depositories and Depository Participants. Shareholders are required to update their mobile number and email ID correctly in their demat account in order to access e-Voting facility.

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

- 1. The procedure for e-Voting on the day of the AGM is same as the instructions mentioned above for remote e-voting.
- 2. Only those Members/ shareholders, who will be present in the AGM through VC/OAVM facility and have not casted their vote on the Resolutions through remote e-Voting and are otherwise not barred from doing so, shall be eligible to vote through e-Voting system in the EGM/AGM.
- 3. Members who have voted through Remote e-Voting will be eligible to attend the AGM. However, they will not be eligible to vote at the AGM.
- 4. The details of the person who may be contacted for any grievances connected with the facility for e-Voting on the day of the AGM shall be the same person mentioned for Remote e-voting.

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

- 1. Member will be provided with a facility to attend the AGM through VC/OAVM through the NSDL e-Voting system. Members may access by following the steps mentioned above for Access to NSDL e-Voting system. After successful login, you can see link of "VC/OAVM link" placed under "Join meeting" menu against company name. You are requested to click on VC/OAVM link placed under Join General Meeting menu. The link for VC/OAVM will be available in Shareholder/Member login where the EVEN of Company will be displayed. Please note that the members who do not have the User ID and Password for e-Voting or have forgotten the User ID and Password may retrieve the same by following the remote e-Voting instructions mentioned in the notice to avoid last minute rush.
- 2. Members are encouraged to join the Meeting through Laptops for better experience.
- 3. Further Members will be required to allow Camera and use Internet with a good speed to avoid any disturbance during the meeting.
- 4. Please note that Participants Connecting from Mobile Devices or Tablets or through Laptop connecting via Mobile Hotspot may experience Audio/Video loss due to Fluctuation in their respective network. It is therefore

recommended to use Stable Wi-Fi or LAN Connection to mitigate any kind of aforesaid glitches.

5. Shareholders who would like to express their views/ have questions may send their questions in advance mentioning their name demat account number/folio number, email id, mobile number at <u>ig.zgl@adventz.com</u>. The same will be replied by the company suitably.

6. Instructions for Shareholders/Members to register themselves as Speakers during Annual General Meeting:

Shareholders/ Members who would like to express their views/ask questions during the meeting may register themselves as a speaker by sending their request mentioning their name, demat account number/folio number, email id, mobile number at ig.zgl@adventz.com from Friday, 22 September 2023 at 10.00 a.m. to Tuesday, 26 September 2023 at 11.00 a.m. i.e. atleast two days in advance before the date of AGM.

The first ten (10) Speakers on first come basis will only be allowed to express their views/ask questions during the meeting.

Shareholders/ Members, who would like to ask questions, may send their questions in advance mentioning their name demat account number/folio number, email id, mobile number at <u>ig.zgl@adventz.com</u>. The same will be replied by the company suitably.

Note:

Those shareholders/members who have registered themselves as a speaker will only be allowed to express their views/ask questions during the meeting. The Company reserves the right to restrict the number of speakers depending on the availability of time for the Annual General Meeting.

Shareholders/ Members should allow to use camera and are required to use Internet with a good speed (preferably 2 MBPS download stream) to avoid any disturbance during the meeting.

B. Commencement of Remote E-Voting:

The remote e-voting period commences on **Monday**, **25 September 2023 at 10.00 A.M.** and ends on **Wednesday**, **27 September 2023**, **at 5.00 P.M.** During this period, the Members of the Company holding shares in physical form or in dematerialized form, as on the cut-off date, **Thursday**, **21 September 2023**, may cast their vote by electronic means in the manner and process set out herein above. The remote e-voting module shall be disabled by NSDL for voting thereafter. Once the vote on a resolution is cast by the Member, the Members shall not be allowed to change it subsequently.

C. Book Closure:

The Register of Members and Share Transfer Books of the Company will remain closed from Friday, 22 September 2023 to Thursday, 28 September 2023 (both days inclusive) for the purpose of AGM.

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Explanatory Statement pursuant to Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013

Item No.4:

Ratification of Remuneration of Cost Auditors of the Company for the Financial Year 2023-24

The Board of Directors in its meeting held on 14 August 2023, based on the recommendation of the Audit Committee, has approved the appointment of Mr. Somnath Mukherjee, (Membership No. 5343), as Cost Auditors to conduct the audit of the cost records of the Company for the Financial Year 2023-24 at a remuneration of Rs.75,000 (Rupees Seventy Five Thousand only) plus applicable taxes thereon besides reimbursement of out-of-pocket expenses on actuals incurred in connection therewith, payable to the Cost Auditor for Financial Year 2023-24.

In accordance with the provisions of Section 148(3) of the Companies Act, 2013 read with the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014 and the Companies (Cost Records and Audit) Rules, 2014 (including any statutory modification(s) and/or re-enactment(s) thereof for the time being in force), the remuneration payable to Cost Auditors is required to be ratified by the members of the Company.

Accordingly, the consent of the members is sought for ratification of the remuneration payable to the Cost Auditors.

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

The Board accordingly places the Ordinary Resolution set out at Item No. 4 of the Notice for approval of the members.

By Order of the Board For **Zuari Industries Limited** (Formerly Zuari Global Limited)

> -/Sd Laxman Aggarwal Company Secretary M. No. A19861

Place: Gurugram Date: 14 August 2023

Registered Office: Jai Kisaan Bhawan, Zuarinagar, Goa 403 726



Annexure - A

Details of Director(s) seeking appointment at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting in pursuance of Regulation 36(3) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015:

Name of the Director	Mrs. Jyotsna Poddar	
DIN	00055736	
Date of Birth	26/07/1950	
Age (in years)	73	
Nationality	Indian	
Relationship between directors inter-se	Spouse of Mr. Saroj Kumar Poddar, Chairman of the Company	
Date of First Appointment	15/05/2009	
Qualification	B.A. (Hons.)	
Functional Expertise & Experience including brief resume	Mrs. Jyotsna Poddar is the Chairperson of Lionel India Limited.	
	Her wide experience, skills and diverse interests will benefit	
	the Company to diversify and grow in all business sectors.	
Skills and capabilities required for the proposed appointment	Strategic & Business Leadership skill	
Appointment/ Re-appointment	Re-appointment	
Terms and Conditions of appointment/ re-appointment	Based on performance evaluation and the recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee, the Board recommends her re-appointment and her office as director shall be subject to retirement by rotation.	
Directorship held in other listed companies (excluding foreign	1. Texmaco Infrastructure & Holdings Limited	
companies & Section 8 companies) as on 31 March 2023	2. Ronson Traders Limited	
Listed entities from which the person has resigned in the past three years	NIL	
Membership/Chairmanship of Committees of other public	NIL	
limited companies (includes only Audit Committee and		
Stakeholders Relationship Committee) as on 31 March 2023*		
Number of shares held in the Company:		
a) Self	71,621	
b) as beneficiary		
Remuneration last drawn	Sitting fee of Rs. 2.50 Lakh was paid by the Company for FY 2022-23.	
Remuneration proposed to be paid	Sitting fee will be paid	
Number of meetings of the Board attended during the year.	5	

* Committees considered for the purpose are those prescribed in Regulation 26 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, viz. Audit Committee and Stakeholders' Relationship Committee.