NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Ninety-Seventh Annual General Meeting of GlaxoSmithKline Pharmaceuticals Limited will be held on **Tuesday, 26 July 2022 at 01.30 p.m.** through Video Conferencing ("VC")/Other Audio-Visual Means ("OAVM") to transact the following business:

#### **ORDINARY BUSINESS**

- To receive, consider and adopt the Audited Financial Statements (including Consolidated Financial Statements) of the Company for the financial year ended 31 March 2022 together with the Reports of the Board of Directors and Auditors thereon.
- To declare Dividend on Equity Shares for the financial year ended 31 March 2022.
- To appoint a Director in place of Mr. Subesh Williams (DIN: 07786724), who retires by rotation and being eligible, offers himself for re-appointment.
- Re-Appointment of Deloitte Haskins and Sells LLP, Chartered Accountants as statutory Auditors of the Company

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

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Sections 139, 142 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014, including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof for the time being in force, Deloitte Haskins and Sells LLP, Chartered Accountants (Firm Registration No.117366W/W-100018) be and is hereby re-appointed as the Statutory Auditors of the Company for a term of five (5) years commencing from the conclusion of the 97th Annual General Meeting till the conclusion of the 102nd Annual General Meeting of the Company to be held in the Year 2027 on such remuneration as shall be decided by the Board of Directors of the Company;

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Board of Directors of the Company be and are hereby authorised to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things as may be considered necessary, desirable and expedient to give effect to this Resolution."

#### **SPECIAL BUSINESS**

#### Appointment of Mr. Manu Anand as an Independent Director

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

"RESOLVED THAT Mr. Manu Anand (DIN: 00396716), who was appointed as an Additional Director of the

Company by the Board of Directors with effect from 16 May 2022 and who holds office up to the date of this Annual General Meeting in terms of Section 161 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("Act") and who is eligible for appointment and has consented to act as a Director of the Company and in respect of whom the Company has received a notice in writing from a Member under Section 160 of the Act proposing his candidature for the office of the Director of the Company, be and is hereby appointed as the Director of the Company.

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT pursuant to the provisions of sections 149, 152, Schedule IV and other applicable provisions of the Act read with the Companies (Appointment and Qualification of Directors) Rules, 2014, the appointment of Mr. Manu Anand (DIN: 00396716), a Director of the Company, who has submitted a declaration as an Independent Director that he meets the criteria for independence as provided in section 149(6) of the Act and SEBI (Listing Obligation and Disclosure Requirement) Regulations, 2015 and who is eligible for appointment, as an Independent Director of the Company, not liable to retire by rotation, to hold office for a term of 5 (five) consecutive years from 16 May 2022 to 15 May 2027 be and is hereby approved."

#### 6. Ratification of Remuneration to Cost Auditor

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

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Section 148(3) and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof, for the time being in force), the remuneration payable to R. Nanabhoy & Company, Cost Accountants having Firm Registration No. 007464 appointed by the Board of Directors of the Company to conduct the audit of the cost records of the Company for the year ending 31 March 2022, fees amounting to ₹ 6.56 lakhs plus payment of taxes as applicable and re-imbursement of out of pocket expenses incurred by them in connection with the aforesaid audit be and is hereby ratified and confirmed."

#### **NOTES:**

In view of the continuing Covid-19 pandemic, the Ministry of Corporate Affairs ("MCA") has vide its circular dated 5 May 2020 read with circulars dated 8 April 2020 and 13 April 2020 & 13 January 2021, 5 May 2022 (collectively referred to as "MCA Circulars") permitted the holding Annual General Meeting ("AGM") through VC/OAVM, without the physical presence of the Members at a common venue. In compliance with the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 ("Act"), SEBI (Listing Obligations and

Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("SEBI Listing Regulations") and MCA Circulars, the AGM of the Company is being held through VC/OAVM.

- 2. The relative Explanatory Statement pursuant to Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("Act") setting out material facts concerning the business under Item Nos. 4 to 6 of the Notice, is annexed hereto. The relevant details, pursuant to Regulation 36(3) and (5) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("SEBI Listing Regulations") and Secretarial Standard on General Meetings issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India are given in the Corporate Governance Report.
- 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 with this Notice.
- 4. Corporate Members intending to send their authorized representatives to attend the Meeting through VC, pursuant to Section 113 of the Companies Act, 2013 are requested to send to the Company, a certified copy of the relevant Board Resolution together with the specimen signature(s) of their representative(s) who are authorized to attend and vote on their behalf at the Meeting.
- The Company has fixed Friday, 8 July 2022 as the Record Date for determining entitlement of members for final dividend for the financial year ended 31 March 2022, if approved at the AGM.
- Dividend, as recommended by the Board of Directors, is approved at the AGM, payment of such dividend subject to deduction of tax at source (TDS) will be made as under:
  - To all Beneficial Owners in respect of shares held in dematerialized form as per the data as may be made available by the National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL) and the Central Depository Services (India) Limited (CDSL) as of the close of business hours on Friday, 8 July 2022;
  - To all Members in respect of shares held in physical form as of the close of business hours on Friday, 8 July 2022.
- Members are requested to make all correspondence in connection with shares held by them by addressing letters

- directly to KFin Technologies Limited, Registrar & Share Transfer Agent of the Company quoting their Folio number.
- Members are requested to intimate changes, if any, pertaining to their name, postal address, email address, telephone / mobile numbers, Permanent Account Number (PAN), bank mandate, nomination, power of attorney, bank details such as, name of the bank and branch details, bank account number, MICR code, IFSC code, etc., to their DPs in case the shares are held by them in electronic form and for shares held in physical form pursuant to SEBI Circular No. SEBI/HO/MIRSD/MIRSD RTAMB/P/ CIR/2021/655 dated 3 November, 2021, the Company has sent individual letters to all the Members holding shares in physical form for furnishing their PAN, KYC details and Nomination forms, to the Company's Registrar and Transfer Agent, KFin Technologies Limited in case the shares are held by them in physical form by quoting their Folio Number.
- 9. If you have shares registered in the same name or in the same order of names but in multiple Folios, you are requested to send to the Company or KFin, the details of such folios together with the share certificates for consolidating their holdings in one folio. A consolidated share certificate will be issued to such Members after making requisite changes.
- 10. Members are advised to register the nomination in respect of their shareholding in the Company. Nomination Form (SH-13) is displayed on the Company's website and can be accessed at link www.gsk-india.com/investors.
- 11. In case of joint holders, attending the Meeting, only such joint holders who are higher in the order of the names will be entitled to vote.
- 12. Pursuant to the provisions of Section 124(5) of the Act the dividend which remains unclaimed/unpaid for a period of seven years from the date of transfer to the unpaid dividend account of the Company is required to be transferred to the Investor Education and Protection Fund (IEPF) of the Central Government. During the financial year, the dividend declared by the Company in respect of the financial year ended 31 March 2015, which is unclaimed, will be transferred to IEPF. Members who have not encashed their dividend warrants for subsequent period are requested to encash the same immediately.
- 13. Pursuant to the provisions of Section 124 (6) of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Investor Education and Protection Fund Authority (Accounting, Audit, Transfer and Refund) Rules, 2016, as amended, the Company has transferred all shares in respect of which dividend has not been encashed by the Members for seven consecutive years or more to the demat account of the IEPF Authority.

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The Members/claimants whose shares, unclaimed dividend, etc. have been transferred to the Fund may claim the shares by making an application to IEPF Authority in Form IEPF-5 (available on <a href="https://www.iepf.gov.in">www.iepf.gov.in</a>) along with requisite fee as decided by the Authority from time to time. The Member/claimant can file only one consolidated claim in a financial year as per the IEPF Rules and amendments thereto.

14. Action required to be taken by the members in case of non-receipt/non-encashment of dividends:

In case of non-receipt/non-encashment of dividend warrants, members are requested to correspond with the Company's Registered Office/the Registrar and Share Transfer Agent.

Financial Year	Dividend Declaration Date	Rate of Dividend per share (₹)	Due date for transfer to IEPF	
2014-2015	1/August/2015	63	5 September 2022	
2015-2016	29/July/2016	50	3 September 2023	
2016-2017	26/July/2017	30	30 August 2024	
2017-2018	25/July/2018	35	29 August 2025	
2018-2019	23/July/2019	20	27 August 2026	
2019-2020	27/July/2020	40	1 September 2027	
2020-2021	27/July/2021	30	31 August 2028	
	2014-2015 2015-2016 2016-2017 2017-2018 2018-2019 2019-2020	Date           2014-2015         1/August/2015           2015-2016         29/July/2016           2016-2017         26/July/2017           2017-2018         25/July/2018           2018-2019         23/July/2019           2019-2020         27/July/2020	Date         share (₹)           2014-2015         1/August/2015         63           2015-2016         29/July/2016         50           2016-2017         26/July/2017         30           2017-2018         25/July/2018         35           2018-2019         23/July/2019         20           2019-2020         27/July/2020         40	

The Ministry of Corporate Affairs has undertaken a "Green Initiative in Corporate Governance" and allowed companies to share documents with its Members through the electronic mode. In compliance with the aforesaid MCA Circulars and SEBI Circular dated 12 May, 2020, 15 January, 2021 and 13 May, 2022, Notice of the AGM along with the Annual Report 2021-22 is being sent only through electronic mode to those Members whose email addresses are registered with the Company/Depositories. Members may note that the Notice and Annual Report 2021-22 will also be available on the Company's website (https://india-pharma.gsk.com/en-in/investors/ shareholder-information), websites of the Stock Exchanges i.e. BSE Limited and National Stock Exchange of India Limited at www.bseindia.com and www.nseindia.com respectively. Members are requested to support this Green Initiative by registering/updating their e-mail addresses for receiving electronic communications.

Members who wish to register their email address/ bank account mandate may follow the below instructions-

Dematerialized Holding	Register/update the details in your demat account, as per process advised by your Depository Participant (DP)
Physical Holding	Register/update the details in prescribed form ISR-1 and other relevant forms with Registrar and Transfer Agents of the Company, KFin Technologies Limited at einward@kfintech.com  Member may download prescribed forms from the Company's website at https://india-pharma.gsk.com/en-in/investors/shareholder-information/download-forms/

- 15. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) has mandated the submission of Permanent Account Number (PAN) by every participant in the securities market. Members holding shares in electronic form are, accordingly, requested to submit their PAN to the Depository Participants with whom they maintain their Demat accounts. Members holding shares in physical form should submit their PAN to the Company.
- 16. Members who have not registered / updated their email addresses with KFin Technologies, if shares are held in physical mode or with their DPs, if shares are held in electronic mode, are requested to do so for receiving all future communications from Company including Annual Reports, Notices, Circulars etc. electronically.
- 17. The Company has sent individual letters to all the Members holding shares of the Company in physical form for furnishing their PAN, KYC details and Nomination pursuant to SEBI Circular No. SEBI/HO/MIRSD/MIRSD\_RTAMB/P/CIR/2021/655 dated 3 November, 2021. The aforesaid communication is also intimated to the stock exchanges and available on the website of the Company. Attention of the Members holding shares of the Company in physical form are invited to go through the said important communication under the weblink at https://india-pharma.gsk.com/en-in/investors/shareholder-information/download-forms/.

Members may please note that SEBI vide its Circular No. SEBI/HO/MIRSD/MIRSD\_RTAMB/P/CIR/2022/8 dated 25 January, 2022 has mandated the Listed Companies to issue securities in demat form only while processing service requests viz. Issue of duplicate securities certificate; claim from Unclaimed Suspense Account; Renewal/Exchange of securities certificate;

Endorsement; Sub-division/Splitting of securities certificate; Consolidation of securities certificates/folios; Transmission and Transposition. Accordingly, Members are requested to make service requests by submitting a duly filled and signed Form ISR-4, the format of which is available on the Company's website under the weblink at <a href="https://india-pharma.gsk.com/en-in/investors/shareholder-information/download-forms/">https://india-pharma.gsk.com/en-in/investors/shareholder-information/download-forms/</a>.

Members holding equity shares of the Company in physical form are requested to kindly get their equity shares converted into demat/electronic form to get inherent benefits of dematerialisation and also considering that physical transfer of equity shares/issuance of equity shares in physical form have been disallowed by SEBI.

SEBI has made it mandatory for all Companies to use the bank account details furnished by the Depositories and the bank account details maintained by the RTA for payment of dividend to Members electronically. The Company has extended the facility of electronic credit of dividend directly to the respective bank accounts of the Member(s) through Electronic Clearing Service (ECS)/National Electronic Clearing Service (NECS)/Automated Clearing House (ACH)/Real Time Gross Settlement (RTGS)/Direct Credit/IMPS/NEFT etc.

In order to receive the dividend without any delay, the Members holding shares in physical form are requested to submit particulars of their bank accounts in 'Form ISR-1' along with the original cancelled cheque bearing the name of the Member to KFin/Company to update their bank account details and all the eligible Members holding shares in demat mode are requested to update with their respective DPs before Friday, 8 July, 2022, their correct Bank Account Number, including 9 Digit MICR Code and 11 digit IFSC Code, e-mail ID and mobile no(s). Members holding shares in physical form may communicate these details to KFin having address at KFin Technologies Limited, Selenium Tower B, Plot 31-32, Gachibowli Financial District, Nanakramguda, Hyderabad - 500 032, before Friday, 8 July, 2022 by quoting the reference folio number and attaching photocopy of the cheque leaf of their active bank account and a self-attested copy of their PAN card.

- Members attending the AGM through VC/OAVM shall be counted for the purpose of reckoning the quorum under Section 103 of the Act.
- 19. Queries on accounts and operations of the Company, if any, may please be sent to the Company on <u>in.investorquery@gsk.com</u> seven days in advance of the Meeting so that the reply can be made available at the Meeting.
- The documents pertaining to the items of business to be transacted at the AGM are available for inspection in

- electronic mode. The Members may write an e-mail to <a href="in.investorquery@gsk.com">in.investorquery@gsk.com</a> by mentioning "Request for Inspection" in the subject. Since the AGM will be held through VC/OAVM, the Route Map is not annexed in this Notice of the email.
- 21. Pursuant to Finance Act 2020, dividend income will be taxable in the hands of Members w.e.f. 1 April, 2020 and the Company is required to deduct tax at source from dividend paid to Members at the prescribed rates. For the prescribed rates for various categories, the Members are requested to refer to the Finance Act, 2020 and amendments thereof. The Members are requested to update their PAN with the Company/KFin (in case of shares held in physical mode) and depositories (in case of shares held in demat mode). A Resident individual Member with PAN and who is not liable to pay income tax can submit a yearly declaration in Form No. 15G/15H, to avail the benefit of non-deduction of tax at source by email to einwardris@kfintech.com by Friday, 8 July, 2022. Members are requested to note that in case their PAN is not registered, the tax will be deducted at a higher rate of 20%. Non-resident Members can avail beneficial rates under tax treaty between India and their country of residence, subject to providing necessary documents i.e. No Permanent Establishment and Beneficial Ownership Declaration, Tax Residency Certificate, Form 10F, any other document which may be required to avail the tax treaty benefits by sending an email to einwardris@kfintech.com. The aforesaid declarations and documents need to be submitted by the Members by Friday, 8 July, 2022.

#### 22. VOTING THROUGH ELECTRONIC MEANS

In compliance with provisions of Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 as amended and Regulation 44 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("Listing Regulations"), and the Secretarial Standards on General Meetings (SS2) issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India, the Company is pleased to provide members facility to exercise their right to vote at the 97th Annual General Meeting (AGM) by electronic means (remote e-voting) and the business may be transacted through e-voting Services provided by NSDL.

The facility for voting, through electronic voting system shall also be made available at the AGM and members attending the meeting through VC/OAVM who have not already cast their vote by remote e-voting shall be able to exercise their right to vote at the meeting.

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- i. The Members who have already cast their vote by remote e-voting prior to the AGM would be entitled to attend the AGM through VC/OAVM but shall not be entitled to vote at the meeting.
- ii. The Remote E-voting period commences from 9.00 a.m. on Friday, 22 July 2022 and ends at 5.00 p.m. on Monday, 25 July 2022. During this period, the members of the Company, holding shares either in physical form or in demat form, as on the cut-off date of Tuesday, 19 July 2022 may cast their vote electronically. The e-voting module shall be disabled by NSDL for voting thereafter. Once the vote on a resolution is cast by the member, he/she shall not be allowed to change it subsequently or cast vote again.
- iii. The voting rights of Members shall be in proportion to their shares of the paid-up equity share capital of the Company as on the cut-off date i.e. Tuesday, 19 July 2022. A person, whose name is recorded in the register of members or in the register of beneficial owners maintained by the depositories as on the cut-off date only shall be entitled to avail the facility of remote e-voting as well as voting at the meeting. The members who have not cast vote through remote e-voting shall be entitled to vote at the meeting.

Any person, who acquires shares of the Company and becomes member of the Company after dispatch of the notice and holding shares as on the cut-off date, may obtain the login ID and password by sending a request at www.evoting.nsdl.com.

- iv. Mr. P. N. Parikh (Membership No. FCS 327) and failing him Ms. Jigyasa N. Ved (Membership No. FCS 6488) and failing her Mr. Mitesh Dhabliwala (Membership No. FCS 8331) of Parikh & Associates, Practicing Company Secretaries has been appointed as the Scrutinizer to scrutinize the remote e-voting and the voting at the AGM in a fair and transparent manner.
- v. The Scrutinizer shall, immediately after the conclusion of voting at the AGM, unblock and count the votes

- cast during the AGM and votes cast through remote e-voting and make not later than 48 hours of the conclusion of the meeting a consolidated Scrutinizer's report of the total votes cast in favour or against, if any, to the Chairman or a person authorized by him in writing who shall countersign the same.
- vi. The results will be declared at the Registered Office of the Company situated at GSK House, Dr. Annie Besant Road, Worli, Mumbai 400030 and the Resolutions will be taken as passed effectively on the date of Annual General Meeting. The said results along with the Scrutinizer's Report shall be placed on the Company's website <a href="www.gsk-india.com">www.gsk-india.com</a> and on the website of NSDL <a href="www.gsk-india.

#### Instructions for Remote e-voting:

Members are requested to follow the instructions given below before they cast their vote through e-voting: Voting through electronic means.

The procedure and instructions for E-voting are as follows:

#### Step 1: Access to NSDL e-voting system

Login method for e-voting and joining virtual meeting for Individual Members holding securities in demat mode

In terms of SEBI circular dated 9 December, 2020 on e-voting facility provided by Listed Companies, Individual Members holding securities in demat mode are allowed to vote through their demat account maintained with Depositories and Depository Participants. Members 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 Members holding securities in demat mode is given below:

Type of Members	Login Method	
Individual Members holding securities in demat mode with NSDL.	1. Existing IDeAS user can visit the e-Services website of NSDL viz.  https://eservices.nsdl.com 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 at <a href="https://eservices.nsdl.com">https://eservices.nsdl.com</a> . 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>	
	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 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.	
	<ol> <li>Shareholders/Members can also download NSDL Mobile App "NSDL Speede" facility by scanning the QR code mentioned below for seamless voting experience.</li> </ol>	
	NSDL Mobile App is available on	
	App Store Google Play	

Individual Members holding securities in demat mode with CDSL	Existing users who have opted for Easi/Easiest, 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="https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasi/home/login">www.cdslindia.com</a> and click on New System Myeasi.	
	2. After successful login of Easi/Easiest, the user will be also able to see the e-voting Menu. The Menu will have links of <b>e-voting service provider i.e. NSDL.</b> Click on <b>NSDL</b> to cast your vote.	
	3. If the user is not registered for Easi/Easiest, option to register is available at <a href="https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasi/Registration/EasiRegistration">https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasi/Registration/EasiRegistration</a> .	
	4. Alternatively, the user can directly access e-voting page by providing demat Account Number and PAN No. from a link in <a href="www.cdslindia.com">www.cdslindia.com</a> home page. The system will authenticate the user by sending OTP on registered Mobile & Email as recorded in the demat Account. After successful authentication, user will be provided links for the respective ESP i.e. <b>NSDL</b> where the e-voting is in progress.	
Individual Members (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 Members holding securities in demat mode for any technical issues related to login through Depository i.e. NSDL and CDSL.

Login type	Helpdesk details	
Individual Members holding securities in demat mode with NSDL	Members facing any technical issue in login can contact NSDL helpdesk by sending a request at <a href="mailto:evoting@nsdl.co.in">evoting@nsdl.co.in</a> or call at toll free no.: 1800 1020 990 and 1800 22 44 30	
Individual Members holding securities in demat mode with CDSL	Members facing any technical issue in login can contact CDSL helpdesk by sending a request at <a href="mailto:helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com">helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com</a> or contact at 022-23058738 or 022-23058542-43	

## B) Login Method for e-voting and joining virtual meeting for Members other than Individual Members holding securities in demat mode and Members 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: <a href="https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/">https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/</a> 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 <a href="https://eservices.nsdl.com/">https://eservices.nsdl.com/</a> 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.

4. Your User ID details are given below:

Manner of holding shares i.e. Demat (NSDL or CDSL) or Physical		Your User ID is:
a)	For Members who hold shares in demat account with NSDL.	8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digit Client ID For example if your DP ID is IN300*** and Client ID is 12***** then your user ID is IN300***12******.
b)	For Members who hold shares in demat account with CDSL.	16 Digit Beneficiary ID  For example if your Beneficiary ID is 12************************************
c)	For Members holding shares in Physical Form.	EVEN Number followed by Folio Number registered with the Company  For example if folio number is 001*** and EVEN is 101456 then user ID is 101456001***

- Password details for Members other than Individual Members are given below:
  - 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 Members whose email IDs are not registered.**
- 6. If you are unable to retrieve or have not received the "Initial password" or have forgotten your password:
  - a) Click on "Forgot User Details/Password?" (If you are holding shares in your demat account with NSDL or CDSL) option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com.
  - b) Physical User Reset Password?" (If you are holding shares in physical mode) option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com.
  - c) If you are still unable to get the password by aforesaid two options, you can send a request at <u>evoting@nsdl.</u> <u>co.in</u> mentioning your demat account number/folio number, your PAN, your name and your registered address etc.
  - Members can also use the OTP (One Time Password) based on 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.
- 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?

- 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 General Meeting".
- 3. Now you are ready for e-voting as the Voting page opens.
- 4. Cast your vote by selecting appropriate options i.e. assent or dissent, verify/modify the number of shares for which you wish to cast your vote and click on "Submit" and also "Confirm" when prompted.

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- 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 Members**

- 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 <u>cs@parikhassociates.com</u> with a copy marked to <u>evoting@nsdl.co.in</u>.
- 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 <a href="https://www.evoting.nsdl.com">www.evoting.nsdl.com</a> to reset the password.
- 3. In case of any queries, you may refer the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) for Members and e-voting user manual for Shareholders available at the download section of <a href="www.evoting.nsdl.com">www.evoting.nsdl.com</a> or call on toll free no.: 1800 1020 990 and 1800 22 44 30 or send a request at <a href="evoting@nsdl.com">evoting@nsdl.com</a> co.in

# Process for those Members whose email IDs are not registered with the depositories for procuring user ID and password and registration of email IDs for e-voting for the resolutions set out in this notice:

- 1. In case shares are held in physical mode please provide Folio No., Name of Members, 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 in.investorquery@gsk.com
- 2. In case shares are held in demat mode, please provide DPID-CLID (16 digit DPID + CLID or 16 digit beneficiary ID), Name, client master or copy of consolidated account statement, PAN (self attested scanned copy of PAN card), AADHAR (self attested scanned copy of Aadhar Card) to in.investorquery@gsk.com. If you are an Individual Members 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 Members holding securities in demat mode.

- Alternatively shareholder/members may send a request to <u>evoting@nsdl.co.in</u> for procuring user ID and password for <u>e-voting</u> by providing above mentioned documents.
- 4. In terms of SEBI circular dated 9 December, 2020 on e-voting facility provided by Listed Companies, Individual Members holding securities in demat mode are allowed to vote through their demat account maintained with Depositories and Depository Participants. Members 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.
- Only those Members/shareholders, who will be present in the AGM through VC/OAVM facility and have not cast their vote on the Resolutions through remote e-voting and are otherwise not barred from doing so, shall be eligible to vote through e-voting system in the AGM.
- 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.
- 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:

- I. 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 General meeting" menu against Company name. You are requested to click on VC/OAVM link placed under Join General Meeting menu. The link for VC/OAVM will be available in Shareholder/Member login where the EVEN 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.
- Facility of joining the AGM through VC/OAVM shall open 30 minutes before the time scheduled for the AGM and will be available for Members on first come first served basis.
- 3. Members who need assistance before or during the AGM, can contact NSDL on evoting@nsdl.co.in /1800-222-990

- or contact Mr. Amit Vishal, Senior Manager NSDL at <a href="mailto:amitv@nsdl.co.in">amitv@nsdl.co.in</a> / 022-24994360/+91 9920264780.
- 4. Members who would like to express their views or ask questions during the AGM 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 in.investorquery@gsk.com from Monday, 18 July 2022 (9:00 a.m. IST) to Thursday, 21 July, 2022 (5:00 p.m. IST). Those Members who have registered themselves as a speaker will only be allowed to express their views/ask questionsduring the AGM. The Company reserves the right to restrict the number of speakers depending on the availability of time for the AGM.

By Order of the Board of Directors

A. Nadkarni

Company Secretary FCS 10460

Mumbai, 16 May 2022

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

Item No. 4

The Members at the 92<sup>nd</sup> Annual General Meeting ("AGM") of the Company held on 25 July, 2017, had approved the appointment of Deloitte Haskins and Sells LLP, Chartered Accountants having Registration No 117366W/W-100018, as Statutory Auditors of the Company, to hold office till the conclusion of the 97<sup>th</sup> AGM.

The Board of Directors of the Company has, based on the recommendation of the Audit Committee, at its meeting held on 16 May, 2022, proposed the re-appointment of Deloitte Haskins and Sells LLP, Chartered Accountants having Registration No 117366W/W-100018 as Statutory Auditors of the Company for a term of five years commencing from end of the 97th Annual General Meeting till conclusion of the 102nd Annual General Meeting to be held in the year 2027, along with remuneration plus applicable taxes, out of pocket expenses, etc incurred in connection with the Audit as may be decided by the Board of Directors in consultation with the Auditors.

Deloitte Haskins and Sells LLP, Chartered Accountants is a multi-disciplinary Audit Firm catering to various clients in diverse sectors. Deloitte Haskins and Sells LLP, Chartered Accountants is a network registered with the ICAI.

Considering the evaluation of the past performance, experience and expertise of Deloitte and based on the recommendation of the audit committee, it is proposed to appoint Deloitte as statutory auditors of the Company for a second term of five consecutive years till the conclusion of the 102<sup>nd</sup> AGM of the Company in terms of the aforesaid provisions.

#### **Brief profile of Deloitte**

Deloitte Haskins & Sells was constituted in 1997 and was converted to a Limited Liability Partnership, Deloitte Haskins & Sells LLP ("DHS LLP" or "Firm"), in November 2013. DHS LLP is registered with the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (Registration No. 117366W/W-100018). The Firm has around 4000 professionals and staff. DHS LLP has offices in Mumbai, Delhi, Kolkata, Chennai, Bangalore, Ahmedabad, Hyderabad, Coimbatore, Kochi, Pune, Jamshedpur and Goa. The registered office of the Firm is One International Center, Tower 3, 32nd Floor, Senapati Bapat Marg, Elphinstone Road (West), Mumbai - 400013, Maharashtra, India. The Firm has been engaged in statutory audits of some of the large companies in the pharma sector.

None of the Directors, Key Managerial Personnel of the Company and their relatives, are in any way concerned or interested in the said Resolution.

The Board of Directors recommend the Ordinary Resolution set out at Item No. 4 of the Notice for approval by the Members.

#### Item No. 5:

The Board of Directors, on the recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee, appointed Mr. Manu Anand (DIN: 00396716) as an Additional Director with effect from 16 May 2022. In terms of Section 149 and other applicable provisions of the Act, Mr. Manu Anand, being eligible, was also appointed as an Independent Director of the Company for a term of 5 (five) consecutive years from 16 May 2022 to 15 May 2027 not being liable to retire by rotation, subject to the approval of Members. Mr. Manu Anand has consented to act as a Director of the Company and has given a declaration to the Board that he meets the criteria of independence as provided under Section 149(6) of the Act and Regulation 16(1)(b) of the SEBI Listing Regulations. In the opinion of the Board, Mr. Manu Anand fulfills the conditions specified in the Act and the Rules thereunder for appointment as Independent Director and he is independent of the management. He has also given a declaration that he is not disqualified or debarred by SEBI or any other statutory authority from being appointed or continuing as Director.

The Company has received a Notice in writing from a Member of the Company under Section 160 of the Act proposing the candidature of Mr. Manu Anand for the office of Director of the Company. Further, Mr. Manu Anand has confirmed that he is not aware of any circumstance or situation which exists or may reasonably be anticipated that could impair or impact

his ability to discharge his duties as an Independent Director of the Company. Mr. Manu Anand has also confirmed that he is registered with the data bank of Independent Directors maintained by the IICA.

The details required under Regulation 36(3) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("SEBI Listing Regulations") and Secretarial Standard on General Meetings issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India are provided in Corporate Governance Report. In compliance with the provisions of Section 149 of the Act and the Rules framed there under read with Schedule IV to the Act, and regulations 17 of SEBI Listing Regulations and other applicable Regulations, the appointment of Mr. Manu Anand as an Independent Director is now being placed before the Members at the General Meeting, for their approval. A copy of the draft letter of Appointment with him as an Independent Director setting out the terms and conditions would be available for inspection without any fee by the members in electronic mode.

The Members may write an email to <a href="mailto:in.investorquery@gsk.com">in.investorquery@gsk.com</a> by mentioning "Request for Inspection" in the subject of the email. The Board considers that his association with the Company would be of immense benefit to the Company and it is hence desirable to avail services of Mr. Manu Anand as an Independent Director.

None of the Directors, Key Managerial Personnel of the Company or their relatives other than Mr. Manu Anand are, in any way, concerned or interested, in the Special Resolution set out in Item No. 5 of the Notice.

Accordingly, the Board recommends the Special Resolution as set out in Item No. 5 of the Notice for the approval of the members of the Company.

#### Item No. 6:

The Board of Directors of the Company on the recommendation of the Audit Committee approved the appointment and remuneration of R Nanabhoy & Company, Cost Accountants, to conduct the audit of the cost records of the Company for the financial year ended 31 March 2022. In terms of the provisions of Section 148(3) of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 14(a) (ii) of the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014, the remuneration payable to the Cost Auditor is to be ratified by the Members of the Company. Accordingly, the Members are requested to ratify the remuneration payable to the Cost Auditors as set out in the Resolution for the aforesaid services to be rendered by them.

None of the Directors, Key Managerial Personnel of the Company and their relatives, are in any way concerned or interested in the said Resolution.

The Board of Directors recommend the Ordinary Resolution set out at Item No. 6 of the Notice for approval by the Members.

By Order of the Board of Directors

A. Nadkarni Company Secretary FCS 10460

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