

# MEP INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPERS LIMITED CIN: L45200MH2002PLC136779

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#### NOTICE OF POSTAL BALLOT PURSUANT TO SECTION 110 OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013

Dear Shareholder(s),

**NOTICE** is hereby given in compliance with Sections 108, sub-section (1) of Section 110 of the Act and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 (the "Act") read with Rule 20 and Rule 22 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 (the "Rules"), Regulation 44 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("SEBI Listing Regulations"), (including any statutory modification/amendments thereof for the time being in force), read with the provisions of Secretarial Standard on General Meetings ("SS-2") it is proposed to seek the consent of the shareholders of MEP Infrastructure Developers Limited ("the Company") for the Special Resolution(s) as set out in this Postal Ballot Notice ("Notice") through Electronic Voting ("remote e-voting").

In view of the continuing Covid-19 pandemic, the Ministry of Corporate Affairs ("MCA") has vide its General Circular no. 14/2020 dated April 8, 2020, General Circular no. 17/2020 dated April 13, 2020, General Circular no. 3/2022 dated May 5, 2022 and General Circular no 10/2022 dated December 28, 2022 and Securities Exchange Board of India ("SEBI") also issued circular SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD2/CIR/P/2022/62 dated 13th May, 2022 read with circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD2/CIR/P/2021/11 dated 15th January, 2021 (collectively referred to as "Circulars") and Secretarial Standard on General Meetings ('SS-2') issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India. In terms of the said MCA Circulars, the Postal Ballot Notice is being sent only through electronic mode to those members whose e-mail addresses are registered with the Company or the Depository Participant(s) and the communication of assent / dissent on the resolutions will take place through the remote e-voting system only. This Postal Ballot is accordingly being initiated in compliance with the MCA Circulars. Accordingly, in terms of the MCA Circulars, physical copy of Postal Ballot Notice along with Postal Ballot Forms and pre-paid business reply envelope will not be sent to the members and members are required to communicate their assent or dissent through the remote e-voting system only.

The Explanatory Statement pursuant to Section 102 and 110 of the Act pertaining to the said Resolution setting out material facts and the reasons for the Resolution are also annexed hereto.

You are requested to peruse the proposed resolutions along with Explanatory Statement annexed and thereafter record your assent or dissent by means of remote e-voting facility provided by the Company.

In compliance with SEBI Listing Regulations and provisions of the Act read with applicable Rules and abovementioned MCA Circulars, the Company is offering remote e-voting facility to all its Members to exercise their right to vote, the details whereof are specified under instructions in this notice. The Company has engaged National Securities Depository Limited ("NSDL") to provide e-voting facilities to the Members. The e-voting facility will be available at the link https://www.evoting.nsdl.com starting from 9:00 a.m. on Sunday, 12th March, 2023 until 5:00 p.m. on Monday, 10th April, 2023.

The Board of Directors of MEP Infrastructure Developers Limited (the "Company") has appointed CS Shridhar Phadke, SVP & ASSOCIATES, Practising Company Secretary (Membership No. FCS 7867, CP No. 18622) as a scrutinizer for conducting the postal ballot/e-voting process in a fair and transparent manner.

The Scrutinizer will submit his report to the Chairman and Managing Director of the Board of Directors of the Company or in his absence, to any other person authorized by him, after the completion of the scrutiny of the postal ballots (including e-voting). The results of the voting conducted through Postal Ballot (including e-voting) will be announced on or before **Wednesday**, **12**th **April**, **2023** communicated to the stock exchanges where the equity shares of the Company are listed. The Resolution(s), if approved, will be taken as effectively passed as on the last date specified by the Company for receipt of assents(s) or dissents(s) by e-voting i.e., **Monday**, **10**th **April**, **2023** and shall be deemed to have been duly passed at a General meeting convened in that behalf.



#### **SPECIAL BUSINESS:**

1. APPROVAL FOR GIVING LOAN OR GUARANTEE OR PROVIDING SECURITY IN CONNECTION WITH LOAN AVAILED BY ANY OF THE COMPANY'S SUBSIDIARY(IES) OR ANY OTHER PERSON SPECIFIED UNDER SECTION 185 OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013

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 185 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 (the "Act") and the Companies (Meeting of Board and its Powers) Rules, 2014 (including any statutory modification(s), clarification(s), substitution(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof for the time being in force), consent of the Members of the Company, be and is hereby accorded to the Board of Directors of the Company (hereinafter referred to as the "Board", which term shall be deemed to include, unless the context otherwise required, any Committee of the Board or any Director(s) or Officer(s) authorised by the Board to exercise the powers conferred on the Board under this resolution) for giving loan(s) in one or more tranches including loan represented by way of book debt (the "Loan") to, and/or giving of guarantee(s), and/or providing of security(ies) in connection with any Loan taken/to be taken by any entity which is a Subsidiary or Associate or Joint Venture or group entity of the Company or any other person in which any of the Director of the Company is deemed to be interested (collectively referred to as the "Entities"), up to a sum not exceeding Rs.500 Crores [Rupees Five Hundred Crores Only] at any point in time, in its absolute discretion deem beneficial and in the best interest of the Company."

2. <u>APPROVAL FOR SALE OF INVESTMENT OF EQUITY SHARES IN MEP INFRASTRUCTURE PRIVATE LIMITED, A WHOLLY OWNED SUBSIDIARY BY WAY OF SPECIAL RESOLUTION UNDER SECTION 180(1)(a) OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013 TO ANOTHER WHOLLY OWNED SUBSIDIARY OF THE COMPANY.</u>

To consider, and if thought fit, to pass, with or without modifications, the following resolution as an as a **Special Resolution**:

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to provisions of Section 180(1)(a) of the Companies Act, 2013 ("Act") and Rules made thereunder, including any statutory modifications and amendments from time to time, and subject to the Memorandum and Articles of association of the Company, the requisite approvals required, if any, of any relevant statutory, regulatory or government authorities, and further subject to such terms and conditions as may be prescribed by any of the aforesaid authorities while granting such approvals, the consent of the shareholders of the Company be and is hereby accorded to sell or transfer or otherwise dispose-off in one or more tranches, the entire investment i.e. 37,42,80,000 equity shares of Rs.10/- each (Face Value) constituting 100 % of the share capital held by the Company in MEP Infrastructure Private Limited, a material and wholly owned subsidiary ("MIPL") to another Wholly Owned Subsidiary viz. Mhaiskar Toll Road Private Limited ("MTRPL") at a consideration of Rs. 390.00 Crores (Rupees Three Hundred Ninety Crores only) by way of combination of Equity/Debt/Redeemable Preference Shares or on such terms and conditions as may be mutually decided upon by the Company and Mhaiskar Toll Road Private Limited."

"RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors of the Company (hereinafter referred to as the 'Board', which term shall be deemed to include any Committee of the Board constituted to exercise its powers, including the powers conferred by this Resolution), be and is hereby authorised to do all such other acts, deeds, matters and things as they may deem necessary and/or expedient to give effect to the above Resolution including without limitation, to negotiate, finalize, sign, seal, execute and deliver the agreements and any other documents as required, to settle any questions, difficulties or doubts that may arise in regard to sale/transfer of the equity shares and execute documents, letters, clarifications, and to do all other acts, deeds and things as may be required to be done for performing and completing the transactions contemplated herein as they may in their absolute discretion deem fit."

3. APPROVAL OF DISPOSAL OF 100% SHAREHOLDING IN MEP INFRASTRUCTURE PRIVATE LIMITED, A MATERIAL AND WHOLLY OWNED SUBSIDIARY OF THE COMPANY BY WAY OF SPECIAL RESOLUTION UNDER REGULATION 24(5) OF THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE BOARD OF INDIA (LISTING OBLIGATIONS AND DISCLOSURE REQUIREMENTS) REGULATIONS, 2015 TO ANOTHER WHOLLY OWNED SUBSIDIARY OF THE COMPANY:

To consider, and if thought fit, to pass, with or without modifications, the following resolution as an as a **Special Resolution**:

"RESOLVED THAT in accordance with the Regulation 24(5) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("the SEBI Listing Regulations") including any statutory modifications and amendments from time to time, circulars/guidelines and all applicable notifications, clarifications, circulars, rules issued by the Government of India or other Government or statutory authorities,



and subject to the Memorandum and Articles of association of the Company, the requisite approvals required, if any, of any relevant statutory, regulatory or government authorities, and further subject to such terms and conditions as may be prescribed by any of the aforesaid authorities while granting such approvals, consent of the members be and is hereby granted to the Board of Directors of the Company (hereinafter referred to as 'Board', which term shall be deemed to include, unless the context otherwise requires any Committee of the Board or any Director/s or officer/s authorised by the Board to exercise the powers conferred on the Board under this resolution) for disposal of 100% stake in MEP Infrastructure Private Limited ("MIPL") a material and wholly owned subsidiary of the Company to another Wholly Owned Subsidiary Company viz. Mhaiskar Toll Road Private Limited ("MTRPL"), at a consideration of Rs. 390.00 Crores (Rupees Three Hundred Ninety Crores only) by way of combination of Equity/ Debt/Redeemable Preference Shares or on such terms and conditions as may be mutually decided upon by the Company and Mhaiskar Toll Road Private Limited."

"RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors of the Company (hereinafter referred to as the 'Board', which term shall be deemed to include any Committee of the Board constituted to exercise its powers, including the powers conferred by this Resolution), be and is hereby authorized to do all such acts, deeds and things as may be necessary and incidental for giving effect to this Resolution including filing of all forms, documents with Registrar of Companies and for all the matters connected therewith or incidental thereto, including delegation of any of the powers herein conferred to on any Director(s), Company Secretary or any other officer of the Company."

TO APPROVE DISINVESTMENT UPTO 51% OF THE EQUITY SHARES HELD IN MEP INFRASTRUCTURE PRIVATE LIMITED (MIPL), A STEPDOWN SUBSIDIARY (MATERIAL SUBSIDIARY) OF THE COMPANY:

To consider, and if thought fit, to pass, with or without modifications, the following resolution as an as a Special Resolution:

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of the Section 180(1)(a) and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 read with the Rules made thereunder and pursuant to the provisions of Regulation 24 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 read with the Rules made thereunder, as may be amended from time to time and other applicable notifications, clarifications, circulars, rules and regulations issued by the Government of India, statutory authorities and subject to such other requisite approvals, consents, permissions and sanctions as may be required and the Memorandum of Association and Articles of Association of the Company, consent of the members of the Company be and is hereby accorded to the Board of Directors (hereinafter referred to as the "Board", which term shall deem to mean and include any Committee of Directors constituted by the Board), for sale, transfer or disposal of upto 51% (Fifty One percent) of the equity shares of Rs.10/- each held by the Company in MEP Infrastructure Private Limited (MIPL) through its Wholly Owned Subsidiary (WOS) viz. Mhaiskar Toll Road Private Limited (MTRPL), a material subsidiary of the Company, to Ashmi Road Carriers Pvt Ltd (ARCPL)/Associates, Subsidiaries, its Affiliates, Group Companies, or any entity promoted/invested by ARCPL/Promoters of ARCPL ("hereinafter called as ARCPL") for a total consideration of Rs. 100 Crores (One Hundred Crores) by way of combination of cash/Equity/Redeemable Preference Shares/ ICD/NCD (Subordinated to lenders), in one or more tranches and also subject to all other terms and conditions, as may be agreed upon by the Board."

"RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors of the Company (hereinafter referred to as the 'Board', which term shall be deemed to include any Committee of the Board constituted to exercise its powers, including the powers conferred by this Resolution), be and is hereby authorized to do all such acts, deeds and things as may be necessary and incidental for giving effect to this Resolution including filing of all forms, documents with Registrar of Companies and for all the matters connected therewith or incidental thereto, including delegation of any of the powers herein conferred to on any Director(s), Company Secretary or any other officer of the Company."

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Place: Mumbai

By and on behalf of the Board of Directors of MEP INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPERS LIMITED

VIKRAM MUKADAM **COMPANY SECRETARY** 

Date: 11th March, 2023



#### **Notes:**

In compliance with Sections 108, sub-section (1) of Section 110 of the Act and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 (the "Act") read with Rule 20 and Rule 22 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 (the "Rules"), Regulation 44 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("SEBI Listing Regulations"), (including any statutory modification/ amendments thereof for the time being in force), read with the provisions of Secretarial Standard on General Meetings ("SS-2") it is proposed to seek the consent of the shareholders of MEP Infrastructure Developers Limited ("the Company") for the Special Resolution(s) as set out in this Postal Ballot Notice ("Notice") through Electronic Voting ("remote e-voting").

In view of the current extraordinary circumstances due to COVID-19 pandemic requiring social distancing, Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Government of India (the "MCA") has issued Circular No. 14/2020 dated April 08, 2020, Circular No.17/2020 dated April 13, 2020, Circular No. 22/2020 dated June 15, 2020, General Circular No 33/2020 dated September 28, 2020, Circular No.39/2020 dated December 31, 2020, Circular No. 10/2021 dated June 23, 2021, Circular No. 20/2021 dated December 08, 2021 and General Circular no. 3/2022 dated May 5, 2022 and General Circular no 11/2022 dated December 28, 2022 (Collectively referred to as "MCA Circulars). In terms of the said MCA Circulars, the Postal Ballot Notice is being sent only through electronic mode to those members whose e-mail addresses are registered with the Company or the Depository Participant(s) and the communication of assent / dissent on the resolutions will take place through the remote e-voting system only. This Postal Ballot is accordingly being initiated in compliance with the MCA Circulars. Accordingly, in terms of the MCA Circulars, physical copy of Postal Ballot Notice along with Postal Ballot Forms and pre-paid business reply envelope will not be sent to the members and members are required to communicate their assent or dissent through the remote e-voting system only.

The Explanatory Statement pursuant to Section 102 and 110 of the Act pertaining to the said Resolutions setting out material facts and the reasons for the Resolutions are also annexed hereto.

You are requested to peruse the proposed resolutions along with Explanatory Statement annexed and thereafter record your assent or dissent by means of remote e-voting facility provided by the Company.

In compliance with SEBI Listing Regulations and provisions of the Act read with applicable Rules and abovementioned MCA Circulars, the Company is offering remote e-voting facility to all its Members to exercise their right to vote, the details whereof are specified under instructions in this notice. The Company has engaged National Securities Depository Limited ("NSDL") to provide e-voting facilities to the Members. The e-voting facility will be available at the link https://www.evoting.nsdl.com starting 9:00 a.m. on Sunday, 12th March, 2023 until 5:00 p.m. on Monday, 10th April, 2023.

The Board of Directors of MEP Infrastructure Developers Limited (the "**Company**") has appointed CS Shridhar Phadke, SVP & ASSOCIATES, Practising Company Secretary (Membership No. FCS 7867, CP No. 18622) as a scrutinizer for conducting the postal ballot/e-voting process in a fair and transparent manner.

The Scrutinizer will submit his report to the Chairman and Managing Director of the Board of Directors of the Company or in his absence, to any other person authorized by him, after the completion of the scrutiny of the postal ballots (including e-voting). The results of the voting conducted through Postal Ballot (including e-voting) will be announced on or before **Wednesday**, **12**<sup>th</sup> **April**, **2023** communicated to the stock exchanges where the equity shares of the Company are listed. The Resolution(s), if approved, will be taken as effectively passed as on the last date specified by the Company for receipt of assents(s) or dissents(s) by e-voting i.e., **Monday**, **10**<sup>th</sup> **April**, **2023** and shall be deemed to have been duly passed at a general meeting convened in that behalf.

- 1. In view of the outbreak of the COVID-19 pandemic, social distancing is a norm to be followed and the Ministry of Corporate Affairs ("MCA") has vide its General Circular nos. 14/2020 dated April 8, 2020; 17/2020 dated April 13, 2020; 22/2020 dated June 15, 2020; 33/2020 dated September 28, 2020; 39/2020 dated December 31, 2020; 3/2022 dated May 5, 2022 and 10/2022 dated December 28, 2022 and any amendment/ modification thereof issued by MCA (hereinafter referred as "MCA Circulars") permitted the holding of the EGM through VC/ OAVM, without the physical presence of the members at a common venue. In case of Postal Ballot, the Company has availed the said facility from NSDL for facilitating e-voting including remote e-voting, to enable the Members to cast their votes electronically instead of physical mode.
- 2. The Explanatory Statement pursuant to the provisions of Sections 102, 108 and 110 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("Act") read with Rule 22 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 ("Rules") stating material facts and reasons for the proposed resolutions are annexed hereto.
- 3. It also contains all the disclosures as specified in the SEBI (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements), Regulations, 2018, Regulation 44 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations,



2015 ("SEBI Listing Regulations") and the Secretarial Standard – 2 issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India on General Meetings, as amended and other applicable regulations and guidelines framed.

- 4. As required by Rule 20 and Rule 22 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 read with the MCA Circulars and the SEBI Listing Regulations, the details pertaining to this Postal Ballot will be published in one English national daily newspaper circulating throughout India (in English language) and one regional daily newspaper circulating in Maharashtra (in vernacular language, i.e. Marathi).
- 5. Members holding shares in dematerialized form are requested to intimate all changes pertaining to their bank details such as bank account number, name of the bank and branch details, MICR code and IFSC code, mandates, nominations, power of attorney, change of address, change of name, e-mail address, contact numbers, etc., directly to directly to the Company's Registrar & Transfer Agents. The changes intimated to the DPs will then be automatically reflected in the Company's records which will help the Company and the Company's Registrar and Transfer Agent, Link Intime (India) Private Limited.
- 6. Members who have not registered their e-mail address are requested to register the same, in respect of shares held in electronic form with the Depository through their Depository Participant(s) and in respect of shares held in physical form by writing to the Company's Registrar and Share Transfer Agent, Link Intime India Private Limited C 101, 247 Park, L B S Marg, Vikhroli West, Mumbai 400 083 Tel.: 91 22 49186270 Fax: 91 22 49186060 E-mail: rnt.helpdesk@linkintime.co.in.

To support the 'Green Initiative', Members who have not yet registered their email addresses are requested to register the same with their DPs in case the shares are held by them in electronic form and with the Company in case the shares are held by them in physical form.

Members whose names appear on the Register of Members/List of Beneficial Owners as on **Friday**, **3rd March**, **2023** i.e. the cut-off date, will be considered for the purpose of voting. Voting rights of the members shall be in proportion to the shares held by them in the paid-up equity share capital of the Company as on the cut-off date.

- 7. The voting rights of the members shall be in the proportion to their share held by them in the paid-up equity share capital of the Company as on cut- off date i.e. **Friday, 3rd March, 2023.**
- 8. The resolutions, if approved, by the requisite majority shall be deemed to have been passed on the last date for e-voting i.e. **Monday**, **10**<sup>th</sup> **April**, **2023**.
- 9. A Member cannot exercise his/ her vote through proxy on postal ballot. However, Corporate and Institutional Members shall be entitled to vote through their authorized representatives. Corporate and Institutional Members are requested to provide a proof of authorization (board resolution/authority letter/power of attorney etc.) in favour of their authorized representatives at Website of the Company on the link <a href="mailto:investorrelations@mepinfra.com">investorrelations@mepinfra.com</a>.
- 10. The Board of Directors of the Company has appointed") has appointed CS Shridhar Phadke, SVP & ASSOCIATES, Practising Company Secretary (Membership No. FCS 7867 CP No. 18622) as a scrutinizer for conducting the postal ballot/e-voting process in a fair and transparent manner and the Scrutinizer's decision on the validity of the Postal Ballot shall be final.
- 11. The e-voting period commences on **9:00** a.m. on Sunday, 12<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 until 5:00 p.m. on Monday, 10<sup>th</sup> April, 2023 During this period, Members of the Company, holding equity shares either in physical form or in dematerialized form, as on the Cut-Off date may cast their vote by e-voting. The e-voting module shall be disabled by NSDL after the aforesaid date and time for voting. Once the vote on a resolution is cast by the Member, the Member shall not be allowed to change it subsequently.
- 12. The Postal Ballot Notice shall be uploaded on the Company's website viz., www.mepinfra.com and on the website of NSDL at www.evoting.nsdl.com.
- 13. All documents referred to in the accompanying Notice and Explanatory Statement are open for inspection at the Registered Office of the Company during 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on all working days up to **Monday, 10<sup>th</sup> April, 2023** i.e. the last day of e-voting.
- 14. The proposed resolutions, if passed with requisite majority, shall be deemed to have been passed on the last date specified by the Company for e-voting i.e. **Monday**, **10**<sup>th</sup> **April**, **2023**. Further, all the resolutions passed through this postal ballot shall be deemed to have been passed by the members at a General Meeting.



The instructions for remote e-voting are as under:

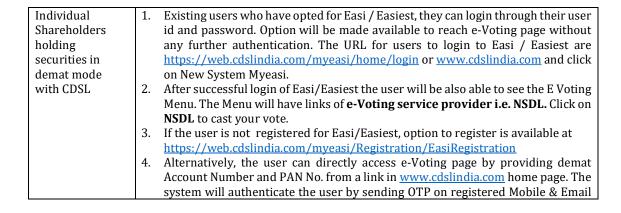
#### Step 1: Access to NSDL e-Voting system

## (A) Login method for e-Voting 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 are allowed to vote through their demat account maintained with Depositories and Depository Participants. Shareholders are advised to update their mobile number and email Id in their demat accounts in order to access e-Voting facility.

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

Type of Login Method  Comparison of Login Method			
Type of shareholders	rogiii metilod		
Individual	1. Existing <b>IDeAS</b> user can visit the e-Services website of NSDL Viz.		
Shareholders holding securities in	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		
demat mode	existing User ID and Password. After successful authentication, you will be able		
with NSDL.	to see e-Voting services under Value added services. Click on "Access to e-		
	<b>Voting"</b> under e-Voting services and you will be able to see e-Voting page. Click on company name or <b>e-Voting service provider i.e. NSDL</b> and you will be re-		
	directed to e-Voting website of NSDL for casting your vote during the remote e-		
	Voting period.  2. If you are not registered for IDeAS e-Services, option to register is available at		
	https://eservices.nsdl.com/. Select "Register Online for IDeAS Portal" or click at https://eservices.nsdl.com/SecureWeb/IdeasDirectReg.isp		
	3. 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 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.		
	<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		





	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	You can also login using the login credentials of your demat account through your
Shareholders	Depository Participant registered with NSDL/CDSL for e-Voting facility upon logging
(holding	in, you will be able to see e-Voting option. Click on e-Voting option, you will be
securities in	redirected to NSDL/CDSL Depository site after successful authentication, wherein
demat mode)	you can see e-Voting feature. Click on company name or e-Voting service provider i.e.
login through	NSDL and you will be redirected to e-Voting website of NSDL for casting your vote
their depository	during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the
participants	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 <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 Shareholders 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 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: <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	16 Digit Beneficiary ID
in demat account with CDSL.	For example if your Beneficiary ID is 12******* then your
	user ID is 12*********
c) For Members holding shares in	EVEN Number followed by Folio Number registered with the
Physical Form.	company
	For example if folio number is 001*** and EVEN is 101456 then
	user ID is 101456001***

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



- (b) If you are using NSDL e-Voting system for the first time, you will need to retrieve the 'initial password' which was communicated to you. Once you retrieve your 'initial password', you need to enter the 'initial password' and the system will force you to change your password.
- (c) How to retrieve your 'initial password'?
  - (i) If your email ID is registered in your demat account or with the company, your 'initial password' is communicated to you on your email ID. Trace the email sent to you from NSDL from your mailbox. Open the email and open the attachment i.e. a .pdf file. Open the .pdf file. The password to open the .pdf file is your 8 digit client ID for NSDL account, last 8 digits of client ID for CDSL account or folio number for shares held in physical form. The .pdf file contains your 'User ID' and your 'initial password'.
  - (ii) If your email ID is not registered, please follow steps mentioned below in **process for those** shareholders whose email ids are not registered.
- 6. If you are unable to retrieve or have not received the "Initial password" or have forgotten your password:
  - a) Click on "Forgot User Details/Password?" (If you are holding shares in your demat account with NSDL or CDSL) option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com.
  - b) **Physical User Reset Password?**" (If you are holding shares in physical mode) option available on <a href="https://www.evoting.nsdl.com">www.evoting.nsdl.com</a>.
  - c) If you are still unable to get the password by aforesaid two options, you can send a request at <a href="mailto:evoting@nsdl.co.in">evoting@nsdl.co.in</a> 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 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 on NSDL e-Voting system.

## How to cast your vote electronically 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.
- 2. Select "EVEN" of company for which you wish to cast your vote during the remote e-Voting period.
- 3. Now you are ready for e-Voting as the Voting page opens.
- 4. Cast your vote by selecting appropriate options i.e. assent or dissent, verify/modify the number of shares for which you wish to cast your vote and click on "Submit" and also "Confirm" when prompted.
- 5. Upon confirmation, the message "Vote cast successfully" will be displayed.
- 6. You can also take the printout of the votes cast by you by clicking on the print option on the confirmation page.
- 7. Once you confirm your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.

#### **General Guidelines for shareholders**

- 1. 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 svpfcs@gmail.com with a copy marked to <a href="mailto:evoting@nsdl.co.in">evoting@nsdl.co.in</a>.
- 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 <a href="www.evoting.nsdl.com">www.evoting.nsdl.com</a> or call on toll free no.: 1800 1020 990 /1800 224 430 or send a request at <a href="evoting@nsdl.co.in">evoting@nsdl.co.in</a>. In case of any grievances connected with facility for e-voting, please contact Ms. Pallavi Mhatre, Manager, NSDL, 4th Floor, 'A' Wing, Trade World, Kamala Mills Compound, Senapati Bapat Marg, Lower Parel, Mumbai 400 013. Email: <a href="evoting@nsdl.co.in">evoting@nsdl.co.in</a>, toll free nos. 1800 1020 990 /1800 224 430).

Process for those shareholders 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 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 investorrelations@mepinfra.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 investorrelations@mepinfra.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. <u>Login method for e-Voting for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode</u>.

- 3. Alternatively shareholder/members may send a request to <a href="evoting@nsdl.co.in">evoting@nsdl.co.in</a> 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.

For any other queries relating to the shares of the Company, you may contact the Registrar and Share Transfer Agent at the following address:

Link Intime India Private Limited C 101, 247 Park, L B S Marg, Vikhroli West, Mumbai 400 083

Tel.: 91 22 49186270 Fax: 91 22 49186060

E-mail: rnt.helpdesk@linkintime.co.in

Registered Office and Communication details of the Company: 2102, Floor-21st, Plot-62, Kesar Equinox, Sir Bhalchandra Road,

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Tel: 91 22 2414 2776 Fax: 91 22 2414 4454 E-mail: investorrelations@mepinfra.com

Website: www.mepinfra.com



## EXPLANATORY STATEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 102 (2) OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013

#### Item No. 1

The Company may have to render support for the business requirements of its Subsidiary Companies or Associate or Joint Venture or group entity or any other person in whom any of the Director of the Company is deemed to be interested (collectively referred to as the "Entities"), from time to time. However, owing to certain restrictive provisions contained in Section 185 of the Companies Act, 2013 ('the Act'), the Company was unable to extend financial assistance by way of loan/Guarantee(s) to such Entities.

As our Company is in the infrastructure business, it needs to form SPVs/JV Companies required by the respective Concession Agreements, for executing various projects won by it through competitive bidding process. The execution of these projects requires raising capital in the form of Debts from Banks/Financial Institutions.

The Board of Directors seek consent of the Members by way of a Special Resolution pursuant to Section 185 of the Act (as amended by the Companies (Amendment) Act, 2017) for making loan(s) or providing financial assistance or providing guarantee or securities in connection with the loans taken or to be taken by the Entities for the capital expenditure of the projects of these entities and/or working capital requirements including purchase of fixed assets as may be required from time to time for the expansion of its business activities and other matters connected and incidental thereon for their principal business activities.

The Members may note that Board of Directors would carefully evaluate proposals and provide such loan, guarantee or security through deployment of funds out of internal resources/accruals and/or any other appropriate sources, from time to time, only for principal business activities of such Entities.

The Board of Directors recommend the resolution given in this Notice for your approval as a Special Resolution.

#### Item No. 2, 3 and 4:

The Board of Directors are exploring the possibilities of divestment of the investments in one of its wholly owned subsidiary (also the material subsidiary). The divestment will also be in the best interest of the subsidiary since the subsidiary on its own is facing financial stress due to impact of Covid-19.

In view of the foregoing, the Board of Directors at its meeting held on **Saturday, 11<sup>th</sup> March, 2023**, has subject to the approval of members of the Company by a Special resolution and other applicable laws and subject to such approvals, consents, permissions and sanctions as may be necessary, approved to sell or transfer or otherwise dispose-off in one or more tranches, the entire investment i.e. 37,42,80,200 equity shares constituting 100 % of the share capital held by the Company in MEP Infrastructure Private Limited, a material and wholly owned subsidiary ("MIPL") to another Wholly Owned Subsidiary viz. Mhaiskar Toll Road Private Limited ("MTRPL") at a consideration of Rs 390.00 crores (Rupees Three Hundred Ninety Crores only) by way of combination of Equity/ Debt/Redeemable Preference Shares on such terms and conditions as may be mutually decided upon by the Company and Mhaiskar Toll Road Private Limited.

With this effect, MEP Infrastructure Private Limited will become the Step Down Subsidiary of your Company and it's Intermediate Holding Company shall be Mhaiskar Toll Road Private Limited.

The Board of Directors of your Company, post completion of these transfer/disposal of Shares, along with the Board of Mhaiskar Toll Road Private Limited also approved the disposal/dilution up to 51% stake held by Mhaiskar Toll Road Private Limited in the Material Subsidiary i.e. MEP Infrastructure Private Limited, wherein there will be infusion of Rs. 100 Crores by way of combination of cash/Equity/Redeemable Preference Shares/ ICD/NCD (Subordinated to lenders) by Ashmi Road Carriers Pvt Ltd (ARCPL)/Associates, Subsidiaries, its Affiliates, Group Companies, or any entity promoted/invested by ARCPL/Promoters of ARCPL ("hereinafter called as ARCPL") for a total consideration towards the purchase of stake up to 51% of MEP Infrastructure Private Limited ("MIPL") in one or more tranches.

The said infusion shall be utilized to de-leverage the loan obtained by MIPL, which in turn shall help to bring the debtequity ratio of the MIPL and to reduce the interest cost of MIPL and to maximize the Shareholder's wealth, which is in the best interest of the stakeholders of the Company as well as of the subsidiaries.

As the Section 180 (1)(a) of the Companies Act, 2013 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013, it mandates that the Board of Directors of a company shall exercise the power to sell, lease or otherwise dispose of the whole or substantially the whole of any undertaking(s) of the company, only with the approval of the members of the Company by way of a special resolution. Explanation (i) to Section 180(1) (a) of the Companies Act, 2013 states that the meaning of an 'undertaking' for the purposes of Section 180(1) of the Companies Act, 2013 is an undertaking in which the investment of the company exceeds twenty percent of its net worth as per the audited balance sheet of the



preceding financial year or an undertaking which generates twenty percent of the total income of the company during the previous financial year. Explanation (ii) to Section 180 (1)(a) of the Companies Act, 2013 states that the meaning of 'substantially the whole of the undertaking' for the purposes of Section 180(1) is in any financial year, twenty percent or more of the value of the undertaking as per the audited balance sheet of the preceding financial year. Accordingly, pursuant to Section 180(1)(a) of the Companies Act, 2013, members of the Company are further requested to note that their consent to the Board is being sought by way of a Special Resolution to sell and transfer, to the invest as specified above.

Further, in terms of Regulation 24 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("the **SEBI Listing Regulations**"), inter alia, provides that no company shall dispose of shares in its material subsidiary which would reduce its shareholding (either on its own or together with other subsidiaries) to less than 50% or cease the exercise of control over the subsidiary without passing a special resolution in its General Meeting, except in cases where such divestment is made under a scheme of arrangement duly approved by a Court/National Company Law Tribunal.

Pursuant to SEBI Listing Regulations, MEP Infrastructure Private Limited, the wholly owned subsidiary of the Company is also covered under the purview of definition of material subsidiary of the Company. Accordingly, the sale of the shares as envisaged above would require approval of the shareholders of the Company through a special resolution.

The Board is of the opinion that the proposed divestment is in the overall best interest of the Company and its stakeholders and recommends the passing of the resolution as set out in the accompanying notice as a special resolution. The proposed special resolution provides adequate flexibility and discretion to the Board to structure and finalize the terms of the sale in consultation with advisors, experts or other authorities as may be required.

Therefore, the Board commends the Special Resolutions set out at Item No. 2, 3 and 4 of the Notice for the approval of the Members.

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Date: 11th March, 2023

By and on behalf of the Board of Directors of MEP INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPERS LIMITED

VIKRAM MUKADAM COMPANY SECRETARY