NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twenty Sixth Annual General Meeting of the Members of ZICOM ELECTRONIC SECURITY SYSTEMS LIMITED will be held through Video Conferencing (VC) / Other Audio Visual Means (OAVM) on Friday, June 4, 2021, at 3:30 p.m., to transact the following business:

ORDINARY BUSINESS:

- 1. To receive, consider and adopt:
 - a. the Audited Financial Statements of the Company for the financial year ended March 31, 2020, together with the Reports of the Board of Directors and Auditors thereon; and
 - b. the Audited Consolidated Financial Statements of the Company for the financial year ended March 31, 2020 together with the Report of Auditors thereon.

and in this regard, pass the following resolutions as **Ordinary Resolutions**:

- a. "**RESOLVED THAT** the Audited Financial Statements of the Company for the financial year ended March 31, 2020 and the Reports of the Board of Directors and Auditors thereon laid before this meeting, be and are hereby considered and adopted."
- b. "RESOLVED THAT the Audited Consolidated Financial Statements of the Company for the financial year ended March 31, 2020 and the Report of Auditors thereon laid before this meeting, be and are hereby considered and adopted."
- 2. To appoint Mr. Manohar Bidaye (DIN: 0010699), who retires by rotation, as a Director and being eligible, offers herself for re-appointment and in this regard, pass the following resolution as an **Ordinary Resolution**:
 - "RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Section 152 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013, Mr. Manohar Bidaye (DIN: 0010699), who retires by rotation at this meeting be and is hereby appointed as a Director of the Company, liable to retire by rotation."

SPECIAL BUSINESS:

3. Appointment of Mrs. Shanthi Chauhan as an Independent Director

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

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Sections 149, 152 read with Schedule IV and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Companies (Appointment and Qualification of Directors) Rules, 2014, and the applicable provisions of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof for the time being in force, Mrs. Shanthi Chauhan (DIN: 08608338), who was appointed as an Additional Director pursuant to the provisions of Section 161 of the Companies Act, 2013 and in respect of whom the Company has received a notice in writing under Section 160 of the Companies Act, 2013, from a member proposing his candidature for the office of Director, be and is hereby appointed as an Independent Director, not liable to retire by rotation and to hold office for a period of two years commencing November 14, 2019 to November 13, 2021.

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors be and is hereby authorised to do all acts and take all such steps as may be necessary, proper or expedient to give effect to this resolution."

By Order of the Board of Directors

Kunjan Trivedi Company Secretary

Place: Mumbai Date: January 21, 2021

Registered Office: 501, Silver Metropolis, Western Express Highway, Goregaon (East), Mumbai 400063.

NOTES:

- 1. Considering the present Covid-19 pandemic, the Ministry of Corporate Affairs ("MCA") has vide its circular dated May 5, 2020 read together with circulars dated April 8, 2020, April 13, 2020 and January 13, 2021 (collectively referred to as "MCA Circulars") permitted convening the Annual General Meeting ("AGM" / "Meeting") through Video Conferencing ("VC") or Other Audio Visual Means ("OAVM"), without the physical presence of the members at a common venue. Further, the Securities and Exchange Board of India ('SEBI') vide its circulars dated May 12, 2020 and January 15, 2021 (collectively referred to as "SEBI Circulars") has also granted certain relaxations. In accordance with the MCA Circulars, provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 ('the Act') and the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("SEBI Listing Regulations"), the AGM of the Company is being held through VC / OAVM. The deemed venue for the AGM shall be the Registered Office of the Company.
- 2. The relative Explanatory Statement pursuant to Section 102(1) of the Companies Act, 2013, in respect of Special Business to be transacted at the Meeting as mentioned at Item No. 3 of the Notice is annexed herewith and forms part of this Notice.
- 3. PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THE ACT, A MEMBER ENTITLED TO ATTEND AND VOTE AT THE AGM IS ENTITLED TO APPOINT ONE OR MORE PROXIES TO ATTEND AND VOTE INSTEAD OF HIMSELF / HERSELF AND THE PROXY NEED NOT BE A MEMBER OF THE COMPANY. Since this AGM is being held through VC / OAVM pursuant to the MCA Circulars, physical attendance of members has been dispensed with. Therefore, the facility for appointment of proxies by the members will not be available for the AGM. Since the AGM will be held through VC / OAVM in accordance with the MCA Circulars, proxy form and attendance slip are not attached to this Notice.
- 4. Members of the Company under the category of Institutional Investors are encouraged to attend and vote at the AGM through VC / OAVM. Institutional / Corporate Shareholders (i.e. other than individuals / HUF, NRI, etc.) are required to send a scanned copy (PDF / JPG Format) of its Board or governing body Resolution /Authorization, etc., authorizing its representative to attend the AGM

through VC / OAVM on its behalf and to vote through remote e-voting. The said Resolution / Authorization shall be sent to investors@zicom.com.

- 5. The requirement to place the matter relating to appointment of Auditors for ratification by Members at every Annual General Meeting is done away with vide Notification dated May 7, 2018 issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs, New Delhi. Accordingly, no resolution is proposed for ratification of appointment of Auditors, who were appointed in the Annual General Meeting held on September 21, 2017.
- 6. Mr. Manohar Bidaye is interested in the Ordinary Resolution set out at Item No. 2 of the Notice with regard to his re-appointment. Except for Mr. Bidaye, none of the other Directors / Key Managerial Personnel of the Company / their relatives are, in any way, concerned or interested, financially or otherwise, in the Ordinary Business set out under Item No. 2 of the Notice.
- 7. In order to protect the Members from fraudulent encashment of dividend demand drafts, the Members are requested to furnish their Bank Account Number, the name of the Bank and Branch where they would like to deposit the dividend demand drafts for encashment, whenever dividend is declared by the Company.

These particulars will be printed on the dividend demand draft besides the name of the Members, so that these dividend demand drafts cannot be encashed by anyone other than the Member.

The above mentioned details should be furnished by the first / sole holder, directly to their respective Depository Participant (DP) in respect of shares held in dematerialized form and in case of shares held in physical form to the Registrar & Share Transfer Agent of the Company viz. M/s. Bigshare Services Pvt. Ltd. at 1st Floor, Bharat Tin Works Building, Opp. Vasant Oasis Apartments (next to Keys Hotel), Marol Maroshi Road, Andheri East, Mumbai 400059.

- 8. Members holding shares in dematerialized form are requested to provide their latest bank account details (Core Banking Solutions Enabled account number, 9 digit MICR and 11 digit IFS Code) to their respective DP. Members holding shares in physical form are requested to provide their latest bank account details (Core Banking Solutions Enabled account number, 9 digit MICR and 11 digit IFS Code) alongwith their Folio No. to the Company's Registrar & Share Transfer Agent.
- 9. Members are requested to notify immediately any change in their residential status, address, signature and / or Bank details, in respect to their physical holdings, to the Registrar & Share Transfer Agent of the Company; and in case of shares held in dematerialized form, to their respective DP.
 - The Company and / or its Registrar & Share Transfer Agent will not entertain any direct request from Members holding shares in dematerialized form, for change of address and contact details, transposition of names, deletion of name of deceased joint holder, change in the bank account details and such other updates which can be done only by the DP with whom the Members are having demat account. While making payment of Dividend, Registrar & Share Transfer Agent is obliged to use only the data provided by the DP, in case of such demateralized shares.
- 10. SEBI has mandated that securities of listed companies can be transferred only in dematerialized form w.e.f. April 1, 2019. Accordingly, the Company / Registrar & Share Transfer Agent has stopped accepting any fresh lodgment of transfer of shares in physical form. Members holding shares in physical form are advised to avail of the facility of dematerialisation.

- 11. Members holding shares under multiple folios in the identical order of names are requested to consolidate their holdings into one folio.
- 12. Non-Resident Indian Members are requested to inform about the following immediately to the Company or its Registrar & Share Transfer Agent or the concerned DP, as the case may be, of:
 - a. The change in the residential status on return to India for permanent settlement;
 - b. Particulars of their bank account maintained in India with complete name, branch, account type, account number and address of the bank with pin code number, if not furnished earlier.
- 13. Members must quote their Folio No. / Client ID and DP ID and contact details such as e-mail address, contact no., etc. in all their correspondence with the Company / Registrar & Share Transfer Agent.
- 14. Members are informed that Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI), has mandated to quote Permanent Account Number (PAN) in all the transactions in the securities market, which includes transfer / transmission of securities. Therefore, for any transfer / transmission of shares, the transferee(s) / legal heirs(s) are required to furnish a copy of their PAN to the DP.
- 15. Members holding shares in physical form:
 - a. are required to submit their Permanent Account Number (PAN) and bank account details to the Company / Registrar & Share Transfer Agent, if not registered with the Company as mandated by SEBI.
 - b. are advised to register the nomination in respect of their shareholding in the Company.
 - c. are requested to register / update their e-mail address with the Company / Registrar & Share Transfer Agent for receiving all communications from the Company electronically.
- 16. Members holding shares in electronic form:
 - a. are requested to submit their PAN and bank account details to their respective DPs with whom they are maintaining their demat accounts.
 - b. are advised to contact their respective DPs for registering the nomination.
 - c. are requested to register / update their e-mail address with their respective DPs for receiving all communications from the Company electronically.
- 17. Pursuant to Section 124 of the Companies Act, 2013, the amount of dividend which remains unpaid / unclaimed for a period of seven years is to be compulsorily transferred to the "Investor Education and Protection Fund (IEPF)", constituted by the Central Government.

Member(s) who have not yet encashed their dividend is / are requested, in their own interest, to immediately write to the Registrar & Share Transfer Agent of the Company or to the Company, for claiming their outstanding dividend for the Financial Year 2013-14 (which is due for transfer to IEPF on October 10, 2021) and subsequent years. The dividend for the aforesaid year shall be paid only on receipt of request and satisfactory compliance of the requisite procedure. Member(s) may refer to point no. xvii under General Shareholders' Information in the Corporate Governance Report wherein details of transfer of unclaimed dividend to IEPF have been provided.

The details of unpaid and unclaimed dividend lying with the Company as on September 30, 2019 (date of the last Annual General Meeting) has been uploaded on Company's website www.zicom.com in accordance with the requirements of relevant Investor Education and Protection Fund (Uploading

of information regarding unpaid and unclaimed amounts lying with companies) Rules, 2012 and the same has also been uploaded on Ministry of Corporate Affairs website www.mca.gov.in.

Further, pursuant to the provisions of Section 124 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Investor Education and Protection Fund Authority (Accounting, Audit, Transfer and Refund) Rules, 2016, all shares on which dividend has been unclaimed for seven consecutive years or more are required to be transferred to IEPF. In the event of transfer of shares and the unclaimed dividends to IEPF, Members are entitled to claim the same from IEPF by submitting an online application in the prescribed Form IEPF-5 available on the website www.iepf.gov.in and sending a physical copy of the duly signed Form IEPF-5 to the Company along with the requisite documents enumerated in the Form IEPF-5. Members can file only one consolidated claim in a financial year as per the IEPF Rules.

18. The Registers / records under the Companies Act, 2013, which are required to be made available for inspection at the Annual General Meeting will be available for inspection by the members through the electronic mode by sending a request for the same to the Company Secretary at investors@zicom.com.

All the documents referred to in the accompanying Notice will also be available for inspection by the members through electronic mode from the date of circulation of this Notice upto the date of the AGM. The request for the same can be sent to the Company Secretary at investors@zicom.com.

- 19. Since the AGM will be held through VC / OAVM, the route map of the venue of the Meeting is not annexed hereto.
- 20. Brief profiles of the Directors proposed to be re-appointed / appointed vide Item Nos. 2 and 3 of this Notice are as under:
 - i) Mr. Manohar Bidaye (DIN: 00010699), M.Com.; LL.B. and C.S. (aged 56 years)

Manohar Bidaye is the Chairman and co-founder of Zicom. He steers the organisation in its strategic vision to be one of the most admired organisations. He also oversees Zicom's forays into allied fields.

He is a Masters in Commerce from University of Mumbai and a senior Member of the Institute of Company Secretaries of India since 1989. He also has a Degree in General Law.

He successfully established himself as a Consultant in Corporate Laws and Finance. In 1994, he co-founded Zicom to venture into electronic security industry. It was his vision and able guidance that drove Zicom from the nascent stage of the industry to one of the leading electronic security solutions provider in India. With his vision and ambition, Zicom successfully ventured into fire security business in Gulf region, and today it is one of the most reputed fire security solutions providers in GCC Countries.

He is a proud recipient of the prestigious "Yashashree 2008" award given by the Maharashtra Times, in recognition and honour of his achievements across various industry segments and "Marathi Bhushan Udyog Award 2012" given by Marathi Vyapari Mitra Mandal and Secona Shield Lifetime Achievement Award 2019 powered by Secutech India.

ii) Mrs. Shanthi Chauhan (DIN: 08608338), Diploma in Hotel Management (aged 49 years)

Shanthi Chauhan is the quintessential Woman of Substance, who has always given one hundred percent to anything that she takes upon herself. As the creator of bespoke Jewellery brand 'Sattviki'', she has carved a niche for herself in that sector, at the same time giving opportunities to Jewellery craftsmen by opening new corridors of creativity. She has designed menus for famous FMCG brands which include teaching the crew how to manage corporate and consumer level orders.

As environmental torch bearers Mrs. Chauhan and her husband have worked tirelessly towards saving the Solanpada dam and the surrounding area in Karjat, from extensive green coverage and creating self-sustaining employment to the villagers. Her never ending energy for life stems from her deep rooted values and understanding of the human psyche. Her natural aura of confidence and calm leadership has won over many, who can vouch for her spirited enthusiasm and determination with which she takes upon any task and completes it successfully.

Mrs. Shanthi Chauhan is a Diploma holder in Hotel Management.

Further details of these Directors, pursuant to Regulation 36 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, are given in the Corporate Governance Report forming part of the Annual Report.

- 21. Members are requested to visit the website of the Company www.zicom.com for viewing the quarterly and annual financial results and other information on the Company. For investor-related queries, communication may be sent by an e-mail to investors@zicom.com.
- 22. In case of joint holder(s) attending the Meeting, only the joint holder higher in the order of names will be entitled to vote.
- 23. In compliance with the aforesaid MCA Circulars and SEBI Circulars, the Notice of AGM, along with Annual Report are being sent only through electronic mode i.e. by email to those members who have registered their email addresses with their Depository Participants (in case of shares held in demat form) or with the Company's Registrar and Share Transfer Agent (in case of shares held in physical form). Members who have not registered their email address with the Company can register the same as follows:-

For receiving all communication (including Annual Report) from the Company electronically:

- a) Members holding shares in physical mode and who have not registered / updated their email address with the Company are requested to register / update the same by writing to the Company with details of folio number and attaching a self-attested copy of PAN card at investor@zicom.com or to Company's Registrar and Share Transfer Agent at investor@zicom.com.
- b) Members holding shares in dematerialised mode are requested to register / update their email addresses with the relevant Depository Participant.

Post successful registration of email address, the Member will get the soft copy of the Notice of AGM and Annual Report.

- 24. Members may also note that the Notice of AGM and Annual Report 2019-20 is available on the Company's website at www.zicom.com, websites of the Stock Exchanges i.e. BSE Limited and National Stock Exchange of India Limited at www.nseindia.com respectively. The Notice of AGM is also available on the website of CDSL (agency for providing the Remote e-Voting facility and e-voting system during the AGM) at www.evotingindia.com.
- 25. Pursuant to the provisions of Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 (as amended) and Regulation 44 of SEBI (Listing Obligations & Disclosure Requirements) Regulations 2015 (as amended), and MCA Circulars dated April 8, 2020, April 13, 2020 and May 5, 2020 the Company is providing facility of remote e-voting to its Members in respect of the business to be transacted at the AGM. For this purpose, the Company has entered into an agreement with Central Depository Services (India) Limited (CDSL) for facilitating voting through electronic means, as the authorized e-Voting agency. The facility of casting votes by a member using remote e-voting as well as the e-voting system on the date of the AGM will be provided by CDSL.
- 26. The Members can join the AGM in the VC / OAVM mode 15 minutes before and after the scheduled time of the commencement of the Meeting by following the procedure mentioned in the Notice. The facility of participation at the AGM through VC / OAVM will be made available to atleast 1000 members on first come first served basis. This will not include large Shareholders (Shareholders holding 2% or more shareholding), Promoters, Institutional Investors, Directors, Key Managerial Personnel, the Chairpersons of the Audit Committee, Nomination and Remuneration Committee and Stakeholders Relationship Committee, Auditors, etc. who are allowed to attend the AGM without restriction on account of first come first served basis.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR MEMBERS FOR REMOTE E-VOTING ARE AS UNDER:

- i. The voting period begins on June 1, 2021 (9:30 a.m.) and ends on June 3, 2021 (5:00 p.m.). During this period Members of the Company, holding shares either in physical form or in dematerialized form, as on the cut-off date (record date) of May 28, 2021, may cast their vote electronically. The evoting module shall be disabled by CDSL for voting thereafter.
- ii. The Members who have already voted prior to the Meeting date would not be entitled to vote at the Meeting venue.
- iii. The Members should log on to the e-voting website www.evotingindia.com.
- iv. Click on "Shareholders" tab.
- v. Now Enter your User ID
 - a. For CDSL: 16 digits Beneficiary ID
 - b. For NSDL: 8 character DP ID followed by 8 digits Client ID
 - c. Members holding shares in Physical Form should enter Folio Number registered with the Company.

Or

Alternatively, if you are registered for CDSL's EASI / EASIEST e-services, you can log-in at https://www.cdslindia.com from Login - Myeasi using your login credentials. Once you

- successfully log-in to CDSL's EASI / EASIEST e-services, click on e-Voting option and proceed directly to cast your vote electronically.
- vi. Next enter the Image Verification as displayed and Click on Login.
- vii. If you are holding shares in dematerialized form and had logged on to <u>www.evotingindia.com</u> and voted on an earlier voting of any company, then your existing password is to be used.
- viii. If you are a first time user, follow the steps given below:

For Members holding shares in Dematerialized Form and Physical Form	
PAN	Enter your 10 digit alpha-numeric PAN issued by Income Tax Department (Applicable for both demat shareholders as well as physical shareholders)
	 Members who have not updated their PAN with the Company / Depository Participant are requested to use the sequence number sent by the Company / RTA or contact the Company / RTA.
Dividend	Enter the Dividend Bank Details or Date of Birth (in dd/mm/yyyy format) as
Bank	recorded in your Demat account or in the Company records in order to login.
Details	
OR	• If both the details are not recorded with the Depository or Company please
Date of	enter the Member ID / Folio Number in the Dividend Bank details field as
Birth	mentioned in instruction (v).
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- ix. After entering these details appropriately, click on "SUBMIT" tab.
- x. Members holding shares in physical form will then reach directly the Company selection screen. However, Members holding shares in demat form will now reach 'Password Creation' menu wherein they are required to mandatorily enter their login password in the new password field. Kindly note that this password is to be also used by the demat holders for voting for resolutions of any other company on which they are eligible to vote, provided that company opts for e-voting through CDSL platform. It is strongly recommended not to share your password with any other person and take utmost care to keep your password confidential.
- xi. For Members holding shares in physical form, the details can be used only for e-voting on the resolutions contained in this Notice.
- xii. Click on the EVSN of <ZICOM ELECTRONIC SECURITY SYSTEMS LIMITED> on which you choose to vote.
- xiii. On the voting page, you will see "RESOLUTION DESCRIPTION" and against the same the option "YES/NO" for voting. Select the option YES or NO as desired. The option YES implies that you assent to the Resolution and option NO implies that you dissent to the Resolution.
- xiv. Click on the "RESOLUTIONS FILE LINK" if you wish to view the entire Resolution details.
- xv. After selecting the resolution you have decided to vote on, click on "SUBMIT". A confirmation box will be displayed. If you wish to confirm your vote, click on "OK", else to change your vote, click on "CANCEL" and accordingly modify your vote.

- xvii. You can also take a print of the votes cast by clicking on "Click here to print" option on the Voting page.
- xviii. If a demat account holder has forgotten the login password then Enter the User ID and the image verification code and click on Forgot Password and enter the details as prompted by the system.
- xix. Shareholders can also cast their vote using CDSL's mobile App "**m-Voting**". The m-Voting App can be downloaded from respective Store. Please follow the instructions as prompted by the mobile App while remote voting on your mobile.

The remote e-voting period commences on Tuesday, June 1, 2021 (9.00 a.m.) and ends on Thursday, June 3, 2021 (5.00 p.m.). The e-voting module shall be disabled by CDSL for voting thereafter. 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 (record date) of Friday, May 28, 2021 only shall be entitled to avail the facility of remote e-voting as well as voting at the AGM. A person who is not a Member as on the cut-off date should treat this Notice for information purposes only. Once the vote on a resolution is cast by the Member, the Member shall not be allowed to change it subsequently or cast vote again.

The Board of Directors has appointed Ms. Purvi P. Vasha, Practising Company Secretary (Membership No. A17123; Certificate of Practice No. 14069) as the Scrutinizer to scrutinize the voting during the AGM and remote e-voting process in a fair and transparent manner.

The voting rights of Members shall be in proportion to their shares in the paid-up equity share capital of the Company as on the cut-off date i.e. Friday, May 28, 2021.

Any person, who acquires equity shares of the Company and becomes a Member of the Company after dispatch of the Notice and holding shares as on the cut-off date, may cast their votes by sending request for remote e-voting. The shareholders can send in their request at helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com and obtain the Login ID and Password. However, if you are already registered with CDSL for remote e-voting then you can use your existing User ID and Password for casting your vote. If you forget your password, you can reset your password by using "Forgot User Details / Password" option available on www.evotingindia.com or contact CDSL at toll free no.: 022-23058738/8542/8543.

PROCESS FOR THOSE MEMBERS WHOSE EMAIL ADDRESSES ARE NOT REGISTERED WITH THE DEPOSITORIES FOR OBTAINING LOGIN CREDENTIALS FOR E-VOTING FOR THE RESOLUTIONS PROPOSED IN THIS NOTICE:

- 1. For Physical shareholders- please provide necessary details like 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 **Company / RTA email id**.
- 2. For Demat shareholders please provide Demat account details (CDSL-16 digit beneficiary ID or NSDL-16 digit DPID + CLID), 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 Company / RTA email id.

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

- 1. Members will be provided with a facility to attend the AGM through VC / OAVM through the CDSL e-Voting system. Members may access the same at https://www.evotingindia.com under shareholders / members login by using the remote e-voting credentials. The link for VC / OAVM will be available in shareholders / members login where the EVSN of Company will be displayed.
- 2. Members are encouraged to join the Meeting through Laptops / IPads for better experience.
- 3. Further Members will be required to allow camera and use internet with a good speed to avoid any disturbance during the meeting.
- 4. Please note that Members connecting from Mobile Devices or Tablets or through Laptop connecting via Mobile Hotspot may experience Audio / Video loss due to fluctuation in their respective network. It is therefore recommended to use Stable Wi-Fi or LAN Connection to mitigate any kind of aforesaid glitches.
- 5. Members who would like to express their views / ask questions during the AGM may register themselves as a speaker by sending their request in advance atleast 7 days prior to AGM mentioning their name, demat account number / folio number, email id, mobile number at investors@zicom.com. The Members who do not wish to speak during the AGM but have queries may send their queries in advance 7 days prior to the AGM mentioning their name, demat account number / folio number, email id, mobile number at investors@zicom.com. These queries will be replied to by the Company suitably by email.
- 6. Those Members who have registered themselves as a speaker will only be allowed to express their views / ask questions during the meeting. The Company reserves the right to restrict the number of questions and number of speakers, depending upon availability of time as appropriate for the smooth conduct of the AGM.
- 7. The attendance of the Members attending the AGM through VC / OAVM will be counted for the purpose of ascertaining the quorum under Section 103 of the Companies Act, 2013.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR MEMBERS FOR E-VOTING DURING THE AGM ARE AS UNDER:-

- 1. The procedure for e-Voting on the day of the AGM is same as the instructions mentioned above for Remote e-voting.
- 2. Only those shareholders, who are present in the AGM through VC / OAVM facility and have not casted their vote on the Resolutions through remote e-Voting and are otherwise not barred from doing so, shall be eligible to vote through e-Voting system available during the AGM.
- 3. If any Votes are cast by the shareholders through the e-voting available during the AGM and if the same shareholders have not participated in the meeting through VC / OAVM facility, then the votes cast by such shareholders shall be considered invalid as the facility of e-voting during the meeting is available only to the shareholders attending the meeting.
- 4. Shareholders 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.

- Non-Individual shareholders (i.e. other than Individuals, HUF, NRI, etc.) and Custodian are required to log on to www.evotingindia.com and register themselves in the "Corporates" module.
- A scanned copy of the Registration Form bearing the stamp and sign of the entity should be emailed to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com.
- After receiving the login details a Compliance User should be created using the admin login and password. The Compliance User would be able to link the account(s) for which they wish to vote on.
- The list of accounts linked in the login should be mailed to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com and on approval of the accounts they would be able to cast their vote.
- A scanned copy of the Board Resolution and Power of Attorney (POA) which they have issued in favour of the Custodian, if any, should be uploaded in PDF format in the system for the Scrutinizer to verify the same.
- Alternatively Non Individual shareholders are required to send the relevant Board Resolution / Authority letter, etc. together with attested specimen signature of the duly authorized signatory who are authorized to vote, to the Scrutinizer and to the Company at the email address viz; investors@zicom.com, if they have voted from individual tab and not uploaded same in the CDSL evoting system for the Scrutinizer to verify the same.

If you have any queries or issues regarding attending AGM and e-Voting from the e-Voting System, you may refer the Frequently Asked Questions ("FAQs") and e-voting manual available at www.evotingindia.com, under help section or write an email to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com or contact Mr. Nitin Kunder (022- 23058738) or Mr. Mehboob Lakhani (022-23058543) or Mr. Rakesh Dalvi (022-23058542).

All grievances connected with the facility for voting by electronic means may be addressed to Mr. Rakesh Dalvi, Manager, (CDSL,) Central Depository Services (India) Limited, A Wing, 25th Floor, Marathon Futurex, Mafatlal Mill Compounds, N M Joshi Marg, Lower Parel (East), Mumbai - 400013 or send an email to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com or call on 022-23058542/43.

The Scrutinizer shall, immediately upon conclusion of voting at the General Meeting, would count the votes cast at the Meeting, thereafter unblock the votes cast through remote e-voting in the presence of atleast two witnesses not in employment of the Company and make not later than 48 hours of conclusion of the AGM, a Consolidated Scrutinizer's Report of the total votes cast in favour or against, if any, to the Chairman or a person authorised by him in writing who shall countersign the same; and announce the results on the voting.

The results declared along with the Scrutinizer's Report shall be placed on the Company's website www.zicom.com and on the website of CDSL www.evotingindia.com immediately after the results are declared. The Company shall simultaneously forward the results to BSE Limited ("BSE") and National Stock Exchange of India Limited ("NSE"), where the shares of the Company are listed.

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

The following Explanatory Statement, pursuant to Section 102(1) of the Companies Act, 2013 (the Act), sets out all material facts relating to the business mentioned at Item No. 3 of the accompanying Notice dated January 21, 2021.

Item No. 3:

Pursuant to Section 161 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rules thereunder and read with Article 114 of the Articles of Association of the Company, the Board of Directors, on the recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee, at its meeting held on November 14, 2019, appointed Mrs. Shanthi Chauhan (DIN: 08608338) as an Additional Director of the Company, effective that date, in the capacity of an Independent Director.

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 161 of the Companies Act, 2013, Mrs. Shanthi Chauhan will hold the office upto the date of the ensuing Annual General Meeting. She will also be an Independent Director under SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

The Company has received from Mrs. Shanthi Chauhan - (i) consent in writing to act as a Director in Form DIR-2 pursuant to Rule 8 of Companies (Appointment & Qualification of Directors) Rules, 2014; (ii) intimation in Form DIR-8 in terms of Companies (Appointment & Qualification of Directors) Rules, 2014, to the effect that she is not disqualified under sub-section (2) of Section 164 of the Companies Act, 2013; and (iii) a declaration to the effect that she meets the criteria of independence as provided in sub-section (6) of Section 149 of the Companies Act, 2013 and under the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

The resolution seeks approval of the Members for the appointment of Mrs. Shanthi Chauhan as an Independent Director of the Company, not liable to retire by rotation, upto November 13, 2021 pursuant to Section 149 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Rules made thereunder.

In the opinion of the Board of Directors, Mrs. Shanthi Chauhan fulfills the conditions for her appointment as an Independent Director, specified in the Act, Rules made thereunder and SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. Mrs. Shanthi Chauhan is independent of the Management and possesses appropriate skills, experience and knowledge.

A brief resume of Mrs. Shanthi Chauhan, nature of her expertise in specific functional areas and names of companies in which she holds directorships and memberships / chairmanships of Board Committees, shareholding and relationships between directors inter-se as stipulated under Regulation 36 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and Secretarial Standard on General Meetings ("SS-2"), issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India, are provided in para II (F) of the Corporate Governance Report forming part of the Annual Report.

A copy of the draft letter of appointment of Mrs. Shanthi Chauhan as an Independent Director setting out the terms and conditions is available for inspection by the Members upto the date of the AGM.

The Board considers that her association with the Company would be beneficial to the Company and it is desirable to appoint Mrs. Shanthi Chauhan as an Independent Director.

Mrs. Shanthi Chauhan is interested in the proposed resolution for her appointment as an Independent Director to the extent of the Fees, and other permitted payments and benefits which she may get in her capacity as an Independent Director of the Company. Except her and her relatives, no other Director, Key Managerial Personnel or their relatives, are interested or concerned, financially or otherwise, in the Resolution set out at Item No. 3.

The Board recommends the Ordinary Resolution as set out at Item No. 3 of the Notice for your approval.

By Order of the Board of Directors

Place: Mumbai

Date: January 21, 2021

Kunjan Trivedi Company Secretary

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