

To,
The Members,
Nepa Limited

NOTICE is hereby given that the 76th Annual General Meeting of the members of Nepa Limited will be held on Friday, 24th day of November, 2023 at 4.00 PM at the Registered Office of the Company Neapanagar, Dist: Burhanpur, Madhya Pradesh – 450221, by online mode to transact the following business:

AS ORDINARY BUSINESS:

1. To receive, consider and adopt the audited Financial Statement for the year ended 31st March, 2023, the Balance Sheet, profit & Loss Account and Cash flow as on that date and the reports of Directors and Statutory Auditors and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India, thereon.
2. To appoint a director in place of Shri Atul Kumar Mishra, who retires by rotation and being eligible, offers himself for re-appointment.
3. To consider and if though fit, to pass with or without modification(s), the following resolution as on Ordinary Resolution:

“RESOLVED THAT , consent of the Company, be and is hereby accorded, for payment of remuneration of Rs. 1,75,000/- (Rupees One Lac Seventy Five Thousand, plus Service Tax) to M/s M/s A.I. Kothari & Associates, Jalgaon, Statutory Auditors, subject to other terms and condition laid down by the Office of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India in their letter No. /CA. V/ COY/CENTRAL GOVERNMENT,NEPA(1)/1465 dated 22.09.2023 for Financial Year 2023-2024.

AS SPECIAL BUSINESS

4. To consider and if though fit, to pass with or without modification(s), the following resolution as on Ordinary Resolution

“RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Section 148 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 read with the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment thereof, for the time being in force), the remuneration of the Cost Auditors appointed by the Board of Directors of the Company to conduct the audit of the cost records of the Company for the Financial Year ending on 31st March, 2024 as set out in the statement annexed to the Notice convening this Meeting, be and is hereby ratified by the shareholders of the Company.”

“RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors of the Company be and is hereby authorized to do all such acts, deeds and things as may be necessary, proper or expedient to give effect to this resolution.”

By Order of the Board of Directors
Purnima Parashar
Company Secretary
M. No. : A36079

Date: 16.10.2023
Place: New Delhi

IMPORTANT NOTES:

1. Explanatory Statement, pursuant to Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013 ('the Act'), relating to the Special Business to be transacted at this Annual General Meeting ('AGM'), is annexed.
2. In view of the massive outbreak of the COVID-19 pandemic, social distancing is a norm to be followed and pursuant to the Circular No. 14/2020 dated April 08, 2020, Circular No.17/2020 dated April 13, 2020 issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs followed by Circular No. 20/2020 dated May 05, 2020, General Circular no. 02/2021 dated 13.01.2021, General Circular No. 19/2021 dated 08.12.2021 and 21/2021 dated 14.12.2021 and File No.Policy-17/57/2021-CL-MCA Dated 05.05.2022 and General Circular No. 10/2022 dated 28.12.2022 and File No. policy-17/57/2021-CL-MCA Dated 25.09.2023 it has been decided to allow the companies whose AGMs are due in the Year 2023 or 2024, to conduct their AGMs on or before 30th September , 2024 in accordance with the requirements laid down in Para 3 and Para 4 of the General Circular No. 20/2020 dated 05.05.2020. Physical attendance of the Members to the EGM/AGM venue is not required and annual general meeting (AGM) be held through video conferencing (VC) or other audio visual means (OAVM). Hence, Members can attend and participate in the ensuing EGM/AGM through VC/OAVM.
3. The Register of members of the Company will remain closed from **18.11.2023 to 24.11.2023** (both days inclusive).
4. Since this AGM will be held through Video Conferencing ('VC') / Other Audio Visual Means ('OAVM'), Members will not be able to appoint proxies for this meeting. Further, Attendance Slip and Route Map are not being annexed to this Notice.
5. Corporate Members are requested to send a scanned copy (in PDF / JPG format) of the Board Resolution authorizing their representatives to attend the AGM, pursuant to Section 113 of the Act, through e-mail at secretary@nepamills.nic.in
6. In terms of Section 108 of the Act read with Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014, the Resolutions for consideration at this AGM will be transacted through remote e-voting (facility to cast vote prior to the AGM) and also e-voting during the AGM, for which purpose the Board of Directors of the Company ('the Board') have engaged the services of NSDL. The Board has appointed Mrs. Isha Garg, (Practicing Company Secretary) form Indore, as the Scrutinizer for this purpose.
7. Remote e-voting will commence at 9.00 A.M. on 21st November, 2023 and will end at 5:00 P.M. on 23rd November, 2023, when remote e-voting will be blocked by NSDL.
8. Voting rights will be reckoned on the paid-up value of shares registered in the name of the Members on 17th November, 2023 (cut-off date). Only those Members whose names are recorded in the Register of Members of the Company maintained by the Company as on the cut-off date will be entitled to cast their votes by remote e-voting or e-voting during the AGM. A person who is not a Member on the cut-off date should accordingly treat this Notice as for information purposes only.
9. In line with the Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) Circular No. 17/2020 dated April13, 2020, followed by Circular No. 20/2020 dated May 05, 2020, General Circular no. 02/2021 dated 13.01.2021,File No.Policy-17/57/2021-CL-MCA Dated 05.05.2022, General Circular No. 10/2022 dated 28.12.2022 and File No. policy-17/57/2021-CL-MCA Dated 25.09.2023 the Notice calling the AGM has been uploaded on the website of the Company at www.nepamills.nic.in.The AGM Notice is also available on the website of NSDL (agency for providing the Remote e-Voting facility) i.e.www.evoting.nsdl.com.
10. In conformity with the applicable regulatory requirements, the Notice of this AGM along with explanatory statement and the Report and Accounts for the F.Y. 2023 are being sent only through electronic mode to those Members who have registered their e-mail addresses with the Company or with the Registrar and transfer agent of company (RTA) PurvaSharegistry (India) Pvt Ltd.
Members who have not registered their e-mail addresses with the Company or with the RTA and wish to receive the aforesaid documents are required to register their e-mail addresses may

send an e-mail to secretary@nepamills.nic.in or write to Registrar and transfer agent of company at their email address. support@purvashare.com

11. 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 for 1000 members on first come first served basis. This will not include large Shareholders (Shareholders holding 2% or more shareholding), Promoters, Institutional Investors, Directors, Key Managerial Personnel, the Chairpersons of the Audit Committee, Nomination and Remuneration Committee and Stakeholders Relationship Committee, Auditors etc. who are allowed to attend the AGM without restriction on account of first come first served basis.

VOTING THROUGH ELECTRONIC MEANS

1. Visit the e-Voting website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the following URL: <https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/> 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 ‘Shareholders’ section.
3. A new screen will open. You will have to enter your User ID, your Password and a Verification Code as shown on the screen.
4. Alternatively, if you are registered for NSDL eservices i.e. IDEAS, you can log-in at <https://eservices.nsdl.com/> 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 cast your vote electronically.

Your User ID details are given below : (Your EVEN Number is 127033)

Manner of holding shares For Members holding shares in Physical Form	Your User ID is: EVEN Number followed by Folio Number registered with the company For example if folio number is 001*** and EVEN is 127033 then user ID is 127033001***
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5. Your password details are given below:
 - (a) If you are already registered for e-Voting, then you can use your existing password to login and cast your vote.
 - (b) If you are using NSDL e-Voting system for the first time, you will need to retrieve the ‘initial password’ which was communicated to you. Once you retrieve your ‘initial password’, you need to enter the ‘initial password’ and the system will force you to change your password.
 - (c) 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’.
 - (d) 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:
 - (e) 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.
 - (f) Physical User Reset Password?” (If you are holding shares in physical mode) option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com.
 - (g) If you are still unable to get the password by aforesaid two options, you can send a request at evoting@nsdl.co.in mentioning your demat account number/folio number, your PAN, your name and your registered address.
 - (h) Members can also use the OTP (One Time Password) based login for casting the votes on the e-Voting system of NSDL.

After entering your password, tick on Agree to “Terms and Conditions” by selecting on the check box.

- (i) Now, you will have to click on “Login” button.
 - (j) After you click on the “Login” button, Home page of e-Voting will open.
7. Cast your vote electronically on NSDL e-Voting system
 1. After successful login at Step 1, you will be able to see the Home page of e-Voting. Click on e-Voting. Then, click on Active Voting Cycles.
 2. After click on Active Voting Cycles, you will be able to see all the companies “EVEN” in which you are holding shares and whose voting cycle is in active status.
 3. Select “EVEN” of company for which you wish to cast your vote.
 4. Now you are ready for e-Voting as the Voting page opens.
 5. 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.
 6. Upon confirmation, the message “Vote cast successfully” will be displayed.
 7. You can also take the printout of the votes cast by you by clicking on the print option on the confirmation page.
 8. Once you confirm your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.

General Guidelines for shareholders

1. 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.
2. 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 www.evoting.nsdl.com or call on toll free no.: 1800-222-990 or send a request to (Name of NSDL Official) at evoting@nsdl.co.in
3. Process for those shareholders whose email ids are not registered with the depositories for procuring user id and password and registration of e mail ids for e-voting for the resolutions set out in this notice:
4. 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 (secretary@nepamills.nic.in).

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

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

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

1. Member will be provided with a facility to attend the AGM through VC/OAVM through the NSDL e-Voting system. Members may access the same at <https://www.evoting.nsdl.com> under shareholders/members login by using the remote e-voting credentials. The link for VC/OAVM will be available in shareholder/members 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. Further members can also use the OTP based login for logging into the e-Voting system of NSDL.

2. Members are encouraged to join the Meeting through Laptops for better experience.
3. Further Members will be required to allow Camera and use Internet with a good speed to avoid any disturbance during the meeting.
4. Please note that Participants Connecting from Mobile Devices or Tablets or through Laptop connecting via Mobile Hotspot may experience Audio/Video loss due to Fluctuation in their respective network. It is therefore recommended to use Stable Wi-Fi or LAN Connection to mitigate any kind of aforesaid glitches.
5. Shareholders who would like to express their views/have questions may send their questions in advance mentioning their name folio number, email id, mobile number at secretary@nepamills.nic.in. The same will be replied by the company suitably.
6. Those shareholders who have registered themselves as a speaker will only be allowed to express their views/ask questions during the meeting.
7. If you have any queries or issues regarding attending AGM through the link, you may contact Mr. Manish Shah on 9324659811 or write an email to support@purvashare.com.

Other Instruction

8. In terms of provisions of Section 107 of the Companies Act, 2013 since the Company is providing the facility of e-voting to the shareholders, there shall be no voting by show of hands at the Annual General Meeting.
9. The shareholders can opt for only one mode of voting i.e. remote e-voting or e-voting at the meeting. In case of voting by both the modes, vote cast through remote e-voting will be considered final
10. The voting rights of Members for e-voting and e-voting at the meeting shall be in proportion to their shares of the paid up equity share capital of the Company as on 17th November, 2023.
11. The result on resolutions shall be declared on or before the closing business hours on 26th November, 2023 and will be available on the website of the Company. The resolutions will deemed to be passed on the date of Annual General Meeting subject to receipt of the requisite number of votes in favour of the resolutions.
12. A person, whose name is recorded in the register of members or in the register of beneficial owners maintained by the Registrar & Transfer Agent as on the cut-off date only shall be entitled to avail the facility of remote e-voting as well as e-voting at the AGM.
13. The Scrutinizer shall after the conclusion of voting at the Annual general meeting, will first count the votes cast at the meeting and thereafter unblock the votes cast through remote e-voting in the presence of at least two witnesses not in the employment of the Company and shall make, not later than 48 hours of the 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 authorized by him in writing, who shall countersign the same and declare the result of the voting forthwith.
14. The Results declared along with the report of the Scrutinizer shall be placed on the website of the Company www.nepamills.nic.in immediately after the declaration of result by the Chairman or a person authorized by him in writing.

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

(Pursuant to section 102 (1) of the Companies Act, 2013 in respect of item no. 4, contained in the Notice of meeting)

Item No. 4

Section 148 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014 requires remuneration of the cost auditors as approved by the Board to be ratified by shareholders subsequently.

Based on the recommendation of the Audit Committee, the Board of Directors on August 28th, 2023 has approved the names of Chatterjee Gazi & Associates, Kolkata Firms for appointment for a total remuneration of Rs. 37000/- inclusive of all taxes, duties & all other expenses.

Accordingly, Members are requested to ratify the remuneration payable to the Cost Auditors for the Financial Year ending on 31st March, 2024.

None of the Directors, Key Managerial Personnel of the Company and their relatives is concerned or interested, financially or otherwise, in the Resolutions.

The Board of Directors recommends the resolution for approval of the Shareholders.

**By Order of the Board of Directors
Purnima Parashar
Company Secretary
M No.: A36079**

Date: 16.10.2023

Place: New Delhi