# **Agio Paper & Industries Ltd**

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CIN: L21090WB1984PLC037968

#### NOTICE OF 40<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fortieth Annual General Meeting of the Members of Agio Paper & Industries Ltd. (CIN L21090WB1984PLC037968) will be held at Diamond Prestige, 41A, AJC Bose Road,  $3^{\rm rd}$  Floor , Room No 319 , Kolkata - 700 017 on Thursday the  $25^{\rm th}$  September, 2025 at 10:30 A. M. to transact the following Business:

#### **ORDINARY BUSINESS:**

Item No. 1- To consider and adopt the audited financial statement of the Company for the financial year ended March 31, 2025 and the reports of the Board of Directors and Auditors thereon and in this regard, to consider and if thought fit, to pass, with or without modification(s), the following resolutions as Ordinary Resolutions:

"RESOLVED THAT the Audited Financial Statement of the Company for the financial year ended March 31, 2025 and the reports of the Board of Directors and Auditors thereon, as circulated to the members, be and are hereby considered and adopted."

<u>Item No.2 - To appoint Mr. Ankit Jalan (DIN: 02577501), who retires by rotation as a Director and in this regard, to consider and if thought fit, to pass, with or without modification(s), the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:</u>

"**RESOLVED THAT** in accordance with the provisions of Section 152 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013, Mr. Ankit Jalan (DIN: 02577501), who retires by rotation at this meeting be and is hereby appointed as a Director of the Company."

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Item No. 3- To consider and adopt the Re-appointment of Mr. Suraj Narayan Jaiswal (DIN: 08535572) as an Independent Director of the Company and in this regard, to consider and if thought fit, to pass, with or without modification(s), the following resolutions as Special Resolutions:

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Sections 149, 150 and 152 and other applicable provisions, if any, read along with Schedule IV to the Companies Act, 2013 ('the Act'), the Companies (Appointment and Qualifications of Directors) Rules, 2014 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof for the time being in force) and Regulation 17 and any other applicable provisions of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ('SEBI Listing Regulations'), as amended from time to time, Mr. Suraj Narayan Jaiswal (DIN: 08535572), who was appointed as an Independent Director of the Company for a term of five (5) consecutive years commencing from July 10, 2020 and who being eligible for re-appointment as an Independent Director has given her consent along with a declaration that she meets the criteria for independence under Section 149(6) of the Act and the Rules framed thereunder and Regulation 16(1)(b) of the SEBI Listing Regulations and in respect of whom the Company has received a Notice in writing from a Member under Section 160(1) of the Act proposing her candidature for the office of Director and based on the recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee and the Board of Directors of the Company, be and is hereby re-appointed as an Independent Director of the Company, not liable to retire by rotation, to hold office for a second term commencing from September 25, 2025 upto September 25, 2030, i.e. upto the retirement date as per the retirement age policy for Directors of the Company (both days inclusive).

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Board of Directors of the Company (including its Committee thereof) be and is hereby authorised to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things as may be necessary, expedient and desirable for the purpose of giving effect to this resolution."

Item No. 4- To consider and adopt the Re-appointment of Mr. Umesh Kumar Dhanuka (DIN: 01666884) as an Independent Director of the Company and in this regard, to consider and if thought fit, to pass, with or without modification(s), the following resolutions as Special Resolutions:

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Sections 149, 150 and 152 and other applicable provisions, if any, read along with Schedule IV to the Companies Act, 2013 ('the Act'), the Companies (Appointment and Qualifications of Directors) Rules, 2014 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof for the time being in force) and Regulation 17 and any other applicable provisions of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ('SEBI Listing Regulations'), as amended from time to time, Mr. Umesh Kumar Dhanuka (DIN: 01666884), who was appointed as an Independent Director of the Company for a term of five (5) consecutive years commencing from September 29, 2020 and who being eligible for re-appointment as an Independent Director has given his consent along with a declaration that he meets the criteria for independence under Section 149(6) of the Act and the Rules framed thereunder and Regulation 16(1)(b) of the SEBI Listing Regulations and in respect of whom the Company has received a Notice in writing from a Member under Section 160(1) of the Act proposing his candidature for the office of Director and based on the recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee and the Board of Directors of the Company, be and is hereby re-appointed as an Independent Director of the Company, not liable to retire by rotation, to hold office for a second term commencing from September 25, 2025 upto September 25, 2030, i.e. upto the retirement date as per the retirement age policy for Directors of the Company (both days inclusive).

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Board of Directors of the Company (including its Committee thereof) be and is hereby authorised to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things as may be necessary, expedient and desirable for the purpose of giving effect to this resolution."

<u>Item No. 5- To consider and adopt the Re-appointment of Ms. Mohini Agarwal (DIN: 07632857) as an Independent Director of the Company and in this regard, to consider and if thought fit, to pass, with or without modification(s), the following resolutions as Special Resolutions:</u>

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Sections 149, 150 and 152 and other applicable provisions, if any, read along with Schedule IV to the Companies Act, 2013 ('the Act'), the Companies (Appointment and Qualifications of Directors) Rules, 2014 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof for the time being in force) and Regulation 17 and any other applicable provisions of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ('SEBI Listing Regulations'), as amended from time to time, Ms. Mohini Agarwal (DIN: 07632857), who was appointed as an Independent Director of the Company for a term of five (5) consecutive years commencing from September 29, 2020 and who being eligible for re-appointment as an Independent Director has given her consent along with a declaration that she meets the criteria for independence under Section 149(6) of the Act and the Rules framed thereunder and Regulation 16(1)(b) of the SEBI Listing Regulations and in respect of whom the Company has received a Notice in writing from a Member under Section 160(1) of the Act proposing her candidature for the office of Director and based on the recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee and the Board of Directors of the Company, be and is hereby re-appointed as an Independent Director of the Company, not liable to retire by rotation, to hold office for a second term commencing from September 25, 2025 upto September 25, 2030, i.e. upto the retirement date as per the retirement age policy for Directors of the Company (both days inclusive).

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Board of Directors of the Company (including its Committee thereof) be and is hereby authorised to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things as may be necessary, expedient and desirable for the purpose of giving effect to this resolution."

Item No. 6- To consider and adopt the Appointment of M/s. Kirti Sharma & Associates, Practicing Company Secretaries as the Secretarial Auditor of the Company and in this regard, to consider and if thought fit, to pass, with or without modification(s), the following resolutions as Ordinary Resolutions:

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to provisions of Sections 204 and 179(3) and other applicable provisions of The Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 9 of The Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014, Regulation 24A of The SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 read with SEBI circular no. SEBI/HO/CFD/CFD-PoD-2/CIR/P/2024/185 dated December 31, 2024 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment thereof for time being in force) and circulars issued thereunder from time to time, and based on the recommendation of the Audit Committee and the Board of Directors, M/s. Kirti Sharma & Associates, Practicing Company Secretaries, Kolkata having ICSI Unique Code: S2024WB960100 (Peer review certificate: 6789/2025) be and are hereby appointed as the Secretarial Auditors for the Company, to hold office for one term of five consecutive years commencing from financial year 2025-26 to financial year 2029-30, at such remuneration as may be approved by the Audit Committee and/or Board of Directors of the Company from time to time, in addition to applicable taxes and re-imbursement of out-of-pocket & travelling expenses, at actuals, incurred by them in connection with the audit."

"RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors of the Company, be and is hereby authorized to revise/alter/modify/amend the terms and conditions and/or remuneration, from time to time, as may be mutually agreed with the Statutory Auditors, during the tenure of their appointment."

"RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors of the Company (including its Committee thereof) or Key Managerial Personnel of the Company, be and are hereby jointly and /or severally authorized on behalf of the Company to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things as may be necessary, desirable and expedient for the purpose of giving effect to this resolution."

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Place: Kolkata Date: 30.08.2025 By Order of the Board of Directors M/s Agio Paper & Industries Ltd

Sd/-(Manish Bhoot)

**Company Secretary cum Compliance Officer** 

#### **Notes:**

- 1. A member entitled to attend and vote at the Meeting is entitled to appoint a proxy and the proxy need not be a member of the Company.
- 2. The Proxy form must be deposited at the registered Office of the Company not less than 48 hours before the scheduled hour of commencement of the meeting i.e. by 10:30 A. M. on 25<sup>th</sup> September, 2025.
- 3. Members/Proxies should bring their attendance slips duly filled in for attending the meeting.
- 4. Members are requested to bring their copy of the Annual Report with them at the Annual General Meeting, as the copies of the report will not be circulated at the meeting.
- 5. The Register of Members and Share Transfer Registers of the Company will remain closed from 18th September, 2025 to 25th September, 2025 (both days inclusive).
- 6. Members who hold shares in dematerialized form are requested to bring their Depository ID Number and Client ID Number for easier identification of attendance at the Annual General Meeting.
- 7. In case of joint holders attending the meeting, only such joint holder who is higher in the order of names will be entitled to vote.
- 8. A Member desirous of getting any information on the accounts or operations of the Company is requested to forward his request to the Company at least 10 days prior to the Meeting so that the required information can be made available at the Meeting.
- 9. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) has mandated the submission of Permanent Account Number (PAN) by every participant in securities market. Members holding shares in electronic form are, therefore, requested to submit their PAN to their Depository Participants with whom they are maintaining their demat accounts. Members holding shares in physical form can submit their PAN to the Company/ Registrar M/s Maheshwari Datamatics Pvt. Ltd., 23, R.N Mukherjee Road, 5th Floor, Kolkata 700 001, Phone: 033 2243 5029/ 2248 2248, Fax: 033 2248 4787, E-mail: mdpldc@yahoo.com.
- 10. In compliance with the MCA Circulars and SEBI Circulars, the Notice of the 40<sup>th</sup>Annual General Meeting of the Company, inter alia, indicating the process and manner of electronic voting ('e-voting') along with Attendance Slip, Proxy Form and Route Map and the Annual Report 2024-2025 are being sent only through electronic mode to all the members whose email IDs are registered with the Company/ Depository Participants(s) for communication purposes. Members who have not yet registered their email addresses are requested to register the same with their Depository Participants ("DPs").
- 11. In terms of Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014, the Company has engaged the service of National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL) to provide

the facility of electronic voting (e-voting) in respect of the Resolutions proposed at this Annual General Meeting. The Board of Directors has appointed **M/s. Kirti Sharma & Associates, Practicing Company Secretaries**, as the Scrutinizer for this purpose.

In compliance with provisions of Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013, Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 as amended by the Companies (Management and Administration) Amendment Rules, 2015 and Regulation 44 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and the Secretarial Statndard-2 on General Meeting (SS2) issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India, the Company is pleased to provide member's facility to exercise their right to vote on resolutions proposed to be considered at the Annual General Meeting (AGM) by electronic means and the business may be transacted through e-Voting Services. The facility of casting the votes by the members using an electronic voting system from a place other than venue of the AGM ("remote e-voting") will be provided by National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL). The facility for voting through ballot paper shall be made available at the AGM and the members attending the meeting who have not cast their vote by remote e-voting shall be able to exercise their right at the meeting through ballot paper.

The members who have cast their vote by remote e-voting prior to the AGM may also attend the AGM but shall not be entitled to cast their vote again.

The remote e-voting period commences on 22nd September, 2025 (9:00 AM) and ends on 24th September, 2025 (5:00 PM). During this period members of the Company, holding shares either in physical form or in dematerialized form, as on the cut-off date of 18th September, 2025, may cast their vote by remote e-voting. The remote e-voting module shall be disabled by NSDL for voting thereafter at 5.00 p.m. on 24th September, 2025. Once the vote on a resolution is cast by the member, the member shall not be allowed to change it subsequently.

The process and manner for remote e-voting are as under:

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

Step 1: Access to NSDL e-Voting system

### A) Login method for e-Voting 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.

<u>Login method for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode is given below:</u>

shareholders Individual Shareholders	
	1. If you are already registered for <b>NSDL IDeAS</b>
holding securities in demat	facility, please visit the e-Services website of
mode with NSDL.	NSDL. Open web browser by typing the following
mode with NSDL.	URL: https://eservices.nsdl.com/ either on a
	Personal Computer or on a mobile. Once the home
	page of e-Services is launched, click on the
	"Beneficial Owner" icon under "Login" which is
	available under "IDeAS" section. A new screen
	will open. You will have to enter your User ID
	and Password. After successful authentication,
	you will be able to see e-Voting services. Click on
	"Access to e-Voting" under e-Voting services and
	you will be able to see e-Voting page. Click on
	options available against company name or e- <b>Voting service provider - NSDL</b> and you will be
	re-directed to NSDL e-Voting website for casting
	your vote during the remote e-Voting period.
	2. If the user is 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/IdeasDirectR
	eg.jsp
	3. 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. Once the home page of e-
	Voting system is launched, click on the icon "Login" which is available under
	'Shareholder/Member' section. A new screen will
	open. You will have to enter your User ID (i.e. your
	sixteen digit demat account number held with
	NSDL), Password/OTP and a Verification Code as
	shown on the screen. After successful
	authentication, you will be redirected to NSDL
	Depository site wherein you can see e-Voting page.
	Click on options available against company name
	or  Noting samples provider NSDI and you will be
	<b>e-Voting service provider - NSDL</b> and you will be redirected to e-Voting website of NSDL for casting
	your vote during the remote e-Voting period.
	3. Shareholders/Members can also download NSDL
	Mobile App "NSDL Speede" facility by scanning

the QR code mentioned below for seamless voting experience.

#### **NSDL** Mobile App is available on









Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with CDSL

- 1. Existing users who have opted for Easi / Easiest, they can login through their user id and password. Option will be made available to reach e-Voting page without any further authentication. The URL for users to login to Easi / Easiest are https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasi/home/login or www.cdslindia.com and click on New System Myeasi.
- 2. After successful login of Easi/Easiest the user will be also able to see the E Voting Menu. The Menu will have links of e-Voting service provider i.e. NSDL. Click on NSDL to cast your vote.
- 3. If the user is not registered for Easi/Easiest, option to register is available at https://web.cdslindia.
- 4. Alternatively, the user can directly access e-Voting page by providing demat Account Number and PAN No. from a link in <a href="www.cdslindia.com">www.cdslindia.com</a> home page. The system will authenticate the user by sending OTP on registered Mobile & Email as recorded in the demat Account. After successful authentication, user will be provided links for the respective ESP i.e. NSDL where the e-Voting is in progress.

Individual Shareholders (holding securities in demat mode) login through their depository participants You can also login using the login credentials of your demat account through your Depository Participant registered with NSDL/CDSL for e-Voting facility. Once login, you will be able to see e-Voting option. Once you click on e-Voting option, you will be redirected to NSDL/CDSL Depository site after successful authentication, wherein you can see e-Voting feature. Click on

options available against company name or e-
Voting service provider-NSDL and you will be
redirected to e-Voting website of NSDL for casting
your vote during the remote e-Voting period.

**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	Members facing any technical issue in login can
holding securities in demat	contact NSDL helpdesk by sending a request at
mode with NSDL	evoting@nsdl.co.in or call at toll free no.: 1800
	1020 990 and 1800 22 44 30
Individual Shareholders	Members facing any technical issue in login can
holding securities in demat	contact CDSL helpdesk by sending a request at
mode with CDSL	helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com 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.

- 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.

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 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 holds shares in demat account with CDSL.	16 Digit Beneficiary ID For example if your Beneficiary ID is 12************ then your user ID is 12************************************	
c) For Members holding shares in Physical Form.	EVEN Number followed by Folio Number registered with the company For example, if folio number is 001*** and EVEN is 101456 then user ID is 101456001***	



- 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?" you are holding shares in physical mode) option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com.
  - c) If you are still unable to get the password by aforesaid two options, you can send a request at evoting@nsdl.co.in mentioning your demat account number / folio number, your PAN, your name and your registered address.
  - d) Members can also use the OTP (One Time Password) based login for casting the votes on the e- Voting system of NSDL.
- 7. After entering your password, tick on Agree to "Terms and Conditions" by selecting on the check box.
- 8. Now, you will have to click on "Login" button
- 9. After you click on the "Login" button, Homepage of e-Voting will open.

# <u>Step 2 Cast your vote electronically on NSDL e-Voting system How to cast your vote electronically on NSDL e-Voting system?</u>

- 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 <a href="mailto:kirti.sharma2593@yahoo.com">kirti.sharma2593@yahoo.com</a> with a copy marked to <a href="mailto:evoting@nsdl.co.in">evoting@nsdl.co.in</a>.
- 2. Any person holding shares in physical form and non-individual shareholders, who acquires shares of the Company and becomes member of the Company after the notice is send through e-mail and holding shares as of the cut-off date i.e. 18.09.2025, may obtain the login ID and password by sending a request at evoting@nsdl.co.in or Issuer/RTA. However, if you are already registered with NSDL for remote e-voting, then you can use your existing user ID and password for casting your vote. If you forgot your password, you can reset your password by using "Forgot User Details/Password" or "Physical User Reset Password" option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com or call on toll free no. 1800 1020 990 and 1800 22 44 30. In case of Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode who acquires shares of the Company and becomes a Member of the Company after sending of the Notice and holding shares as of the cut-off date i.e 18.09.2025 may follow steps mentioned in the Notice of the AGM under Step 1:"Access to NSDL e-Voting system"(Above).
  - 3. 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.
  - **4.** 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.: 1800-222-990 or send a request at <a href="evoting@nsdl.co.in">evoting@nsdl.co.in</a>

<u>Process</u> 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 evoting 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 (Company email id).
- 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 (Company email id). If you are an Individual shareholder holding securities in demat mode, you are requested to refer to the login method explained at step 1 (A) i.e. Login method for e-Voting for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode.
- 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.

Date: 30th, August 2025 By the Order of the Board

For Agio Paper & Industries Limited

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**Manish Bhoot** 

**Company Secretary** 

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## ANNEXURE A

<u>Details of Directors seeking appointment/re-appointment at the 40<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting scheduled to be held on September 25, 2025</u>

(Pursuant to Regulation 36(3) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements), Regulations 2015

Name of the Director	Ms. Mohini Agarwal	Mr. Suraj Narayan Jaiswal	Mr. Umesh Kumar Dhanuka
DIN	07632857	08535572	01666884
Date of Birth	September 12,1960	April 12, 1996	November 11, 1965
Date of Appointment	September 29, 2020	July 10, 2020	September 29, 2020
Qualification	Graduation	Graduation	Graduation
Nature of Expertise	Ms. Mohini Agarwal aged 65 years is well experienced in managerial, administrative and project matters and has overall business experience of more than 20 years.	Mr. Suraj Narayan Jaiswal aged 29 years has wide variety of entrepreneurial skills and his expertise and his operational skills will be helpful in the company's growth.	Mr. Umesh Kumar Dhanuka aged 60 years has wide variety of entrepreneurial skills and his expertise and his operational skills will be helpful in the company's growth.
Directorships held	-	-	-
in other Indian			
public companies			
(other than			
Section 8			
companies)			
Memberships /	_	-	_
Chairmanships			

of Committees in other Company		
Number of Equity Shares held in the	NIL	NIL
Company		

# ANNEXURE TO NOTICE EXPLANATORY STATEMENT U/S 102 OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013

As required by Section 102 of The Companies Act, 2013; the following explanatory statements sets out all material facts relating to the business mentioned under Item No. 3 to 6 of the accompanying notice:

AGENDA NO. 3 to 5: Re-appointment of Ms. Mohini Agarwal (DIN: 07632857), Mr. Suraj Narayan Jaiswal (DIN: 08535572) and Mr. Umesh Kumar Dhanuka (DIN: 01666884) as an Independent Director of the Company:

Ms. Mohini Agarwal (DIN: 07632857), Mr. Suraj Narayan Jaiswal (DIN: 08535572) and Mr. Umesh Kumar Dhanuka (DIN: 01666884) are currently an Independent Director of the Company. Mr. Suraj Narayan Jaiswal is the Chairman and Member of the Audit Committee, Nomination and Remuneration Committee ('NRC') and Ms Mohini Agarwal is the Chairman of Stakeholders Relationship Committee. and Member of Audit Committee, Nomination and Remuneration Committee ('NRC')

Ms. Mohini Agarwal (DIN: 07632857), Mr. Suraj Narayan Jaiswal (DIN: 08535572) and Mr. Umesh Kumar Dhanuka (DIN: 01666884) were appointed as an Independent Director of the Company by the Members at the Annual General Meeting of the Company held on 29<sup>th</sup> September, 2020 for a period of five (5) consecutive years commencing from 29<sup>th</sup> September, 2020 and are eligible for re-appointment for a second term on the Board of the Company.

The NRC, taking into consideration the skills, expertise and competencies required for the Board in the context of the business and sectors of the Company and based on the performance evaluation has recommended to the Board that Ms. Mohini Agarwal (DIN: 07632857), Mr. Suraj Narayan Jaiswal (DIN: 08535572) and Mr. Umesh Kumar Dhanuka (DIN: 01666884) qualifications and the rich experience of over one decade in the above mentioned areas meets the skills and capabilities required for the role of Independent Director of the Company.

Based on the recommendation of the NRC, the Board of Directors at its Meeting held on 30<sup>th</sup> August, 2025, has proposed the re-appointment of Ms. Mohini Agarwal (DIN: 07632857), Mr. Suraj Narayan Jaiswal (DIN: 08535572) and Mr. Umesh Kumar Dhanuka (DIN: 01666884) as an Independent Director of the Company for a second term commencing from September 25, 2025 upto September 25, 2030 (both days inclusive), not liable to retire by rotation, for the approval of the Members by way of a Special Resolution.

The Board is of the opinion that Ms. Mohini Agarwal (DIN: 07632857), Mr. Suraj Narayan Jaiswal (DIN: 08535572) and Mr. Umesh Kumar Dhanuka (DIN: 01666884) continue to possess the identified core skills, expertise and competencies fundamental for effective functioning in their role as an Independent Director of the Company and their continued association would be of immense benefit to the Company.

The Company has in terms of Section 160(1) of the Act received a notice from a Member proposing their candidature for the office of Director. The Company has received a declaration from Ms. Mohini Agarwal (DIN: 07632857), Mr. Suraj Narayan Jaiswal (DIN: 08535572) and Mr. Umesh Kumar Dhanuka (DIN: 01666884) confirming that they continues to meet the criteria of independence as prescribed under Section 149(6) of the Act, read with the rules framed thereunder and Regulation 16(1)(b) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ('SEBI Listing Regulations'). In terms of Regulation 25(8) of the SEBI Listing Regulations, Ms. Mohini Agarwal (DIN: 07632857), Mr. Suraj Narayan Jaiswal (DIN: 08535572) and Mr. Umesh Kumar Dhanuka (DIN: 01666884) have confirmed that they are not aware of any circumstance or situation which exists or may be reasonably anticipated that could impair or impact their ability to discharge her duties.

Ms. Mohini Agarwal (DIN: 07632857), Mr. Suraj Narayan Jaiswal (DIN: 08535572) and Mr. Umesh Kumar Dhanuka (DIN: 01666884) have also confirmed that they are not debarred from holding the office of Director by virtue of any SEBI Order or any such authority pursuant to Circulars dated June 20, 2018 issued by BSE Limited pertaining to enforcement of SEBI Orders regarding appointment of Directors by the listed companies.

Further, Ms. Mohini Agarwal (DIN: 07632857), Mr. Suraj Narayan Jaiswal (DIN: 08535572) and Mr. Umesh Kumar Dhanuka (DIN: 01666884) have confirmed that they are not disqualified from being appointed as Director in terms of Section 164 of the Act and have given them consent to act as Director in terms of Section 152 of the Act, subject to re-appointment by the Members. In the opinion of the Board, Ms. Mohini Agarwal (DIN: 07632857), Mr. Suraj Narayan Jaiswal (DIN: 08535572) and Mr. Umesh Kumar Dhanuka (DIN: 01666884) fulfil the conditions specified in the Act, rules thereunder and the SEBI Listing Regulations for reappointment as an Independent Director and is independent of the Management.

In compliance with the provisions of Section 149 read with Schedule IV to the Act, Regulation 17 of the SEBI Listing Regulations and other applicable provisions of the Act and SEBI Listing Regulations, the reappointment of Ms. Mohini Agarwal (DIN: 07632857), Mr. Suraj Narayan Jaiswal (DIN: 08535572) and Mr. Umesh Kumar Dhanuka (DIN: 01666884) as an Independent Director is now placed for the approval of the Members by a Special Resolution.

The Board commends the Special Resolution set out in Item No. 3 to 5 of the accompanying Notice for approval of the Members. None of the Directors or Key Managerial Personnel of the Company or their respective relatives, except Ms. Mohini Agarwal (DIN: 07632857), Mr. Suraj Narayan Jaiswal (DIN: 08535572) and Mr. Umesh Kumar Dhanuka (DIN: 01666884) and their relatives, are concerned or interested, financially or otherwise, in the resolution set out at Item No. 3 to 5 of the accompanying Notice. Disclosures as required under Regulation 36(3) of the SEBI Listing Regulations and revised Standard-2 on General Meetings issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India are annexed to this Notice.

# ITEM NO: 6 - Appointment of Ms/. Kirti Sharma & Associates, Practicing Company Secretaries as the Secretarial Auditor of the Company:

Pursuant to the provisions of Regulation 24A of The Listing Regulations read with SEBI circular no. SEBI/HO/CFD/CFD-PoD-2/CIR/P/2024/185 dated December 31, 2024 and other prevailing circulars and based on the recommendation of the Audit Committee, the Board of Directors at its meeting held on 30<sup>th</sup> May, 2025 approved the appointment of M/s. Kirti Sharma & Associates, Practicing Company Secretaries, Kolkata having ICSI Unique Code: S2024WB960100 (Peer review certificate: 6789/2025) as the Secretarial Auditor of the Company, to hold office for a term of five consecutive years commencing from financial year 2025-26 to financial year 2029-30. The appointment is subject to approval of the shareholders of the Company at the 40th Annual General Meeting.

# <u>Information pursuant to Regulation 36(5) of The SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements)</u> <u>Regulations, 2015:</u>

#### **Proposed Fee:**

The fee proposed to Secretarial Auditors shall be decided by the Board. The proposed fee is based on knowledge, expertise and industry experience possessed by them. The proposed fee is also in line with the industry benchmarks. The fees for any other professional work including statutory certifications and other permissible non-audit services will be in addition to the audit fee as mentioned above and will be decided by the management in consultation with the Auditors.

Besides the secretarial audit services, the Company may also obtain certificates from the secretarial auditor under various statutory regulations and certifications required by banks, statutory authorities, audit related services and other permissible non-secretarial audit services as required from time to time, which they will be remunerated separately on mutually agreed terms, as approved by the Board of Directors in consultation with the Audit Committee.

### Credentials: Brief profile of secretarial auditor

CS Kirti Sharma, proprietor of M/s Kirti Sharma & Associates, Practicing Company Secretaries, Kolkata (ACS: 41645, CP: 26705) has over 9 years of post-qualification experience in the field of Secretarial and Legal matter of various companies. Exposure in Handling Public, Rights issues, Conducting AGMs, EGMs, Board Meeting, Secretarial Audits, and Financial Audits, well versed with Statutory Compliance under SEBI Regulations, Stock Exchange Listing Agreements, FEMA, RBI, ESI, PF, Company Law and related acts and also includes compliances under the provisions of The Companies Act, 2013 & other Statutory laws applicable to the companies, Formation of Companies, e-filings of various Forms with ROC, maintenance of statutory records, registers under The Companies Act, 2013, advises/opinions, drafting agreements/MOU's, mergers, acquisitions, compliances and Certifications required by various regulatory bodies for listed & unlisted Companies, viz Stock Exchange listing agreements, SEBI Guidelines, Corporate Governance reports, RBI, Banks & Financial Institutions, Secretarial Audit report, Secretarial due diligence report to the banks and others, liaison with ROC, RBI, Banks, Advocates for any legal matters of the companies.

#### **Rationale for recommendation:**

In accordance with Regulation 24A(1A) of The Listing Regulations, the company obtained confirmation on the eligibility criteria and that they are not disqualified to be appointed as Secretarial Auditor in terms of the SEBI circular dated December 31, 2024. The services to be rendered by M/s. Kirti Sharma & Associates, Practicing Company Secretaries, Kolkata as Secretarial Auditors is within the purview of the said regulation read with SEBI circular no. SEBI/ HO/CFD/CFD-PoD-2/CIR/P/2024/185 dated December 31, 2024.

The firm has agreed to the said appointment, and confirmed that their appointment, if made, would be within the limits specified under the Act. The Firm has also provided confirmation that it has subjected itself to the peer review process of The Institute of Company Secretaries of India (ICSI) and also holds a valid certificate issued by the 'Peer Review Board' of the ICSI.

The Board recommends the resolution as set out in the Item No. 6 of accompanying notice for the approval of members of the Company as an Ordinary Resolution.

None of the Director, Key Managerial Personnel, or their respective relatives are, in any way, concerned or interested, financially or otherwise, in the said resolution.