## SCHEME OF ARRANGEMENT BETWEEN

## BELVEDORE INTERNATIONAL LIMITED (TRANSFEROR COMPANY 1)

AND

KANVAS CONCEPTS PRIVATE LIMITED (TRANSFEROR COMPANY 2)

AND

KURLON RETAIL LIMITED (TRANSFEROR COMPANY 3)

**AND** 

KOMFORT UNIVERSE PRODUCTS AND SERVICES LIMITED (TRANSFEROR COMPANY 4)

AND

STARSHIP VALUE CHAIN AND MANUFACTURING
PRIVATE LIMITED
(TRANSFEROR COMPANY 5)

AND

KURLON ENTERPRISE LIMITED
(TRANSFEREE COMPANY / AMALGAMATING COMPANY)

**AND** 

SHEELA FOAM LIMITED (AMALGAMATED COMPANY)

Adhadeep of Mahey Road.

Mew Delhi
110001

**AND** 

## THEIR RESPECTIVE SHAREHOLDERS

# (UNDER SECTIONS 230 TO 232 AND OTHER APPLICABLE PROVISIONS OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013)



## PART A - GENERAL

#### 1. DESCRIPTION OF COMPANIES THAT ARE PARTIES TO THE SCHEME

- 1.1 Belvedore International Limited ("BIL") was incorporated as a public limited company on December 21, 2020, under the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 with corporate identification number U52520KA2020PLC142418 and having its registered office¹ situated at N-301, 3rd Floor, North Block Manipal Centre 47 Dickenson Road, Bangalore, Bangalore, Karnataka, India, 560042 ("hereinafter referred to as Transferor Company 1"). BIL is wholly owned subsidiary of KEL. BIL is engaged in the business of buying, selling, reselling, importing, exporting, transporting, storing, promoting, marketing, manufacturing or supplying, trading, dealing in any manner whatsoever in all type of goods including mattresses, pillows, furniture and other related products and services of international brands on retail and B2B basis in India.
- 1.2 Kanvas Concepts Private Limited ("KCPL") was incorporated as a private limited company on September 22, 2020, under the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 with corporate identification number U74999KA2020PTC138867 and having its registered office² situated at N-301, 3rd Floor, North Block Manipal Centre 47 Dickenson Road, Bangalore, Bangalore, Karnataka, India, 560042 ("hereinafter referred to as Transferor Company 2"). KCPL is wholly owned subsidiary of KEL. KCPL is engaged in the business of interiors & exteriors of Homes, stage designer, furnishing, designing, decorating, renovating and remodeling of bungalows, houses, shops, show rooms, complexes, apartments, offices, hotels, restaurants and other commercials and residential houses and for the purpose to act as organizer, consultant, advisor, trader, buyer, seller, supervisor, surveyor, broker, agent and to do all other incidental acts and things necessary for the attainment of the above objects.
- 1.3 Kurlon Retail Limited ("KRL") was incorporated as a public limited company on August 31, 2012, under the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 with corporate identification number U36104KA2012PLC065664 and having its registered office<sup>3</sup> situated at N-301, 3rd Floor, North

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> BIL has initiated the process of shifting its registered office from the State of Karnataka to the State of Maharashtra. It is in the process of obtaining the requisite approvals in accordance with applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013. It may be noted that since the new registered office would be located in the State of Maharashtra, the jurisdictional NCLT for filing the application and petition pursuant to this Composite Scheme of Arrangement would be NCLT Mumbai.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> KCPL has initiated the process of shifting its registered office from the State of Kernataka to the State of Maharashtra. It is in the process of obtaining the requisite approvals in accordance with applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013. It may be noted that since the new registered office would be located in the State of Maharashtra, the jurisdictional NCLT for filling the application and petition pursuant to this Composite Scheme of Arrangement would be NCLT Mumbai.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> KRL has initiated the process of shifting its registered office from the State of Karnataka to the State of Maharashtra. It is in the process of obtaining the requisite approvals in accordance with applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013. It may be noted that since the new registered office would be located in the State of

Block Manipal Centre 47 Dickenson Road, Bangalore, Bangalore, Karnataka, India, 560042 ("hereinafter referred to as **Transferor Company 3**"). KRL is wholly owned subsidiary of KEL. KRL is engaged in the business of buying, selling, storing, promoting, marketing, supplying, trading and dealing in mattresses, pillow, sofa and furniture on retail in India.

- 1.4 Komfort Universe Products and Services Limited ("KUPSL") was incorporated as a public limited company on January 18, 2021, under the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 with corporate identification number U52520KA2021PLC143244 and having its registered office<sup>4</sup> situated at N-301, 3rd Floor, North Block Manipal Centre 47 Dickenson Road, Bangalore, Bangalore, Karnataka, India, 560042 ("hereinafter referred to as **Transferor Company 4**"). KUPSL is wholly owned subsidiary of KEL. KUPSL is engaged in the business of buying, selling, reselling, importing, exporting, transporting, storing, promoting, marketing, supplying, dealing and trading of semi-finished goods (SFG), foam products, RC Pads, EPE Products and other related products and services on B2B basis in India and outside India.
- 1.5 Starship Value Chain and Manufacturing Private Limited ("SVCMPL") was incorporated as a private limited company on October 09, 2020, under the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 with corporate identification number U36900KA2020PTC139535 and having its registered office<sup>5</sup> situated at N-301, 3rd Floor, North Block Manipal Centre 47 Dickenson Road, Bangalore, Bangalore, Karnataka, India, 560042 ("hereinafter referred to as Transferor Company 5"). SVCMPL is wholly owned subsidiary of KEL. SVCMPL is engaged in the business as manufacturer, designers, buyers, sellers, importers, exporters, workers, transporters, suppliers of all types of home comfort products, home décor items including furniture, mattresses, pillows, cushions, perfumers on retail and manufacture of all types of furniture equipment appliances for domestic, office, industrial as well as on wholesale basis in India as well as outside India.
- 1.6 Kurlon Enterprise Limited ("KEL") was incorporated as a public limited company on October 03, 2011, under the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 with corporate identification number U36101MH2011PLC222657 and having its registered office situated at #1002/1006, The Avenue,

Maharashtra, the jurisdictional NCLT for filing the application and petition pursuant to this Composite Scheme of Arrangement would be NCLT Mumbai.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> **KUPSL** has initiated the process of shifting its registered office from the State of Karnataka to the State of Maharashtra. It is in the process of obtaining the requisite approvals in accordance with applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013. It may be noted that since the new registered office would be located in the State of Maharashtra, the jurisdictional NCLT for filing the application and petition pursuant to this Composite Scheme of Arrangement would be NCLT Mumbai.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> **SVCMPL** has initiated the process of shifting its registered office from the State of Karnataka to the State of Maharashtra. It is in the process of obtaining the requisite approvals in accordance with applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013. It may be noted that since the new registered office would be located in the State of Maharashtra, the jurisdictional NCLT for filing the application and petition pursuant to this Composite Scheme of Arrangement would be NCLT Mumbai.

International A Opp. Hotel Leela, Andheri (East), Mumbai, Maharashtra, India, 400059 ("hereinafter referred to as **Transferee Company**" or the **"Amalgamating Company**"). KEL is engaged in the business of manufacturing/trading in diverse areas such as rubberized coir, latex foam, polyurethane foam, bonded foam, pillows, spring mattresses, furniture, furnishings, sofas etc.

1.7 Sheela Foam Limited ("SFL") was incorporated as a public limited company on May 18, 1971, under the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 with corporate identification number L74899DL1971PLC005679 and having its registered office<sup>6</sup> situated at 604 Ashadeep, 9 Hailey Road, New Delhi, New Delhi, Delhi, India, 110001 ("hereinafter referred to as "Amalgamated Company"). The equity shares of SFL are listed on BSE Limited ("BSE") and National Stock Exchange of India Limited ("NSE") (collectively hereinafter referred to as "Stock Exchanges". SFL is engaged in the business of manufacture flexible, semi-flexible and rigid Poly-Urethane Foam slabs and allied products and processing and fabrication thereof and mattresses and cushions upholstery material, manufacture of furniture; packing material and insulation material, moulding of rigid Poly- Urethane for various shapes and size and manufacture of jackets and such other items by way of lamination of Poly-Urethane Foam with fabric and manufacture of products that may be allied or may be usefully combined with manufacture of any of the material mentioned above.

### 2. OVERVIEW OF THE SCHEME

This Composite Scheme of Arrangement ("Scheme") provides for (i) Amalgamation of Transferor Company 1, Transferor Company 2, Transferor Company 3, Transferor Company 4, Transferor Company 5 (collectively hereinafter referred to as the Transferor Companies), respectively into Transferee Company, with effect from the Appointed Date (as defined hereinafter) and the consequent dissolution of the Transferor Companies without being wound up and (ii) Amalgamation of Amalgamating Company with Amalgamated Company with effect from the Appointed Date (as defined hereinafter) and the consequent dissolution of the Amalgamating Company without being wound up; and issuance of the shares New Equity Shares (as defined hereinafter) to the equity shareholders of Amalgamating Company in accordance with Share Exchange Ratio (as defined hereinafter), pursuant to section 230-232, and other relevant provisions of the Companies Act, in the matter provided for in this Scheme and in compliance with the provisions of the Income Tax Act (as defined hereinafter) ("Amalgamation").

## 3. RATIONALE OF THE SCHEME

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> SFL has initiated the process of shifting its registered office from the State of Delhi to the State of Maharashtra and has filed the requisite MCA forms before Regional Director, Northern Region. It is in the process of obtaining the requisite approval in accordance with applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013. It may be noted that since the new registered office would be located in the State of Maharashtra, the jurisdictional NCLT for filing the application and petition pursuant to this Composite Scheme of Arrangement would be NCLT Mumbai.

- 3.1 The rationale for the Composite Scheme of Amalgamation is set out below:
  - 3.1.1 The Amalgamating Company, alongwith Transferor Companies, has been the second largest mattress manufacturer, with leadership position in southern and eastern parts of the country, apart from sizeable presence in other parts. Also, the Amalgamating Company is approximately 70-year-old company with a very strong brand.

The Board of Directors of the Amalgamated Company in its meeting held on July 17, 2023, had approved the acquisition of the Amalgamating Company, along with Transferor Companies, with a view to further strengthen the leadership position in the mattress and foam segments across the country.

The intent of acquisition of the Amalgamating Company, alongwith Transferor Companies was always to run all the companies, as one-operation going forward i.e. subsequently amalgamate the companies into a single entity.

The Scheme would inter-alia have the following benefits:

- (a) Procurement synergies arising on account of higher volume discounts, and ability to negotiate best possible prices;
- (b) Deeper manufacturing footprint, as materials of both the business can be made in any plant location, resulting in enhanced efficiency as well as reduction in servicing time:
- (c) Rationalization of logistic costs considering the combined volume;
- (d) Open-up the door for a new sales channel strategy, enhancing penetration/coverage and leading to better sales;
- (e) Structured, sharper and better management focusing on holistic growth of the businesses;
- (f) Optimum and efficient utilization of resources and sharing of ancillary facilities;
- (g) Common governance structure and effective management of compliances;
- (h) Enhancing shareholder value and leveraging on synergies in doing the business;
   and
- Cost saving by way of reduction of overheads, administrative, managerial and other expenditure and to bring about operational rationalization and efficiency.
- 3.1.2 Given the above, and similarity in nature of businesses of the Transferor Companies, the Amalgamating Company and the Amalgamated Company, it is proposed to merge the Transferor Companies with Amalgamating Company (pursuant to Part C of this Scheme) and

(post Part C comes into effect) merge the Amalgamating company with Amalgamated Company (pursuant to Part D of this Scheme). The merger shall result in greater business synergies and reduced administrative and other costs.



- 4. This Scheme is divided into following parts and further details thereunder:
- 4.1 Part A Deals with the general description of the companies that are parties to the Scheme, overview of the Scheme and the rationale and benefits of the Scheme
- 4.2 Part B Deals with the definitions and interpretations and sets out the share capital of the respective parties to the Scheme
- 4.3 Part C Deals with the amalgamation of Transferor Companies with the Transferee Company
- 4.4 Part D Deals with the amalgamation of Amalgamating Company with the Amalgamated Company
- 4.5 Part E Deals with the general terms and conditions applicable to this Scheme

The Scheme also provides for various other matters consequential, incidental or otherwise integrally connected herewith.



### PART B - DEFINITIONS, INTERPRETATIONS AND SHARE CAPITAL

#### 5. **DEFINITIONS**

- 5.1 In this Part B of the Scheme, unless repugnant to the meaning or context thereof, the following expressions shall have the following meaning:
  - (a) "Act" or "the Act" or "the Companies Act" or "the Companies Act, 2013" means the Companies Act, 2013 and rules made thereunder or any statutory modification, amendment or re-enactment thereof:
  - (b) "Amalgamated Company" shall have the meaning set forth in Clause 1.6;
  - (c) "Amalgamating Company" or the "Transferee Company" shall have the meaning set forth in Clause 1.5;
  - (d) "Amalgamation" shall have the meaning set forth in Clause 2.1;
  - (e) "Appointed Date" means October 20, 2023, or such other date as may be approved by the Hon'ble NCLT;
  - (f) "Applicable Law" means all applicable (a) statutes, enactments, acts of legislature or parliament, laws, ordinances, code, rules, bye-laws, regulations, listing agreements, notifications, guidelines or policies of any applicable country and/or jurisdiction; (b) administrative interpretation, writ, injunction, directions, directives, judgment, arbitral award, decree, orders or governmental approvals of, or agreements with, any Governmental Authority or recognized stock exchange; and (c) international treaties, conventions and protocols, as may be in force from time to time;
  - (g) "Board of Directors", in relation to a Party, shall mean the Board of Directors of such Party, and shall include a committee of directors or any person authorized by such board of directors or such committee of directors;
  - (h) "Composite Scheme of Arrangement" or "this Scheme" or "the Scheme" means this Scheme of Arrangement, pursuant to Section 230 to 232 and other applicable provisions of the Act, in its present form with such modifications and amendments as may be made in accordance with the terms thereof;
  - (i) "Effective Date" means the date on which the certified copy/ies of the order/orders of the Tribunal sanctioning the Scheme is/are filed by the Parties with the Registrar of Companies



after the last of the approvals or events specified in Clause 39 of the Scheme are satisfied or have occurred or obtained or the requirement of which have been waived (in writing) in accordance with this Scheme. Reference in this Scheme to the date of "coming into effect of this Scheme" or "coming into effect of the Scheme" or "effectiveness of this Scheme" or "effect of this Scheme" or "upon the Scheme becoming effective" or "the Scheme coming into effect" shall mean the Effective Date;

- (j) "Encumbrance" or "Encumbered" means: (i) any mortgage, charge (whether fixed or floating), pledge, lien, negative lien, power of attorney (conferring power to create charge or security), agreement to create charge or security, any contractual restriction on ability to dispose assets, hypothecation, assignment, deed of trust, title retention, security interest or other encumbrance or interest of any kind securing, or conferring any priority of payment in respect of any obligation of any Person, including any right granted by a transaction which, in legal terms, is not the granting of security but which has an economic or financial effect similar to the granting of security under Applicable Law; (ii) a contract to give or refrain from giving any of the foregoing; (iii) any voting agreement, interest, option, right of first offer, refusal or transfer restriction in favour of any Person; and (iv) any adverse claim as to title, possession or use;
- (k) "Governmental Authority" means any governmental or statutory or regulatory or administrative authority, government department, agency, commission, board, tribunal or court or other entity authorized to make laws, rules or regulations or pass directions, having or purporting to have jurisdiction over any state or other sub-division thereof or any municipality, district or other sub-division thereof having jurisdiction pursuant to the Applicable Law, including SEBI
- (I) "Income Tax Act" means the Income Tax Act, 1961, including any statutory modifications, enactments or amendments thereof for the time being in force;
- (m) "New Equity Shares" shall have the meaning set forth in Clause 27.1;
- (n) "NCLT" or "The Tribunal" shall mean the Hon'ble National Company Law Tribunal at Mumbai, having applicable jurisdiction;
- (o) "Parties" shall mean collectively, the Transferor Companies, the Amalgamating Company and the Amalgamated Company, and "Party" shall mean any one of them, as the case may be
- (p) "Record Date" means such date after the Effective Date as may be fixed by the Board of Directors of the Amalgamated Company for determining the equity shareholders of the



- Amalgamating Company who will be allotted New Equity Shares of the Amalgamated Company pursuant to the Scheme being effective.
- "SEBI" means the Securities and Exchange Board of India, constituted under the Securities and Exchange Board of India Act, 1992;
- (r) "SEBI Circular" means the circular issued by the SEBI, being Master Circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/DIL1/CIR/P/2021/0000000665 dated November 23, 2021 read with SEBI circular No. SEBI/HO/DDHS/DDHS-RACPODI/P/CIR/2022/156 dated November 17, 2022 and any amendments thereof issued pursuant to Regulations 11, 37, 59A, 94 and 94A of the SEBI LODR Regulations or any other circular(s) issued by SEBI with respect to scheme of amalgamation or arrangement;
- (s) "SEBI LODR Regulations" means the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended from time to time;
- (t) "Stock Exchanges" means BSE Limited ("BSE"), National Stock Exchange of India Limited ("NSE") and any other recognized stock exchange, as the case may be.
- (u) "Tax" or "Taxes" means: (a) all forms of direct tax and indirect tax, surcharge, fee, levy, duty, tariff, charge, impost and other charges of any kind, withholding or other amount whenever or wherever created or imposed by, or payable to any tax authority; (b) all charges, interest, penalties and fines incidental or relating to any tax falling within (a) above or which arise as a result of the failure to pay any tax on the due date or to comply with any obligation relating to tax; and (c) all credits/refunds/benefits in relation to direct tax and indirect tax, surcharge, fee, levy, duty, tariff, charge, impost and other credits/refunds/benefits of any kind, withholding or other amount whenever or wherever entitled from any tax authority;
- (v) "Transferor Companies" shall have the meaning set forth in Clause 2.1, and "Transferor Company" shall mean any one of them, as the case may be;
- (w) "Tribunal" means the National Company Law Tribunal, Mumbai Bench and shall include, if applicable, such other forum or authority as may be vested with the powers of a National Company Law Tribunal under the Companies Act
- (x) "Undertakings" means and includes the whole of the business, undertakings, assets, properties, investments and all the liabilities of the Transferor Companies, of whatsoever nature and kind and wherever situated, on a going concern and with continuity of business of each of the Transferor Companies which shall mean and shall include (without limitation):



- All their assets and properties (tangible or intangible, moveable or immovable (if any), real or personal, corporeal or incorporeal, present, future or contingent) of the respective Transferor Companies, including, without being limited to, computers, equipment, offices and other premises, sundry debtors, furniture, fixtures, interiors, office equipment, accessories, deposits, all stocks, assets, investments of all kinds (including shares, scripts, stocks, bonds, debenture stocks, units or pass through certificates), cash balances or deposits with banks, loans, advances, contingent rights or benefits, book debts, receivables, Taxes paid, actionable claims, earnest moneys, margin moneys, security deposits, advances or deposits paid by the respective Transferor Companies, financial assets, leases (including but not limited to leasehold rights of the respective Transferor Companies), and assets, lending contracts, rights and benefits under any agreement, benefit of any security arrangements or under any guarantees, reversions, powers, municipal permissions, tenancies or licenses in relation to the offices, fixed and other assets, intangible assets (including but not limited to software) and intellectual property rights of any nature whatsoever; rights to use and avail of telephones, telexes, facsimile, email, internet, leased line connections, and installations, utilities, electricity and other services, reserves, provisions, funds, benefits of assets or properties or other interest held in trust, registrations, contracts, engagements, arrangements of all kind, privileges and all other rights, title, interests, other benefits (including Tax benefits), credits (including Tax credits), credit arising from advance Tax, self-assessment Tax, withholding Tax credits, foreign Tax credits, any Tax refunds and credits, minimum alternate Tax credit entitlement, Central Value Added Tax ("CENVAT") credit, goods and service Tax credit, other indirect Tax credits. any Tax incentives, benefits (including claims for carried forward Tax losses and unabsorbed Tax depreciation), advantages, privileges, exemptions, credits, Tax holidays, remission, reductions and any other claims under any Tax laws; subsidies, easements, privileges, liberties and advantages of whatsoever nature and wheresoever situate belonging to or in the ownership, power or possession and in the control of or vested in or granted in favour of or enjoyed by the respective Transferor Companies or in connection with or relating to the respective Transferor Companies and all other interests of whatsoever nature belonging to or in the ownership, power, possession or the control of or vested in or granted in favour of or held for the benefit of or enjoyed by the respective Transferor Companies
- All contracts (including but not limited to the agreements with respect to the immovable properties being used by the respective Transferor Companies by way of lease and/or license and/or business arrangements), rights, agreements, memoranda of understanding, memoranda of undertakings, memoranda of agreements, memoranda of agreed points, minutes of meetings, letters of intent, understanding, equipment



purchase agreement, agreements with customers, purchase and other agreement with the supplier/manufacturer of goods/service providers, undertakings, deeds, bonds and schemes; entitlements, licenses (including the licenses granted by any Governmental Authority for the purpose of carrying on the respective businesses of the Transferor Companies or in connection therewith), permits, clearances, permissions, incentives, approvals (including municipal approvals), allocations, registrations, Tax benefits, subsidies, concessions, grants, credits, awards, exemptions, qualifications, bid acceptances, tenders, certificates, rights, statutory rights, claims, leases, licenses, right to use and/ or access, tenancy rights, liberties, special status and other benefits or privileges; quota rights, engagements, arrangements, authorities, allotments and security arrangements (to the extent provided herein); benefits of any guarantees, reversions, powers and all other approvals, sanctions and consents of every kind, nature and description whatsoever relating to the respective Transferor Companies' business activities and operations and that may be required to carry on the operations of the respective Transferor Companies:

- All intellectual property rights, registrations, trademarks, trade names, computer
  programmes, manuals, data, service marks, copyrights, patents, designs, domain
  names, applications for trademarks, trade names, service marks, copyrights, designs
  and domain names and all software, and all the website contents (including text,
  graphics, images, audio, video and data) exclusively used by or held for use by the
  respective Transferor Companies in their respective businesses, activities and
  operations carried on by the Transferor Companies;
- All books, records, files, papers, engineering and process information, application software, software licenses (whether proprietary or otherwise), test reports, computer programmes, drawings, manuals, data, databases including databases for procurement, commercial and management, catalogues, quotations, sales and advertising materials, product registrations, dossiers, lists of present and former borrowers, lenders and suppliers including service providers, other borrower information, customer credit information, customer/supplier pricing information, and all other books and records, whether in physical or electronic form;
- All amounts claimed by the respective Transferor Companies whether or not so recorded in the books of account of the respective Transferor Companies from any Governmental Authority, under any law, act or rule in force, as refund of any Tax, duty, cess or of any excess payment;
- All rights to any claim not preferred or made by the respective Transferor Companies in respect of any refund of Tax, duty, cess or other charge, including any erroneous or

excess payment thereof made by the respective Transferor Companies and any interest thereon, with regard to any law, act or rule or scheme made by the Governmental Authority, and in respect of set-off, carry forward of un-absorbed losses and unabsorbed Tax depreciation, deferred revenue expenditure, deduction, exemption, rebate, allowance, amortization benefit, incentives, benefits, Tax holidays, credits, etc. under the Income Tax Act, sales Tax, value added Tax, service Tax, custom duties, and goods and service Tax or any other or like benefits under the said acts or under and in accordance with Applicable Law:

- All debts and liabilities, both present and future, whether or not provided in the books of accounts or disclosed in the balance sheet of the respective Transferor Companies, including all secured, if any, and unsecured debts (whether denominated in Indian rupees or a foreign currency), liabilities (including deferred Tax liabilities, contingent liabilities) of every kind, nature and description whatsoever and howsoever arising, raised or incurred or utilized for their respective business activities and operations along with any charge, guarantees, assurances, deposits, time and demand liabilities, borrowings, bills payable, interest accrued, Tax liabilities, debentures, duties, leases of the respective Transferor Companies, guarantees, sundry creditors, and all other obligations of whatsoever kind, nature and description whatsoever and howsoever arising, raised or incurred or utilized, whether or not contingent or disputed or the subject matter of any court, arbitration, tribunal, forum or other proceedings including before any Governmental Authority. Provided that, any reference in the security documents or arrangements entered into by the respective Transferor Companies, if any, and under which, the assets of the respective Transferor Companies stand offered as a security, for any financial assistance or obligation, the said reference shall be construed as a reference to the assets pertaining to the respective Undertakings of the Transferor Companies only as are vested in the Transferee Company by virtue of Part C of the Scheme and the Scheme shall not operate to enlarge the security for any loan, deposit or facility created by the respective Transferor Companies which shall vest in the Transferee Company by virtue of the Scheme and the Transferee Company shall not be obliged to create any further or additional security thereof after the Effective Date or otherwise
- All of their respective staff and employees, if any, who are on their respective payrolls, including those employed at their respective offices, and other obligations of whatsoever kind, including liabilities of each of the Transferor Companies, with regard to their staff and employees, with respect to the payment of gratuity, superannuation, pension benefits and the provident fund or compensation, if any, and any other benefit



in the event of resignation, death, voluntary retirement or retrenchment and any other obligations under any licenses and/ or permits; and

All Proceedings of whatsoever nature involving the respective Transferor Companies

It is intended that the definition of Undertakings under this clause would enable the transfer of all property, assets, liabilities, employees, etc. of the Transferor Companies to the Transferee Company pursuant to this Scheme.

- (y) "Undertaking of Amalgamating Company" means the Amalgamating Company together with the Undertakings of the respective Transferor Companies, transferred to and vested in the Amalgamating Company, upon effectiveness of Part C of the Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date, and includes all the business, undertakings, assets, properties, investments and all liabilities of the Amalgamating Company, of whatsoever nature and kind and wherever situated, on a going concern basis, and with continuity of business of the Amalgamating Company, which shall mean and include without limitation:
  - All the assets and properties (tangible or intangible, moveable or immovable, real or personal, corporeal or incorporeal, present, future or contingent) of the Amalgamating Company, including, without being limited to, computers, equipment, offices and other premises, sundry debtors, furniture, fixtures, interiors, office equipment, including other equipment, accessories, deposits, all stocks, assets, investments of all kinds (including shares, scripts, stocks, bonds, debenture stocks, units or pass through certificates), cash balances or deposits with banks, loans, advances, contingent rights or benefits, book debts, receivables, Taxes paid, actionable claims, earnest moneys, margin moneys, security deposits, advances or deposits paid by the Amalgamating Company, financial assets, leases (including but not limited to leasehold rights of the Amalgamating Company), and assets, lending contracts, rights and benefits under any agreement, benefit of any security arrangements or under any guarantees, reversions, powers, municipal permissions, tenancies or licenses in relation to the offices, fixed and other assets, intangible assets (including but not limited to software) and intellectual property rights of any nature whatsoever; rights to use and avail of telephones, telexes, facsimile, email, internet, leased line connections and installations, utilities, electricity and other services, reserves, provisions, funds, benefits of assets or properties or other interest held in trust, registrations, contracts, engagements, arrangements of all kind, privileges and all other rights, title, interests, other benefits (including Tax benefits), credits (including Tax credits), credit arising from advance Tax, self-assessment Tax, withholding Tax credits, foreign Tax credits, any Tax refunds and credits, minimum alternate Tax credit entitlement, CENVAT credit, goods and service Tax credit, other indirect Tax credits, any Tax incentives, benefits

(including claims for carried forward Tax losses and unabsorbed Tax depreciation) advantages, privileges, exemptions, credits, Tax holidays, remission, reductions and any other claims under any Tax laws; subsidies, easements, privileges, liberties and advantages of whatsoever nature and wheresoever situate belonging to or in the ownership, power or possession and in the control of or vested in or granted in favour of or enjoyed by the Amalgamating Company or in connection with or relating to the Amalgamating Company and all other interests of whatsoever nature belonging to or in the ownership, power, possession or the control of or vested in or granted in favour of or held for the benefit of or enjoyed by the Amalgamating Company;

- All contracts (including but not limited to the agreements with respect to the immovable properties being used by the Amalgamating Company by way of lease and/or license and/or business arrangements), rights, agreements, memoranda of understanding, memoranda of undertakings, memoranda of agreements, memoranda of agreed points, minutes of meetings, letters of intent, understanding, equipment purchase agreement, agreements with customers, purchase and other agreement with the supplier/manufacturer of goods/service providers, undertakings, deeds, bonds and schemes; entitlements, licenses (including the licenses granted by any Governmental Authority for the purpose of carrying on the business of the Amalgamating Company or in connection therewith), permits, permissions, incentives, approvals (including municipal approvals), allocations, registrations. Tax benefits, subsidies, concessions, grants, credits, awards, exemptions, qualifications, bid acceptances, tenders, certificates, rights, statutory rights, claims, leases, licenses, right to use and/ or access, tenancy rights, liberties, special status and other benefits or privileges; quota rights, engagements, arrangements, authorities, allotments and security arrangements (to the extent provided herein); benefits of any guarantees, reversions, powers and all other approvals, sanctions and consents of every kind, nature and description whatsoever relating to the Amalgamating Company's business activities and operations and that may be required to carry on the operations of the Amalgamating Company:
- All intellectual property rights, registrations, trademarks, trade names, computer programmes, manuals, data, service marks, copyrights, patents, designs, domain names, applications for trademarks, trade names, service marks, copyrights, designs and domain names and all software, and all the website contents (including text, graphics, images, audio, video and data) exclusively used by or held for use by the Amalgamating Company in the business, activities and operations carried on by the Amalgamating Company;

- All books, records, files, papers, engineering and process information, application software, software licenses (whether proprietary or otherwise), test reports, computer programmes, drawings, manuals, data, databases including databases for procurement, commercial and management, catalogues, quotations, sales and advertising materials, product registrations, dossiers, lists of present and former borrowers, lenders and suppliers including service providers, other borrower information, customer credit information, customer/supplier pricing information, and all other books and records, whether in physical or electronic form;
- All amounts claimed by the Amalgamating Company whether or not so recorded in the books of account of the Amalgamating Company from any Governmental Authority, under any law, act or rule in force, as refund of any Tax, duty, cess or of any excess payment;
- All rights to any claim not preferred or made by the Amalgamating Company in respect of any refund of Tax, duty, cess or other charge, including any erroneous or excess payment thereof made by the Amalgamating Company and any interest thereon, with regard to any law, act or rule or scheme made by the Governmental Authority, and in respect of set-off, carry forward of un-absorbed losses and unabsorbed Tax depreciation, deferred revenue expenditure, deduction, exemption, rebate, allowance, amortization benefit, incentives, benefits, Tax holidays, credits, etc., under the Income Tax Act, sales Tax, value added Tax, service Tax, custom duties, and goods and service Tax or any other or like benefits under the said acts or under and in accordance With Applicable Law;
- All debts and liabilities, both present and future, whether or not provided in the books of accounts or disclosed in the balance sheet of the Amalgamating Company, including all secured and unsecured debts (whether denominated in Indian rupees or a foreign currency), liabilities (including deferred Tax liabilities, contingent liabilities) of every kind, nature and description whatsoever and howsoever arising, raised or incurred or utilized for its business activities and operations along with any charge, assurances, deposits, time and demand liabilities, borrowings, bills payable, interest accrued, Tax liabilities, debentures, bonds, notes, duties, leases of the Amalgamating Company, guarantees, sundry creditors, and all other obligations of whatsoever kind, nature and description whatsoever and howsoever arising, raised or incurred or utilized, whether or not contingent or disputed or the subject matter of any court, arbitration, tribunal, forum or other proceedings including before any Governmental Authority. Provided that, any reference in the security documents or arrangements entered into by the Amalgamating Company and under which, the assets of the Amalgamating Company stand offered as a security, for any financial assistance or obligation, the said reference in the security for any financial assistance or obligation, the said reference in the security for any financial assistance or obligation, the said reference in the security for any financial assistance or obligation, the said reference in the security for any financial assistance or obligation, the said reference in the security for any financial assistance or obligation, the said reference in the security for any financial assistance or obligation, the said reference in the security for any financial assistance or obligation, the said reference in the security for any financial assistance or obligation, the said reference in the security for any financial assistance or obligation.

shall be construed as a reference to the assets pertaining to that Undertaking of the Amalgamating Company only as are vested in the Amalgamated Company by virtue of the Scheme and the Scheme shall not operate to enlarge the security for any loan, deposit or facility created by the Amalgamating Company which shall vest in the Amalgamated Company by virtue of the Scheme and the Amalgamated Company shall not be obliged to create any further or additional security thereof after the Effective Date or otherwise

- All of its staff and employees, who are on its payrolls, including those employed at its offices and branches, including overseas offices, employees/personnel engaged on contract basis and contract labourers and interns/trainees, as are primarily engaged in or in relation to the business, activities and operations carried on by the Amalgamating Company and other obligations of whatsoever kind, including liabilities of the Amalgamating Company with regard to its staff and employees, with respect to the payment of gratuity, superannuation, pension benefits, the provident fund or compensation, if any, and any other employee benefit scheme/plan in the event of resignation, death, voluntary retirement or retrenchment and any other obligations under any licenses and/ or permits; and
- All Proceedings whatsoever nature involving the Amalgamating Company

#### 6. INTERPRETATIONS

- 6.1 The expressions which are used in this Scheme and not defined, shall, unless repugnant or contrary to the context or meaning hereof, have the same meaning ascribed to them under the Act, the Securities Contracts (Regulation) Act, 1956, the Securities and Exchange Board of India Act, 1992, the Depositories Act, 1996 and other applicable laws, rules, regulations, bye-laws, as the case may be, or any statutory modification or re-enactment thereof from time to time.
- 6.2 References to any law or legislation or regulation shall include amendment(s), circulars, notifications, clarifications or supplement(s) to, or replacement or amendment of, that law or legislation or regulation.
- 6.3 References to any of the terms Taxes, duty, levy or cess in the Scheme shall be construed as reference to all of them whether jointly or severally.
- 6.4 The words "include" and "including" are to be construed without limitation.
- 6.5 The terms "hereof", "herein", "hereby", "hereto" and derivative or similar words shall refer to this entire Scheme or specified Clauses of this Scheme, as the case may be.

6.6 Any reference to the Recital or Clause shall be a reference the Recital or Clause of this Scheme

### 7. DATE OF COMING INTO EFFECT

- 7.1 The Scheme set out herein, in its present form or with such modifications or amendments, approved or imposed or directed by the NCLT or other appropriate authority, shall be effective from the Appointed Date herein, although it shall be operative from the Effective Date.
- 7.2 The amalgamation of the Transferor Companies with the Transferee Company, and the amalgamation of the Amalgamating Company with the Amalgamated Company shall be in accordance with Section 2(1B) of the Income Tax Act. If any terms or provisions of the Scheme are found to be or interpreted to be inconsistent with Section 2(1B) of the Income Tax Act at a later date, whether as a result of any amendment of law or any judicial or executive interpretation or for any other reason whatsoever, the aforesaid provision of the Income Tax Act shall prevail. The Scheme shall then stand modified to the extent deemed necessary to comply with the said provisions. Such modification will however not affect other parts of the Scheme.

### 8. SHARE CAPITAL

### 8.1 Transferor Company 1

The authorized, issued, subscribed and paid-up share capital of Transferor Company 1 as on March 31, 2023 is as follows:

PARTICULARS	AMOUNT (Rs)
AUTHORIZED CAPITAL	
50,000 Equity Shares of Rs 10/- each	5,00,000
Total	5,00,000
ISSUED, SUBSCRIBED AND PAID-UP CAPITAL	
50,000 Equity Shares of Rs 10/- each	5,00,000
Total	5,00,000

### 8.2 Transferor Company 2

The authorized, issued, subscribed and paid-up share capital of Transferor Company 2 as on March 31, 2023 is as follows:

PARTICULARS	AMOUNT (Rs)
AUTHORIZED CAPITAL	
1,50,000 Equity Shares of Rs 10/- each	15,00,000
Total	15,00,000
ISSUED, SUBSCRIBED AND PAID-UP CAPITAL	

10,000 Equity Shares of Rs 10/- each	1,00,000
Total	1,00,000

## 8.3 Transferor Company 3

The authorized, issued, subscribed and paid-up share capital of Transferor Company 3 as on March 31, 2023 is as follows:

PARTICULARS	AMOUNT (Rs)
AUTHORIZED CAPITAL	
4,00,00,000 Equity Shares of Rs 5/- each	20,00,00,000
Total	20,00,00,000
ISSUED, SUBSCRIBED AND PAID-UP CAPITAL	
1,52,66,666 Equity Shares of Rs 5/- each	7,63,33,330
Total	7,63,33,330

## 8.4 Transferor Company 4

The authorized, issued, subscribed and paid-up share capital of Transferor Company 4 as on March 31, 2023 is as follows:

PARTICULARS	AMOUNT (Rs)
AUTHORIZED CAPITAL	
50,000 Equity Shares of Rs 10/- each	5,00,000
Total	5,00,000
ISSUED, SUBSCRIBED AND PAID-UP CAPITAL	
50,000 Equity Shares of Rs 10/- each	5,00,000
Total	5,00,000

## 8.5 Transferor Company 5

The authorized, issued, subscribed and paid-up share capital of Transferor Company 5 as on March 31, 2023 is as follows:

PARTICULARS	AMOUNT (Rs)
AUTHORIZED CAPITAL	
5000 Equity Shares of Rs 10/- each	50,000
Total	50,000
ISSUED, SUBSCRIBED AND PAID-UP CAPITAL	
5000 Equity Shares of Rs 10/- each	50,000
Total	50,000



## 8.6 Amalgamating Company

The authorized, issued, subscribed and paid-up share capital of Amalgamating Company as on March 31, 2023 is as follows:

PARTICULARS	AMOUNT (Rs)
AUTHORIZED CAPITAL	
15,06,00,000 Equity Shares of Rs 5/- each	75,30,00,000
Total	75,30,00,000
ISSUED, SUBSCRIBED AND PAID-UP CAPITAL	
3,65,52,261 Equity Shares of Rs 5/- each	18,27,61,305
Total	18,27,61,305

## 8.7 Amalgamated Company

The authorized, issued, subscribed and paid-up share capital of Amalgamated Company as on March 31, 2023 is as follows:

PARTICULARS	AMOUNT (Rs)
AUTHORIZED CAPITAL	
20,00,00,000 Equity shares of Rs.5/- each	1,00,00,00,000
Total	1,00,00,00,000
ISSUED, SUBSCRIBED AND PAID-UP CAPITAL	
9,75,65,616 Equity Shares of Rs. 5/- each	48,78,28,080
Total	48,78,28,080

The equity shares of the Amalgamated Company are listed on the Stock Exchanges.



## PART C – AMALGAMATION OF TRANSFEROR COMPANIES WITH THE TRANSFEREE COMPANY

- 9. TRANSFER AND VESTING OF THE RESPECTIVE ASSETS OF THE TRANSFEROR COMPANIES WITH THE TRANSFEREE COMPANY
- 9.1 Upon the coming into effect of this Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date and subject to the provisions of the Scheme, each of the Transferor Companies, shall stand amalgamated into the Transferee Company and their respective Undertakings shall, pursuant to the sanction of the Scheme by the Tribunal and pursuant to the provisions of Sections 230 to 232 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, be and stand transferred to and vested in and/ or be deemed to have been transferred to and vested in the Transferee Company, as a going concern, in accordance with Section 2(1B) of the Income Tax Act, without any further act, instrument, deed, matter or thing so as to become, as and from the Appointed Date, the undertakings of the Transferee Company by virtue of and in the manner provided in this Scheme.
- 9.2 Without prejudice to the generality of Clause 9.1 above, upon coming into effect of the Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date, and subject to the provisions of this Scheme, all the estate, assets, properties, rights, claims, title, interest and authorities including accretions and appurtenances of the respective Undertakings of the Transferor Companies, of whatsoever nature and wherever situate, whether or not included in the respective books of the Transferor Companies, shall, subject to the provisions of this Clause 9 in relation to the mode of vesting and pursuant to Sections 230 to 232 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, and without any further act, deed, matter or thing, be and stand transferred to and vested in or shall be deemed to have been transferred to and vested in the Transferee Company as a going concern so as to become as and from the Appointed Date, the estates, assets, rights, claims, title, interest and authorities of the Transferee Company, subject to the provisions of this Scheme.
- 9.3 In respect of such of the assets of the respective Transferor Companies, as are movable in nature or otherwise capable of transfer by physical or constructive delivery and/or by endorsement and delivery or by vesting and recordal of whatsoever nature, the same shall be so transferred by the respective Transferor Companies, and shall become the property of the Transferee Company with effect from the Appointed Date pursuant to the provisions of Section 230 to 232 of the Companies Act without requiring any deed or instrument of conveyance for the same. The vesting pursuant to this sub-clause shall be deemed to have occurred by physical or constructive delivery or by endorsement and delivery or by vesting and recordal, pursuant to this Scheme, as appropriate to the property being vested and title to the property shall be deemed to have been transferred accordingly

- 9.4 In respect of such of the assets belonging to the respective Transferor Companies, other than those mentioned in Clause 9.3 above, the same shall, as more particularly provided in Clause 9.2 above, without any further act, instrument or deed, be transferred to and vested in and/ or be deemed to be transferred to and vested in the Transferee Company upon the coming into effect of the Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date pursuant to the provisions of Section 230 to 232 of the Companies Act
- 9.5 Upon the effectiveness of this Scheme, and with effect from the Appointed Date, all assets of the respective Transferor Companies that are owned / leased / licensed immovable properties, if any, including any right or interest in the buildings and structures standing thereon and all lease/ license or rent agreements, together with security deposits and advance / prepaid lease/ license fee, rights and easements in relation to such properties shall stand transferred to and be vested in, or be deemed to have been transferred to and vested in the Transferee Company, without any further act or deed, pursuant to the provisions of Part C of this Scheme. Further, the relevant landlords, owners and lessors shall continue to comply with the terms, conditions and covenants under all relevant lease/ license or rent agreements and shall, in accordance with the terms of such agreements, refund the security deposits and advance / prepaid lease / license fee to the Transferee Company. The Transferee Company shall be entitled to exercise all rights and privileges attached to the aforesaid immoveable properties, if any, and shall be liable, as may be required, to pay the ground rent and Taxes and fulfil all obligations in relation to or applicable to such immovable properties. The mutation or substitution of the title to the immovable properties shall, upon this Scheme becoming effective and with effect from the Appointed Date 1, be made and duly recorded in the name of the Transferee Company by the appropriate authorities pursuant to the sanction of this Scheme by the Tribunal and upon the coming into effect of this Scheme in accordance with the terms hereof. Further the mere filing thereof with the appropriate registrar or sub-registrar or with the relevant Government Authority shall suffice as a record of continuing title with Amalgamating Company and shall be constituted as a deemed mutation and substitution thereof. The Transferee Company shall upon the Scheme becoming effective be entitled to the delivery and possession of all documents of title to such immovable property in this regard. Further, at the discretion of Transferee Company, such immovable properties including leasehold rights can be vested pursuant to a separate conveyance or any other agreement as well.
- 9.6 All estate, assets, rights, titles or interests acquired by the respective Transferor Companies, after the Appointed Date but prior to the Effective Date shall also, without any further act, instrument or deed stand transferred to and vested in and be deemed to have been transferred to and vested in the Transferee Company upon coming into effect of this Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date pursuant to the provisions of Sections 230 to 232 of the Companies Act.
- 9.7 All trademarks, trade names, service marks, copyrights, logos, corporate names, brand names, domain names and all registrations, applications and renewals in connection therewith.

software and all website content (including text, graphics, images, audio, video and data), trade secrets, confidential business information and other proprietary information of the respective Transferor Companies shall stand transferred to and vested in the Transferee Company

## 10. TRANSFER AND VESTING OF THE RESPECTIVE LIABILITIES OF THE TRANSFEROR COMPANIES WITH THE TRANSFEREE COMPANY

- 10.1 Upon coming into effect of this Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date, all the liabilities, debts, loans raised and used, duties, losses and obligations of the respective Transferor Companies, whether or not recorded in their respective books of accounts, shall, under the provisions of Sections 230 to 232 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, without any further act, instrument, deed, matter or thing, stand transferred to and vested in the Transferee Company to the extent they are outstanding on the Effective Date so as to become as and from the Appointed Date the liabilities, debts, loans, duties and obligations of the Transferee Company on the same terms and conditions as were applicable to the concerned Transferor Companies, and the Transferee Company shall meet, discharge and satisfy the same and further it shall not be necessary to obtain the consent of any third party or other person who is a party to any contract or arrangement by virtue of which such liabilities, duties and obligations have arisen in order to give effect to the provisions of this Clause.
- 10.2 Upon the Scheme becoming effective and with effect from the Appointed Date, all the liabilities, loans, advances and other obligations (including any guarantees, letters of credit, letters of comfort or any other instrument or arrangement which may give rise to a liability including contingent liability in whatever form), if any, due on the Effective Date between the respective Transferor Companies and the Transferee Company shall automatically stand discharged and come to an end and there shall be no liability in that behalf on either of the Transferor Companies or the Transferee Company and the appropriate effect shall be given in the books of accounts and records of the Transferee Company.
- 10.3 All Encumbrances, if any, existing prior to the Effective Date over the assets of the respective Transferor Companies, shall, after the Effective Date, without any further act, instrument or deed, continue to relate and attach to such assets or any part thereof to which they are related or attached prior to the Effective Date. Provided that if any of the assets of the concerned Transferor Companies, which are being transferred to the Transferee Company pursuant to this Scheme have not been Encumbered as aforesaid, such assets shall remain unencumbered and the existing Encumbrances referred to above shall not be extended to and shall not operate over



- such assets. The absence of any formal amendment or approval which may be required by a lender or trustee or third party shall not affect the operation of the above.
- 10.4 Without prejudice to the provisions of the foregoing Clauses and upon the effectiveness of this Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date, the Transferee Company shall execute any instrument/s and/or document/s and/or do all the acts and deeds as may be required, including the filing of necessary particulars and/or modification(s) of charge, with the Registrar of Companies to give formal effect to the above provisions, if required.
- 10.5 It is expressly provided that, save as mentioned in this Clause, no other term or condition of the liabilities, loans, duties and obligations transferred to the Transferee Company as part of the Scheme shall be modified by virtue of this Scheme.
- 10.6 Subject to the necessary consents being obtained, if required, in accordance with the terms of this Scheme, the provisions of this Clause shall operate, notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in any instrument, deed or writing or the terms of sanction or issue or any security document, all of which instruments, deeds or writings shall stand modified and/or superseded by the foregoing provisions.

#### 11. CONTRACTS AND PERMITS

- 11.1 Upon the coming into effect of this Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date, and subject to the provisions of the Scheme, all contracts (including but not limited to customer contracts, service contracts and supplier contracts), deeds, bonds, indemnities, agreements, schemes, licenses, memoranda of undertakings, memoranda of agreements, memoranda of agreed points, letters of intent, arrangements and other instruments of whatsoever nature, to which the respective Transferor Companies, are a party or to the benefit of which the respective Transferor Companies, may be eligible or for the obligations of which the respective Transferor Companies, may be liable, and which are subsisting or having effect immediately before the Effective Date, shall continue in full force and effect against or in favour, as the case may be, of the Transferee Company and may be enforced as fully and effectually as if, instead of the respective Transferor Companies, the Transferee Company had been a party or beneficiary or obligee or obligor thereto.
- 11.2 Without prejudice to the other provisions of this Scheme and notwithstanding the fact that vesting of the Undertakings of the respective Transferor Companies occur by virtue of this Scheme itself, the Transferee Company may, at any time after the coming into effect of this Scheme in accordance with the provisions hereof, if so required under any Applicable Law or otherwise, execute deeds (including deeds of adherence), confirmations or other writings or tripartite agreements with any party to any contract or arrangement to which the respective Transferor Companies, are a party or any writings as may be necessary to be executed in order to give

formal effect to the above provisions. The Transferee Company shall, under the provisions of Part C of this Scheme, be deemed to be authorized to execute any such writings on behalf of the respective Transferor Companies and to carry out or perform all such formalities or compliances referred to above on the part of the respective Transferor Companies to be carried out or performed.

- 11.3 For the avoidance of doubt and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing, it is clarified that upon the coming into effect of this Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date, and subject to the Applicable Law, all approvals, including municipal approvals, allocations, allotments, consents, authorities (including for the operation of bank accounts), concessions, clearances, credits, awards, sanctions, exemptions, subsidies, registrations, no-objection certificates, permits, quotas, rights, entitlements, authorization, statutory rights, pre-qualifications, bid acceptances, tenders, licenses (including the licenses granted by any governmental, statutory or regulatory bodies for the purpose of carrying on their respective business or in connection therewith), permissions and certificates of every kind and description whatsoever in relation to the respective Transferor Companies including powers of attorney given by the respective Transferor Companies, or to the benefit of which the respective Transferor Companies may be eligible/entitled, and which are subsisting or having effect immediately before the Effective Date, shall stand transferred to the Transferree Company as if the same were originally given by, issued to or executed in favour of the Transferee Company, and the Transferee Company shall be bound by the terms thereof, the obligations and duties thereunder, and the rights and benefits under the same shall be available to the Transferee Company. It is hereby clarified that if the consent of any third party or authority is required to give effect to the provisions of this Clause, the said third party or authority shall make and duly record the necessary substitution/endorsement in the name of the Transferee Company pursuant to the sanction of this Scheme by the Tribunal, and upon this Scheme becoming effective and with effect from the Appointed Date, in accordance with the terms hereof. The Transferee Company shall be entitled to make applications to any Governmental Authority as may be necessary in this behalf.
- 11.4 Upon the effectiveness of the Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date, the Transferee Company shall be entitled to operate all bank accounts, realise all monies and complete and enforce all pending contracts and transactions in the name of the respective Transferor Companies to the extent necessary until the transfer of the rights and obligations of the respective Transferor Companies to the Transferee Company under the Scheme is formally accepted and completed by the parties concerned. For avoidance of doubt, it is hereby clarified that all cheques and other negotiable instruments, payment orders received and presented for encashment which are in the name of the respective Transferor Companies after the Effective Date, shall be accepted by the bankers of the Transferee Company and credited to the accounts of the Transferee Company, if presented by the Transferee Company. Similarly, the bankers of the



Transferee Company shall honour all cheques issued by the respective Transferor Companies for payment after the Effective Date.

- 11.5 Upon the effectiveness of this Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date, all letters of intent, requests for proposal, pre-qualifications, bid acceptances, tenders, and other instruments of whatsoever nature to which the concerned Transferor Companies are a party to or to the benefit of which the Transferor Companies may be eligible, shall remain in full force and effect against or in favour of the Transferee Company and may be enforced as fully and effectually as if, instead of the Transferor Companies, the Transferee Company had been a party or beneficiary or obligee thereto. Upon coming into effect of this Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date, the past track record of the respective Transferor Companies shall be deemed to be the track record of the Transferee Company for all purposes, including commercial and regulatory purposes.
- 11.6 Upon effectiveness of the Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date, all bank accounts operated or entitled to be operated by the respective Transferor Companies shall be deemed to have transferred and shall stand transferred to the Transferee Company and name of the respective Transferor Companies shall be substituted by the name of the Transferee Company in the bank's records.
- 11.7 Without prejudice to the other provisions of this Scheme, upon effectiveness of this Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date, all transactions between the respective Transferor Companies and between the respective Transferor Companies and the Transferee Company, that have not been completed, shall stand cancelled.

## 12. TAXATION MATTERS

12.1 Upon the coming into effect of this Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date, all Taxes paid, payable, received or receivable by or on behalf of the respective Transferor Companies, including but not limited to all or any refunds, claims or entitlements or credits (including credits for income Tax, withholding Tax, advance Tax, self-assessment Tax, minimum alternate Tax, foreign Tax credits, CENVAT credit, goods and services Tax credits, other indirect Tax credits and other Tax receivables) shall, for all purposes, be treated as the Tax liability, refund, claims, including but not limited to claims under section 43B, section 40 of the Income Tax Act, or credit, as the case may be, of the Transferee Company, and any Tax incentives, benefits (including claims for unabsorbed Tax losses and unabsorbed Tax depreciation), advantages, privileges, elections, exemptions, credits, Tax holidays, benefits of exercise of any option, remissions or reduction which would have been available to the respective Transferor Companies, shall be available to the Transferee Company, and following the Effective Date, the Transferee Company



- shall be entitled to initiate, raise, add or modify any claims in relation to such Taxes on behalf of the respective Transferor Companies.
- 12.2 Upon the Scheme becoming effective and with effect from the Appointed Date, the Transferee Company is expressly permitted to revise its financial statements and returns along with prescribed forms, filings and annexures under the Income Tax Act, central sales Tax law, applicable state value added Tax law, service Tax laws, excise duty laws, goods and services Tax laws and other Tax laws, and to claim refunds and/or credit for Taxes paid (including, tax deducted at source, wealth tax, etc.) and for matters incidental thereto, if required, to give effect to the provisions of the Scheme.
- 12.3 All compliances with respect to Taxes or any other Applicable Law between the Appointed Date and the Effective Date, undertaken by the respective Transferor Companies, shall, upon the effectiveness of this Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date, be deemed to have been complied with, by the Transferee Company. Any Taxes deducted by the Transferee Company from payments made to the respective Transferor Companies, shall be deemed to be advance tax paid by the Transferee Company

#### 13. LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

13.1 Upon the coming into effect of this Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date, all legal, taxation or other proceedings whether civil or criminal including but not limited to suits, summary suits, indigent petitions, assessments, appeals, or other proceedings of whatever nature (hereinafter called the "Proceedings"), if any, by or against the respective Transferor Companies, pending as on the Effective Date, shall not abate or be discontinued or be in any way prejudicially affected in any way by reason of the Scheme or by anything contained in the Scheme, but the Proceedings shall be continued, prosecuted and enforced, as the case may be, by or against the Transferee Company, in the same manner and to the same extent as they would or might have been continued, prosecuted or enforced by or against the respective Transferor Companies, if the Scheme had not been made. On and from the Effective Date, the Transferee Company may initiate, defend, compromise or otherwise deal with any Proceedings for and on behalf of the respective Transferor Companies. The Transferee Company undertakes to have all the Proceedings specified in this Clause, initiated by or against the respective Transferor Companies, transfer to its name and to have such Proceedings continued, prosecuted and enforced, as the case may be, by or against the Transferee Company, subject to Applicable Law.

## 14. EMPLOYEES OF THE RESEPECTIVE TRANFEROR COMPANIES

14.1 With effect from the Effective Date, all the staff and employees, if any, of the respective Transferor Companies, who are in such employment as on the Effective Date, shall become and be deemed to have become, the staff and employees of the Transferee Company, without any break in or

interruption of service and on terms and conditions not less favourable than those on which they are engaged by the respective Transferor Companies, as a result of the transfer and vesting of the Undertakings of the Transferor Companies to the Transferee Company. Services of the staff and employees shall be taken into account from the date of their respective appointment with the Transferor Companies, for the purposes of all retirement benefits and all other entitlements for which they may be eligible. For the purpose of payment of any retrenchment compensation or other termination benefits, if any, such past services with the respective Transferor Companies shall also be taken into account by the Transferee Company.

- 14.2 With regard to provident fund, gratuity, superannuation, leave encashment and any other special scheme or benefits created by the respective Transferor Companies, if any, which exist immediately prior to the Effective Date, the Transferee Company shall stand substituted for the respective Transferor Companies for all purposes whatsoever, upon the coming into effect of this Scheme, including with regard to the obligation to make contributions to relevant authorities, such as the Regional Provident Fund Commissioner or to such other funds maintained by the respective Transferor Companies, in accordance with Applicable Law. It is hereby clarified that upon the coming into effect of this Scheme, such benefits and schemes shall continue to be provided to the transferred employees and the service of all transferred employees of the respective Transferor Companies for such purpose shall be treated as having been continuous.
- 14.3 It is provided that as far as the provident fund, gratuity fund, pension, superannuation fund or any other special fund created or existing, including any payments towards state insurance, for the benefit of such employees of the respective Transferor Companies are concerned, upon the Scheme becoming effective and with effect from the Appointed Date, each of the Transferor Companies shall stand substituted by the Transferee Company for all purposes whatsoever relating to the administration or operation of such funds or trusts or in relation to the obligation to make contribution to the said funds or trusts in accordance with the provisions of such funds or trusts as provided in the respective trust deeds or other documents. Upon the Scheme becoming effective and with effect from the Appointed Date, the contributions made by the respective Transferor Companies to the said funds and trusts for the period after the Appointed Date shall be deemed to be made by the Transferee Company. It is the aim and the intent of the Scheme that all the rights, duties, powers and obligations of the respective Transferor Companies, in relation to such funds or trusts shall become those of the Transferee Company. The trustees including the Boards of the respective Transferor Companies and the Transferee Company or through any committee / person duly authorized by the Boards in this regard shall be entitled to adopt such course of action in this regard as may be advised provided however that there shall be no discontinuation or breakage in the services of the employees.

### 15. CONSIDERATION

15.1 Upon the coming into effect of this Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date, and in consideration of the transfer of and vesting of the Undertakings of the Transferor Companies in the Transferee Company, in terms of the Scheme, all the equity shares issued by the respective Transferor Companies and held by the Transferee Company and its nominees shall stand cancelled and extinguished and in lieu thereof, there shall be no allotment of equity shares in the Transferee Company or payment of any consideration

#### 16. ACCOUNTING TREATMENT IN THE BOOKS OF TRANSFEREE COMPANY

- 16.1 Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, the Transferee Company shall account for the amalgamation of the each of the Transferor Companies with the Transferee Company, on completion of all substantial conditions for the transfer, in accordance with "Pooling of Interests Method" laid down in Appendix C of Ind AS-103 (Business Combinations of entities under common control) notified under Section 133 of the Companies Act, under the Companies (Indian Accounting Standard) Rules, 2015, as may be amended from time to time, such that:
  - 16.1.1 The Transferee Company shall record the assets, liabilities and reserves, if any, of the respective Transferor Companies vested in it pursuant to this Scheme, at the respective book values and in the same form as appearing in the Consolidated financial statement of Transferee Company.
  - 16.1.2 The identity of the reserves shall be preserved and the Transferee Company shall record the reserves of the respective Transferor Companies in the same form and at the carrying amount as appearing in the consolidated financial statement of Transferee Company.
  - 16.1.3 The value of investment held by the Transferee Company in the respective Transferor Companies shall stand cancelled pursuant to the amalgamation.
  - 16.1.4 Pursuant to the amalgamation of the respective Transferor Companies with the Transferee Company, the inter-company balances between the Transferee Company and the respective Transferor Companies, if any, appearing in the books of the Transferee Company and the value of all investments held by the Transferee Company in each of the Transferor Companies shall stand cancelled.
  - 16.1.5 The surplus/deficit, if any arising after taking the effect of clause 16.1.1, clause 16.1.2, clause 16.1.3 and after giving the effect of the adjustments referred to in clause 16.1.4, shall be transferred to the "Capital Reserve" in the financial statements of the Transferee Company and shall be presented separately from other capital reserves with disclosure of its nature and purpose in the notes.

- 16.1.6 In case of any difference in the accounting policy between the respective Transferor Companies and the Transferee Company, the accounting policies followed by the Transferee Company will prevail to ensure that the financial statements reflect the financial position based on consistent accounting policies.
- 16.1.7 Comparative financial information in the financial statements of the Transferee Company shall be restated for the accounting impact of amalgamation, as stated above, as if the amalgamation had occurred from the beginning of the comparative period.
- 16.1.8 Any matter not dealt with in the Clause hereinabove shall be dealt with in accordance with the accounting standards applicable to the Transferee Company.

#### 17. CONDUCT OF BUSINESS UNTIL THE EFFECTIVE DATE

17.1 From the date on which the Boards of the respective Transferor Companies and the Transferee Company approve the Scheme, each of the Transferor Companies shall carry on their respective businesses with reasonable diligence and business prudence in the ordinary course consistent with past practice, in accordance with Applicable Law and as mutually agreed between the Transferor Companies and the Transferee Company. Notwithstanding anything contained in the Scheme to the contrary, each of the respective Transferor Companies and the Transferee Company shall be able to raise capital from the date on which the Boards of the Transferor Companies and the Transferee Company approve the Scheme, as it may deem fit.

### 18. DISSOLUTION OF TRANSFEROR COMPANIES

- 18.1 Upon the coming into effect of Part C of this Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date, each of the Transferor Companies shall stand dissolved without being wound up, without any further act or deed and no specific accounting is prescribed in the Indian Accounting Standards specified under Section 133 of the Act for such transfer.
- REORGANISATION OF THE AUTHORISED SHARE CAPITAL OF TRANSFEROR COMPANY
   TRANSFEROR COMPANY 2, TRANSFEROR COMPANY 4 AND TRANSFEROR
   COMPANY 5
- 19.1 Upon Part C of the Scheme becoming effective and with effect from the Appointed Date, and as an integral part of the Scheme, the authorized share capital of Transferor Company 1, Transferor Company 2, Transferor Company 4 and Transferor Company 5 shall be reclassified/reorganized such that each equity share of Rs. 10/- (Rupees Ten only) shall stand reclassified/reorganized as 2 (Two) equity shares of Rs. 5/- (Rupees Five only) each.

- 19.2 It is clarified that the approval of the respective equity shareholders of the Transferor Company 1, Transferor Company 2, Transferor Company 4 and Transferor Company 5 to this Scheme shall be deemed to be their consent/approval to the reclassification of the authorized share capital envisaged under this Clause of the Scheme, as required under Sections 13, 61 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act.
- 20. CONSOLIDATION OF THE RESPECTIVE AUTHORISED SHARE CAPITAL OF THE TRANSFEROR COMPANIES WITH THE AUTHORISED SHARE CAPITAL OF THE TRANSFEREE COMPANY
- 20.1 Upon Part C of the Scheme becoming effective and with effect from the Appointed Date, and pursuant to the reclassification and reorganization of the resultant authorized share capital of the respective Transferor Company 1, Transferor Company 2, Transferor Company 4 and Transferor Company 5 as set out in Clause 19 above, the resultant authorized share capital of each of the Transferor Companies shall stand transferred to and be amalgamated/combined with the authorized share capital of the Transferee Company. The fees or stamp duty, if any, paid by each of the Transferor Companies on their respective authorized share capitals shall be deemed to have been so paid by the Transferee Company on the combined authorized share capital, and the Transferee Company shall not be required to pay any fee/ stamp duty for the increase of the authorized share capital. The authorized share capital of the Transferee Company will automatically stand increased to that effect by simply filing the requisite forms with the Registrar of Companies and no separate procedure or instrument or deed shall be required to be followed under the Companies Act.

Clause V. of the memorandum of association of the Transferee Company shall, upon the Scheme becoming effective, and without any further act, instrument or deed, be replaced by the following clause:

"V. The Authorised Share Capital of the Corporation is Rs. 95,55,50,000/- (Rupees Ninety-Five Crores Fifty-Five Lakhs and Fifty Thousand Only) comprising of 19,11,10,000 (Nineteen Crores Eleven Lakhs Ten Thousand Only) equity shares of the face value of Rs. 5/- (Rupees Two only) each."

- 20.2 For the avoidance of doubt, it is hereby clarified that if the authorized share capital of the respective Transferor Companies or the Transferee Company undergoes any change, either as a consequence of any corporate action or otherwise, then, this Clause 20 shall automatically stand modified to take into account the effect of such change.
- 20.3 The approval of this Scheme by the equity shareholders of the Transferee Company under Sections 230 to 232 of the Companies Act, shall be deemed to have been an approval under

Section 13, Section 61 and Section 64 or any other applicable provisions under the Companies Act and no further resolution(s) would be required to be separately passed in this regard.



## PART D – AMALGAMATION OF AMALGAMATING COMPANY WITH THE AMALGAMATED COMPANY

## 21. TRANSFER AND VESTING OF THE ASSETS OF THE AMALGAMATING COMPANY WITH THE AMALGAMATED COMPANY

- 21.1 Upon the coming into effect of the Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date and subject to the provisions of the Scheme, the Amalgamating Company, shall (after Part C of the Scheme has come into effect), stand amalgamated into the Amalgamated Company and the Undertaking of the Amalgamating Company shall, pursuant to the sanction of the Scheme by the Tribunal and pursuant to the provisions of Sections 230 to 232 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, be and stand transferred to and vested in and/ or be deemed to have been transferred to and vested in the Amalgamated Company, as a going concern, in accordance with Section 2(1B) of the Income Tax Act, without any further act, instrument, deed, matter or thing so as to become as and from the Appointed Date, the undertaking of the Amalgamated Company by virtue of and in the manner provided in this Scheme.
- 21.2 Without prejudice to the generality of Clause 21.1 above, upon the coming into effect of the Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date (after Part C of the Scheme has come into effect), and subject to the provisions of this Scheme, all the estate, assets, properties, rights, claims, title, interest and authorities including accretions and appurtenances of the Undertaking of the Amalgamating Company, of whatsoever nature and wherever situate, whether or not included in the books of the Amalgamating Company shall, subject to the provisions of this Clause 21 in relation to the mode of vesting and pursuant to Sections 230 to 232 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, and without any further act, deed, matter or thing, be and stand transferred to and vested in or shall be deemed to have been transferred to and vested in the Amalgamated Company as a going concern so as to become as and from the Appointed Date, the estates, assets, rights, claims, title, interest and authorities of the Amalgamated Company, subject to the provisions of this Scheme.
- 21.3 In respect of such of the assets of the Amalgamating Company as are movable in nature or otherwise capable of transfer by physical or constructive delivery or by endorsement and delivery or by vesting and recordal of whatsoever nature, the same shall be so transferred by the Amalgamating Company, and shall become the property of the Amalgamated Company with effect from the Appointed Date pursuant to the provisions of Section 230 to 232 of the Companies Act without requiring any deed or instrument of conveyance for the same. The vesting pursuant to this sub-clause shall be deemed to have occurred by physical or constructive delivery or by endorsement and delivery or by vesting and recordal, pursuant to this Scheme, as appropriate to



- the property being vested and title to the property shall be deemed to have been transferred accordingly.
- 21.4 In respect of such of the assets belonging to the Amalgamating Company other than those mentioned in Clause 21.3 above, the same shall, as more particularly provided in Clause 21.2 above, without any further act, instrument or deed, be transferred to and vested in and/ or be deemed to be transferred to and vested in the Amalgamated Company upon the coming into effect of the Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date pursuant to the provisions of Section 230 to 232 of the Companies Act.
- 21.5 Upon the effectiveness of this Scheme, and with effect from the Appointed Date, all assets of the Amalgamating Company that are owned / leased / licensed immovable properties, including any right or interest in the buildings and structures standing thereon and all lease/ license or rent agreements, together with security deposits and advance / prepaid lease/ license fee, rights and easements in relation to such properties shall stand transferred to and be vested in, or be deemed to have been transferred to and vested in the Amalgamated Company, without any further act or deed, pursuant to the provisions of Part D of this Scheme. Further, relevant landlords, owners and lessors shall continue to comply with the terms, conditions and covenants under all relevant lease/ license or rent agreements and shall, in accordance with the terms of such agreements, refund the security deposits and advance / prepaid lease / license fee to the Amalgamated Company. The Amalgamated Company shall be entitled to exercise all rights and privileges attached to the aforesaid immoveable properties and shall be liable, as may be required, to pay the ground rent and Taxes and fulfil all obligations in relation to or applicable to such immovable properties. The mutation or substitution of the title to the immovable properties shall, upon this Scheme becoming effective and with effect from the Appointed Date 2, be made and duly recorded in the name of the Amalgamated Company by the appropriate authorities pursuant to the sanction of this Scheme by the Tribunal and upon the coming into effect of this Scheme in accordance with the terms hereof. Further the mere filing thereof with the appropriate registrar or sub-registrar or with the relevant Government Authority shall suffice as a record of continuing title with Amalgamated Company and shall be constituted as a deemed mutation and substitution thereof. The Amalgamated Company shall upon the Scheme becoming effective be entitled to the delivery and possession of all documents of title to such immovable property in this regard. Further, at the discretion of Amalgamated Company, such immovable properties including leasehold rights can be vested pursuant to a separate conveyance or any other agreement as well.
- 21.6 All the security interest over any moveable and/or immoveable properties and security in any other form (both present and future) including but not limited to any pledges, or guarantees, if any, created/executed by any person in favour of the Amalgamating Company or any other person acting on behalf of or for the benefit of the Amalgamating Company for securing the

obligations of the persons to whom the Amalgamating Company has advanced loans and granted other funded and non-funded financial assistance, by way of letter of comfort or through other similar instruments shall without any further act, instrument or deed stand vested in and be deemed to be in favour of the Amalgamated Company and the benefit of such security shall be available to the Amalgamated Company as if such security was ab initio created in favour of the Amalgamated Company. The mutation or substitution of the charge in relation to the movable and immovable properties of the Amalgamating Company shall, upon this Scheme becoming effective and with effect from the Appointed Date, be made and duly recorded in the name of the Amalgamated Company by the appropriate authorities and third parties (including any depository participants) pursuant to the sanction of this Scheme by the Tribunal and upon the Scheme becoming effective in accordance with the terms hereof.

21.7 All trademarks, trade names, service marks, copyrights, logos, corporate names, brand names, domain names and all registrations, applications and renewals in connection therewith, and software and all website content (including text, graphics, images, audio, video and data), trade secrets, confidential business information and other proprietary information of the Amalgamating Company shall stand transferred to and vested in the Amalgamated Company

## 22. TRANSFER AND VESTING OF THE LIABILITIES OF THE AMALGAMATING COMPANY WITH THE AMALGAMATED COMPANY

- 22.1 Upon coming into effect of this Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date, all the liabilities, debts, loans raised and used, duties, losses and obligations of the Undertaking of the Amalgamating Company, whether or not recorded in their respective books of accounts, shall, under the provisions of Sections 230 to 232 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, without any further act, instrument, deed, matter or thing, stand transferred to and vested in the Amalgamated Company to the extent they are outstanding on the Effective Date so as to become as and from the Appointed Date the liabilities, debts, loans, duties and obligations of the Amalgamated Company on the same terms and conditions as were applicable to the Amalgamating Company, and the Amalgamated Company shall meet, discharge and satisfy the same and further it shall not be necessary to obtain the consent of any third party or other person who is a party to any contract or arrangement by virtue of which such liabilities, duties and obligations have arisen in order to give effect to the provisions of this Clause.
- 22.2 Upon the Scheme becoming effective and with effect from the Appointed Date, all the liabilities, loans, advances and other obligations (including any guarantees, letters of credit, letters of comfort or any other instrument or arrangement which may give rise to a liability including contingent liability in whatever form), if any, due on the Effective Date between the Amalgamating Company and the Amalgamated Company shall automatically stand discharged and come to an end and there shall be no liability in that behalf on either the Amalgamating Company or the

- Amalgamated Company and the appropriate effect shall be given in the books of accounts and records of the Amalgamated Company.
- 22.3 All Encumbrances, if any, existing prior to the Effective Date over the assets of the Amalgamating Company, shall, after the Effective Date, without any further act, instrument or deed, continue to relate and attach to such assets or any part thereof to which they are related or attached prior to the Effective Date. Provided that if any of the assets of the Amalgamating Company, which are being transferred to the Amalgamated Company pursuant to this Scheme have not been Encumbered as aforesaid, such assets shall remain unencumbered and the existing Encumbrances referred to above shall not be extended to and shall not operate over such assets. The absence of any formal amendment or approval which may be required by a lender or trustee or third party shall not affect the operation of the above.
- 22.4 Without prejudice to the provisions of the foregoing Clauses and upon the effectiveness of this Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date, the Amalgamated Company shall execute any instrument/s and/or document/s and/or do all the acts and deeds as may be required, including the filing of necessary particulars and/or modification(s) of charge, with the Registrar of Companies to give formal effect to the above provisions, if required.
- 22.5 It is expressly provided that, save as mentioned in this Clause, no other term or condition of the liabilities, loans, duties and obligations transferred to the Amalgamated Company as part of the Scheme shall be modified by virtue of this Scheme.
- 22.6 Subject to the necessary consents being obtained, if required, in accordance with the terms of this Scheme, the provisions of this Clause shall operate, notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in any instrument, deed or writing or the terms of sanction or issue or any security document, all of which instruments, deeds or writings shall stand modified and/or superseded by the foregoing provisions.

### 23. CONTRACTS AND PERMITS

23.1 Upon the coming into effect of this Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date, and subject to the provisions of the Scheme, all contracts (including but not limited to customer contracts, service contracts and supplier contracts), deeds, bonds, indemnities, agreements, schemes, licenses, memoranda of undertakings, memoranda of agreements, memoranda of agreed points, letters of intent, arrangements and other instruments of whatsoever nature, to which the Amalgamating Company is a party or to the benefit of which the Amalgamating Company, may be eligible or for the obligations of which the Amalgamating Company, may be liable, and which are subsisting or having effect immediately before the Effective Date, shall continue in full force and effect against or in favour, as the case may be, of the Amalgamated Company and may be



- enforced as fully and effectually as if, instead of the Amalgamating Company, the Amalgamated Company had been a party or beneficiary or obligee or obligor thereto.
- 23.2 Without prejudice to the other provisions of this Scheme and notwithstanding the fact that vesting of the Undertaking of the Amalgamating Company occur by virtue of this Scheme itself, the Amalgamated Company may, at any time after the coming into effect of this Scheme in accordance with the provisions hereof, if so required under any Applicable Law or otherwise, execute deeds (including deeds of adherence), confirmations or other writings or tripartite agreements with any party to any contract or arrangement to which the Amalgamating Company, are a party or any writings as may be necessary to be executed in order to give formal effect to the above provisions. The Amalgamated Company shall, under the provisions of Part D of this Scheme, be deemed to be authorized to execute any such writings on behalf of the Amalgamating Company and to carry out or perform all such formalities or compliances referred to above on the part of the Amalgamating Company to be carried out or performed.
- 23.3 For the avoidance of doubt and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing, it is clarified that upon the coming into effect of this Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date, and subject to the Applicable Law, all approvals, including municipal approvals, allocations, allotments, consents, authorities (including for the operation of bank accounts), concessions, clearances, credits, awards, sanctions, exemptions, subsidies, registrations, no-objection certificates, permits, quotas, rights, entitlements, authorization, statutory rights, pre-qualifications, bid acceptances, tenders, licenses (including the licenses granted by any governmental, statutory or regulatory bodies for the purpose of carrying on their respective business or in connection therewith), permissions and certificates of every kind and description whatsoever in relation to the Amalgamating Company including powers of attorney given by the Amalgamating Company, or to the benefit of which the Amalgamating Company may be eligible/entitled, and which are subsisting or having effect immediately before the Effective Date, shall stand transferred to the Amalgamated Company as if the same were originally given by, issued to or executed in favour of the Amalgamated Company, and the Amalgamated Company shall be bound by the terms thereof, the obligations and duties thereunder, and the rights and benefits under the same shall be available to the Amalgamated Company. It is hereby clarified that if the consent of any third party or authority is required to give effect to the provisions of this Clause, the said third party or authority shall make and duly record the necessary substitution/endorsement in the name of the Amalgamated Company pursuant to the sanction of this Scheme by the Tribunal, and upon this Scheme becoming effective and with effect from the Appointed Date, in accordance with the terms hereof. The Amalgamated Company shall be entitled to make applications to any Governmental Authority as may be necessary in this behalf.
- 23.4 Upon effectiveness of the Scheme, the Amalgamated Company shall be entitled to operate all bank accounts, realise all monies and complete and enforce all pending contracts and

transactions in the name of the Amalgamating Company to the extent necessary until the transfer of the rights and obligations of the Amalgamating Company to the Amalgamated Company under the Scheme is formally accepted and completed by the parties concerned. For avoidance of doubt, it is hereby clarified that all cheques and other negotiable instruments, payment orders received and presented for encashment which are in the name of the Amalgamating Company, after the Effective Date, shall be accepted by the bankers of the Amalgamated Company and credited to the accounts of the Amalgamated Company, if presented by the Amalgamated Company. Similarly, the bankers of the Amalgamated Company shall honour all cheques issued by the Amalgamating Company for payment after the Effective Date

- 23.5 Upon the effectiveness of this Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date, all letters of intent, requests for proposal, pre-qualifications, bid acceptances, tenders, and other instruments of whatsoever nature to which the Amalgamating Company is a party to or to the benefit of which the Amalgamating Company may be eligible, shall remain in full force and effect against or in favour of the Amalgamated Company and may be enforced as fully and effectually as if, instead of the Amalgamating Company, the Amalgamated Company had been a party or beneficiary or obligee thereto. Upon coming into effect of this Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date, the past track record of the Amalgamating Company shall be deemed to be the track record of the Amalgamated Company for all purposes, including commercial and regulatory purposes.
- 23.6 Upon effectiveness of the Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date, all bank accounts operated or entitled to be operated by the Amalgamating Company shall be deemed to have transferred and shall stand transferred to the Amalgamated Company and name of the Amalgamating Company shall be substituted by the name of the Amalgamated Company in the bank's records.
- 23.7 Without prejudice to the other provisions of this Scheme, upon effectiveness of this Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date, all transactions between the Amalgamating Company and the Amalgamated Company, that have not been completed, shall stand cancelled.

### 24. TAXATION MATTERS

24.1 Upon the coming into effect of this Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date, all Taxes paid, payable, received or receivable by or on behalf of the Amalgamating Company, including but not limited to all or any refunds, claims or entitlements or credits (including credits for income Tax, withholding Tax, advance Tax, self-assessment Tax, minimum alternate Tax, foreign Tax credits, CENVAT credit, goods and services Tax credits, other indirect Tax credits and other Tax receivables) shall, for all purposes, be treated as the Tax liability, refund, claims, including but not limited to claims under section 43B, section 40 of the Income Tax Act, or credit, as the case may be, of the Amalgamated Company, and any Tax incentives, benefits (including claims for



unabsorbed Tax losses and unabsorbed Tax depreciation), advantages, privileges, elections, exemptions, credits, Tax holidays, benefits of exercise of any option, remissions or reduction which would have been available to the Amalgamating Company, shall be available to the Amalgamated Company, and following the Effective Date, the Amalgamated Company shall be entitled to initiate, raise, add or modify any claims in relation to such Taxes on behalf of the respective Amalgamating Company.

- 24.2 Upon the Scheme becoming effective and with effect from the Appointed Date, the Amalgamated Company is expressly permitted to revise its financial statements and returns along with prescribed forms, filings and annexures under the Income Tax Act, central sales Tax law, applicable state value added Tax law, service Tax laws, excise duty laws, goods and services Tax laws and other Tax laws, and to claim refunds and/or credit for Taxes paid (including, tax deducted at source, wealth tax, etc.) and for matters incidental thereto, if required, to give effect to the provisions of the Scheme.
- 24.3 All compliances with respect to Taxes or any other Applicable Law between the Appointed Date and the Effective Date, undertaken by the Amalgamating Company, shall, upon the effectiveness of this Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date, be deemed to have been complied with, by the Amalgamated Company. Any Taxes deducted by the Amalgamated Company from payments made to the Amalgamating Company, shall be deemed to be advance tax paid by the Amalgamated Company

### 25. LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

25.1 Upon the coming into effect of this Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date, all legal, taxation or other proceedings whether civil or criminal including but not limited to suits, summary suits, indigent petitions, assessments, appeals, or other proceedings of whatever nature (hereinafter called the "Proceedings"), if any, by or against the Amalgamating Company, pending as on the Effective Date, shall not abate or be discontinued or be in any way prejudicially affected in any way by reason of the Scheme or by anything contained in the Scheme, but the Proceedings shall be continued, prosecuted and enforced, as the case may be, by or against the Amalgamated Company, in the same manner and to the same extent as they would or might have been continued, prosecuted or enforced by or against the Amalgamating Company, if the Scheme had not been made. On and from the Effective Date, the Amalgamated Company may initiate, defend, compromise or otherwise deal with any Proceedings for and on behalf of the Amalgamating Company. The Amalgamated Company undertakes to have all the Proceedings specified in this Clause, initiated by or against the Amalgamating Company, transfer to its name and to have such Proceedings continued, prosecuted and enforced, as the case may be, by or against the Amalgamated Company, subject to Applicable Law.

### 26. EMPLOYEES OF THE RESEPECTIVE TRANFEROR COMPANIES

- 26.1 With effect from the Effective Date, all the staff and employees, if any, of the Amalgamating Company, who are in such employees of the Effective Date, shall become and be deemed to have become, the staff and employees of the Amalgamated Company, without any break in or interruption of service and on terms and conditions not less favourable than those on which they are engaged by the Amalgamating Company, as a result of the transfer and vesting of the Undertaking of the Amalgamating Company to the Amalgamated Company. Services of the staff and employees shall be taken into account from the date of their respective appointment with the Amalgamating Company, for the purposes of all retirement benefits and all other entitlements for which they may be eligible. For the purpose of payment of any retrenchment compensation or other termination benefits, if any, such past services with the Amalgamating Company shall also be taken into account by the Amalgamated Company.
- 26.2 With regard to provident fund, gratuity, superannuation, leave encashment and any other special scheme or benefits created by the Amalgamating Company, if any, which exist immediately prior to the Effective Date, the Amalgamated Company shall stand substituted for the Amalgamating Company for all purposes whatsoever, upon the coming into effect of this Scheme, including with regard to the obligation to make contributions to relevant authorities, such as the Regional Provident Fund Commissioner or to such other funds maintained by the Amalgamating Company, in accordance with Applicable Law. It is hereby clarified that upon the coming into effect of this Scheme, such benefits and schemes shall continue to be provided to the transferred employees and the service of all transferred employees of the Amalgamating Company for such purpose shall be treated as having been continuous.
- 26.3 It is provided that as far as the provident fund, gratuity fund, pension, superannuation fund or any other special fund created or existing, including any payments towards state insurance, for the benefit of such employees of the Amalgamating Company are concerned, upon the Scheme becoming effective and with effect from the Appointed Date, the Amalgamating Company shall stand substituted by the Amalgamated Company for all purposes whatsoever relating to the administration or operation of such funds or trusts or in relation to the obligation to make contribution to the said funds or trusts in accordance with the provisions of such funds or trusts as provided in the respective trust deeds or other documents. Upon the Scheme becoming effective and with effect from the Appointed Date, the contributions made by the Amalgamating Company to the said funds and trusts for the period after the Appointed Date shall be deemed to be made by the Amalgamated Company. It is the aim and the intent of the Scheme that all the rights, duties, powers and obligations of the Amalgamating Company, in relation to such funds or trusts shall become those of the Amalgamated Company. The trustees including the Boards of the Amalgamating Company and the Amalgamated Company or through any committee / person duly authorized by the Boards in this regard shall be entitled to adopt such course of action in this

regard as may be advised provided however that there shall be no discontinuation or breakage in the services of the employees.

#### 27. CONSIDERATION

- 27.1 Upon the coming into effect of this Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date, and in consideration of the transfer of and vesting of the Undertaking of the Amalgamating Company in the Amalgamated Company pursuant to Part D of this Scheme (after coming into effect of Part C of the Scheme, i.e. after transfer and vesting of the Undertaking of the Transferor Companies with the Transferee Company), the Amalgamated Company shall, without any further application, act or deed, issue and allot to the equity shareholders of the Amalgamating Company whose names are recorded in the register of members as a member of the Amalgamating Company on the Record Date (or to such of their respective heirs, executors, administrators or other legal representatives or other successors in title as may be recognized by the Board of the Amalgamated Company) 52 (Fifty Two) equity shares, credited as fully paid-up, for every 100 (Hundred) equity shares of the face value of Rs. 5 (Rupees Five) each fully paid-up held by such member in the Amalgamating Company ("Share Exchange Ratio"). The equity shares to be issued by the Amalgamated Company to the shareholders of Amalgamating Company in accordance with this Clause 27.1 shall be hereinafter referred to as "New Equity Shares".
- 27.2 In the event of there being any pending share transfers, whether lodged or outstanding, of any equity shareholder of the Amalgamating Company, the Board of the Amalgamated Company shall be empowered in appropriate cases, prior to or even subsequent to the Record Date, as the case may be, to effectuate such a transfer as if such changes in the registered holder were operative as on the Record Date, in order to remove any difficulties arising to the transfer of the shares in the Amalgamating Company and in relation to the shares issued by the Amalgamated Company, after the effectiveness of the Scheme. The Board of the Amalgamated Company shall be empowered to remove such difficulties as may arise in the course of implementation of this Scheme and registration of new shareholders in the Amalgamated Company on account of difficulties faced in the transition period. Where New Equity Shares of the Amalgamated Company are to be allotted to heirs, executors or administrators, as the case may be, to successors of deceased equity shareholders or legal representatives of the equity shareholders of the Amalgamating Company, the concerned heirs, executors, administrators, successors or legal representatives shall be obliged to produce evidence of title satisfactory to the Board of the Amalgamated Company.
- 27.3 Where New Equity Shares of the Amalgamated Company are to be allotted to heirs, executors or administrators, as the case may be, to successors of deceased equity shareholders or legal representatives of the equity shareholders of the Amalgamating Company, the concerned heirs,



- executors, administrators, successors or legal representatives shall be obliged to produce evidence of title satisfactory to the Board of the Amalgamated Company.
- 27.4 The New Equity Shares of the Amalgamated Company allotted and issued in terms of Clause 27.1 above, shall be listed and/ or admitted to trading on the Stock Exchanges, where the equity shares of the Amalgamated Company are listed and/ or admitted to trading as on the Effective Date. The New Equity Shares of the Amalgamated Company shall, however, be listed subject to the Amalgamated Company obtaining the requisite approvals from all the relevant Governmental Authorities pertaining to the listing of the New Equity Shares of the Amalgamated Company. The Amalgamated Company shall enter into such arrangements and give such confirmations and/or undertakings as may be necessary in accordance with Applicable Law for complying with the formalities of the Stock Exchanges.
- 27.5 Upon the Scheme becoming effective and upon the New Equity Shares of the Amalgamated Company being allotted and issued by it to the shareholders of the Amalgamating Company whose names appear on the register of members as a member of the Amalgamating Company on the Record Date or whose names appear as the beneficial owners of the equity shares of the Amalgamating Company in the records of the depositories/ register of members, as the case may be, as on the Record Date, the equity shares of the Amalgamating Company, both in electronic form and in the physical form, shall be deemed to have been automatically cancelled and be of no effect on and from the Record Date.
- 27.6 The New Equity Shares of the Amalgamated Company to be allotted and issued to the shareholders of the Amalgamating Company as provided in Clause 27.1 above shall be subject to the provisions of the memorandum and articles of association of the Amalgamated Company and shall rank pari-passu in all respects with the existing equity shares after the Effective Date including in respect of dividend, if any, that may be declared by the Amalgamated Company on or after the Effective Date.
- 27.7 The issue and allotment of the New Equity Shares by the Amalgamated Company to the equity shareholders of the Amalgamating Company as provided in the Scheme, is an integral part thereof and shall be deemed to have been carried out without requiring any further act on the part of the Amalgamated Company or its shareholders and as if the procedure laid down under Section 62 or any other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, as may be applicable, and such other statues and regulations as may be applicable were duly complied with.
- 27.8 For the purposes of allotment of the New Equity Shares, pursuant to this Scheme, in case any Amalgamating Company's shareholder becomes entitled to any fractional shares, entitlements or credit on the issue and allotment of the New Equity Shares by the Amalgamated Company in accordance with Clause 27.1 above, the Amalgamated Company shall not issue fractional shares



to such shareholder and shall consolidate all such fractional entitlements and round up the aggregate of such fractions to the next whole number and shall, without any further application, act, instrument or deed, issue and allot such consolidated equity shares directly to an individual trust or a board of trustees or a corporate trustee nominated by the Amalgamated Company ("Trustee"), who shall hold such New Equity Shares with all additions or accretions thereto in trust for the benefit of the respective shareholders, to whom they belong and their respective heirs, executors, administrators or successors for the specific purpose of selling such equity shares in the market at such price or prices at any time within a period of 90 (ninety) days from the date of allotment, and on such sale, distribute the net sale proceeds (after deduction of the expenses incurred and applicable income Tax) to the respective shareholders in the same proportion of their fractional entitlements. Any fractional entitlements from such net proceeds shall be rounded off to the next Rupee. It is clarified that any such distribution shall take place only on the sale of all the fractional shares of the Amalgamated Company by the Trustee pertaining to the fractional entitlements.

27.9 Unless otherwise notified in writing on or before such date as may be determined by the Board of the Amalgamated Company or a committee thereof, the New Equity Shares issued to the equity shareholders of the Amalgamating Company by the Amalgamated Company shall be issued in dematerialized form by the Amalgamated Company, provided that the details of the depository accounts of the members of the Amalgamating Company are made available to the Amalgamated Company by the Amalgamating Company at least 2 (Two) working days prior to the Effective Date. In case of equity shareholders for whom such details are not available with the Amalgamated Company and in case of the equity shareholders of the Amalgamating Company who hold equity shares in physical form, the Amalgamated Company shall deal with the issuance of the relevant New Equity Shares in such manner as may be permissible under the Applicable Law, including by way of issuing the said New Equity Shares in dematerialised form to a demat account held by a trustee nominated by the Board of the Amalgamated Company or into an escrow account opened by the Amalgamated Company or an escrow agent nominated by it, with a depository, as determined by the Board of the Amalgamated Company, where such New Equity Shares of the Amalgamated Company shall be held on for the benefit of such shareholders (or to such of their respective heirs, executors, administrators or other legal representatives or other successors in title) of the Amalgamated Company. The New Equity Shares so held in such trustee's account or escrow account, as the case may be, shall be transferred to the respective shareholders once such shareholder provides details of his/ her/ its demat account to the Amalgamated Company, along with such documents as may be required by the Amalgamated Company. The respective shareholders shall have all the rights of the shareholders of the Amalgamated Company, including the right to receive dividend, voting rights and other corporate benefits, pending such transfer of the said New Equity shares from the said trustee's account or

- the escrow account, as the case may be. All costs and expenses incurred in this respect shall be borne by Amalgamated Company.
- 27.10 The New Equity Shares to be issued by the Amalgamated Company pursuant to Clause 27.1 above in respect of such equity shares of the Amalgamating Company as are subject to lock-in pursuant to Applicable Law, if applicable, shall remain locked-in as required under the Applicable Law.
- 27.11 The New Equity Shares to be issued by the Amalgamated Company pursuant to Clause 27.1 above in respect of such equity shares of the Amalgamating Company, the allotment or transfer of which is held in abeyance under the Applicable Law shall, pending allotment or settlement of dispute by order of the appropriate court or otherwise, also be kept in abeyance in like manner by the Amalgamated Company.
- 27.12 The Amalgamated Company shall enter into such arrangements and give such confirmations and/ or undertakings as may be necessary in accordance with Applicable Law for complying with the formalities of the concerned Stock Exchanges.
- 27.13 The New Equity Shares allotted pursuant to the Scheme shall remain frozen in the depositories system until listing/trading permission is given by the Stock Exchanges, as the case may be.
- 27.14 In the event, the Amalgamating Company or the Amalgamated Company restructures their equity share capital by way of share split / consolidation / issue of bonus shares during the pendency of the Scheme, the Share Exchange Ratio, per Clause 27.1 above shall be adjusted accordingly, to consider the effect of any such corporate actions.

# 28. CANCELLATION OF EQUITY SHARES HELD BY THE AMALGAMATED COMPANY IN THE AMALGAMATING COMPANY

- 28.1 Simultaneous with the issuance of the New Equity Shares, in accordance with Clause 27 of this Scheme, the existing issued and paid-up equity share capital of the Amalgamating Company, as held by the Amalgamated Company, shall, without any further application, act, instrument or deed, be automatically cancelled.
- 28.2 The cancellation of the equity share capital held by the Amalgamated Company in the Amalgamating Company, in accordance with Clause 28.1 of this Scheme, shall be effected as a part of this Scheme itself and not under a separate procedure, in terms of Section 66 of the Companies Act and the order of the Tribunal sanctioning this Scheme shall be deemed to be an order under Section 66 of the Companies Act, or any other applicable provisions, confirming the reduction. The consent of the shareholders of Amalgamating Company to this Scheme shall be deemed to be the consent of its shareholders for the purpose of effecting the reduction under the

provisions of Section 66 of the Companies Act as well and no further compliances would be separately required.

### 29. ACCOUNTING TREATMENT IN THE BOOKS OF AMALGAMATED COMPANY

- 29.1 The Amalgamated Company, shall, upon this Scheme becoming effective and with effect from the Appointed Date, account for the amalgamation of the Amalgamating Company with the Amalgamated Company, on completion of all substantial conditions for the transfer, in accordance with "Pooling of Interests Method" laid down in Appendix C of Ind AS-103 (Business Combinations of entities under common control) notified under Section 133 of the Companies Act, under the Companies (Indian Accounting Standard) Rules, 2015, as may be amended from time to time, such that:
  - 29.1.1 The Amalgamated Company shall record the assets, liabilities and reserves, if any, of the Amalgamating Company vested in it pursuant to this Scheme, at the respective book values and in the same form as appearing in the Consolidated financials of Amalgamated Company
  - 29.1.2 The identity of the reserves shall be preserved and the Amalgamated Company shall record the reserves of the Amalgamating Company in the same form and at the carrying amount as appearing in the consolidated financial statements of Amalgamated Company
  - 29.1.3 The value of investment held by the Amalgamated Company in the Amalgamating Company shall stand cancelled pursuant to the amalgamation.
  - 29.1.4 Pursuant to the amalgamation of the Amalgamating Company with the Amalgamated Company, the inter-company balances between the Amalgamated Company and the Amalgamating Company, if any, appearing in the books of the Amalgamated Company and the value of all investments held by the Amalgamated Company in the Amalgamating Company shall stand cancelled.
  - 29.1.5 The surplus/deficit, if any arising after taking the effect of clause 29.1.1, clause 29.1.2, clause 29.1.3 and after giving the effect of the adjustments referred to in clause 29.1.4, shall be transferred to the "Capital Reserve" in the financial statements of the Amalgamated Company and shall be presented separately from other capital reserves with disclosure of its nature and purpose in the notes.
  - 29.1.6 In case of any difference in the accounting policy between the Amalgamating Company and the Amalgamated Company, the accounting policies followed by the Amalgamated



Company will prevail to ensure that the financial statements reflect the financial position based on consistent accounting policies.

- 29.1.7 Comparative financial information in the financial statements of the Amalgamated Company shall be restated for the accounting impact of amalgamation, as stated above, as if the amalgamation had occurred from the beginning of the comparative period. However, if business combination had occurred after that date, the prior period information shall be restated only from that date.
- 29.1.8 Any matter not dealt with in the Clause hereinabove shall be dealt with in accordance with the accounting standards applicable to the Amalgamated Company.

### 30. CONDUCT OF BUSINESS UNTIL THE EFFECTIVE DATE

30.1 From the date on which the Boards of the Amalgamating Company and the Amalgamated Company approve the Scheme until the Effective Date, the Amalgamating Company and the Amalgamated Company shall carry on their respective businesses with reasonable diligence and business prudence in the ordinary course consistent with past practice, in accordance with Applicable Law and as mutually agreed between the Amalgamating Company and the Amalgamated Company. Notwithstanding anything contained in the Scheme to the contrary, the Amalgamating Company and the Amalgamated Company shall be able to raise capital from the date on which the Boards of the Amalgamating Company and the Amalgamated Company approve the Scheme, as it may deem fit.

### 31. DISSOLUTION OF THE AMALGAMATING COMPANY

31.1 Upon the coming into effect of Part D of this Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date, of the Amalgamating Company shall stand dissolved without being wound up, without any further act or deed and no specific accounting is prescribed in the Indian Accounting Standards specified under Section 133 of the Act for such transfer.

# 32. CONSOLIDATION OF THE AUTHORISED SHARE CAPITAL OF THE AMALGAMATING COMPANY WITH THE AUTHORISED SHARE CAPITAL OF THE AMALGAMATED COMPANY

32.1 Upon Part D of the Scheme becoming effective and with effect from the Appointed Date, the resultant authorized share capital of the Amalgamating Company (i.e., after consolidation of authorised share capital of Transferor Companies with the Transferee Company pursuant of Part C of the Scheme) shall stand transferred to and be amalgamated/combined with the authorized share capital of the Amalgamated Company. The fees or stamp duty, if any, paid by the Amalgamating Company on their authorized share capital shall be deemed to have been so paid by the Amalgamated Company on the combined authorized share capital, and the Amalgamated

Company shall not be required to pay any fee/ stamp duty for the increase of the authorized share capital. The authorized share capital of the Amalgamated Company will automatically stand increased to that effect by simply filing the requisite forms with the Registrar of Companies and no separate procedure or instrument or deed shall be required to be followed under the Companies Act.

Clause V. of the memorandum of association of the Amalgamated Company shall, upon the Scheme becoming effective, and without any further act, instrument or deed, be replaced by the following clause:

- "V. The Authorised Share Capital of the Company is Rs. 2,25,55,50,000/- (Rupees Two Hundred Twenty-Five Crores Fifty-Five Lakhs and Fifty Thousand Only) comprising of 45,11,10,000 (Forty-Five Crores Eleven Lakhs Ten Thousand Only) equity shares of the face value of Rs. 5/- (Rupees Five only) each."
- 32.2 For the avoidance of doubt, it is hereby clarified that if the authorized share capital of the Amalgamating Company or the Amalgamated Company undergoes any change, either as a consequence of any corporate action or otherwise, then, this Clause 32.1 shall automatically stand modified to take into account the effect of such change.
- 32.3 The approval of this Scheme by the equity shareholders of the Amalgamated Company under Sections 230 to 232 of the Companies Act, shall be deemed to have been an approval under Section 13, Section 61 and Section 64 or any other applicable provisions under the Companies Act and no further resolution(s) would be required to be separately passed in this regard.



### PART E - GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS APPLICABLE TO THIS SCHEME

### 33. IMPACT OF THE SCHEME ON NON-CONVERTIBLE DEBENTURE HOLDERS OF THE AMALGAMATED COMPANY

- 33.1 Pursuant to this Scheme, there will be no change in terms and conditions of Non-Convertible Debentures ("NCDs") of the Amalgamated Company. Details of Listed NCDs of the Amalgamated Company are set out in Schedule I hereto.
- 33.2 Safeguards for the protection of holders of NCDs of the Amalgamated Company: Pursuant to the Scheme, the NCD holders of the Amalgamated Company as on the Effective Date will continue to hold NCDs of the Amalgamated Company, without any interruption, on same terms, including the coupon rate, tenure, redemption price, quantum, and nature of security, ISIN, etc. A certificate from statutory auditor of the Amalgamated Company certifying the payment/ repayment capability of the Amalgamated Company against the outstanding NCDs is referred in Schedule I hereto.
- 33.3 Exit offer to NCDs holders of the Amalgamated Company: The NCDs of the Amalgamated Company, as on the Effective Date, will continue to be freely tradable and listed on the BSE Limited, thereby providing liquidity to holders of the NCDs of the Amalgamated Company.
- 33.4 In view of the provisions of this clause 33 above, the Scheme will not have any adverse impact on the holders of NCDs.

### 34. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

- 34.1 Upon the coming into effect of the Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date and subject to the provisions of the Scheme, the following shall be deemed to have occurred, only in the sequence and in the order mentioned hereunder:
  - a. filing of certified copies of the order(s) of the Tribunal with the Registrar of Companies by each of the Transferor Companies and the Transferee Company, pursuant to which, the amalgamation of the Transferor Companies into and with the Transferee Company, in accordance with Part C of this Scheme shall become effective;
  - reorganization/reclassification of the respective authorized share capital of the Transferor
     Companies, in accordance with Part C of the Scheme;
  - c. transfer of the respective authorized share capital of the Transferor Companies to the Transferee Company and consequential increase in the authorized share capital of the Transferee Company in accordance with Part C of the Scheme;

- d. cancellation of the equity shares issued by the respective Transferor Companies to the
   Transferee Company, in accordance with Part C of the Scheme;
- e. dissolution of the respective Transferor Companies without being wound up, in accordance with Part C of the Scheme:
- f. filing of certified copies of the order(s) of the Tribunal with the Registrar of Companies by the Amalgamating Company and the Amalgamated Company, pursuant to which, the amalgamation of the Amalgamating Company into and with the Amalgamated Company, in accordance with Part D of this Scheme shall become effective;
- g. transfer of the authorized share capital of the Amalgamating Company to the Amalgamated Company and consequential increase in the authorized share capital of the Amalgamated Company in accordance with Part D of the Scheme;
- h. dissolution of the Amalgamating Company without being wound up, in accordance with Part D of the Scheme:
- i. cancellation of the shareholding of the Amalgamated Company in the Amalgamating Company in its entirety, without any further act or deed, in accordance with Part D of the Scheme:
- j. issue and allotment of New Equity Shares of the Amalgamated Company to the shareholders of the Amalgamating Company as of the Record Date in accordance with Part D of this Scheme; and

### 35. DIVIDEND

- 35.1 The Parties shall be entitled to declare and pay dividends to their respective shareholders in the ordinary course of business, whether interim or final, as per their respective dividend policies consistent with the past practice (except any years for which dividend declaration and payout was restricted by any Governmental Authority) in respect of the accounting period after the date of approval of the Scheme by the Board of the Parties and prior to the Effective Date.
- 35.2 It is clarified that the aforesaid provisions in respect of declaration of dividends (whether interim or final) are enabling provisions only and shall not be deemed to confer any right on any shareholder of the Transferor Companies, Amalgamating Company and/or the Amalgamated Company to demand or claim any dividends which, subject to Clause 35.1 and the provisions of the Companies Act, shall be entirely at the discretion of the Board of the Transferor Companies,



Amalgamating Company and/or Amalgamated Company, as the case may be, and subject, wherever necessary, to the approval of the respective shareholders.

### 36. APPLICATION AND PETITION TO THE TRIBUNALS AND APPROVALS

- 36.1 Each of the Transferor Companies, Amalgamating Company and the Amalgamated Company, respectively, shall, with all reasonable dispatch, make and file all applications/petitions under Sections 230 to 232 read with other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, to the Tribunal, for sanction of this Scheme and for dissolution of the Transferor Companies and the Amalgamating Company, respectively.
- 36.2 The Amalgamated Company shall be entitled, pending the sanction of the Scheme, to apply to any Governmental Authority, if required, under any Applicable Law for such consents and approvals which the Amalgamated Company may require to own the Undertaking of the Amalgamating Company and to carry on the business of the Amalgamating Company

### 37. MODIFICATION OR AMENDMENT TO THE SCHEME

- 37.1 The Parties by their respective Boards, acting jointly but not individually, at any time, may make and/ or consent to any modifications/ amendments to the Scheme, or to any conditions or limitations that the Tribunal or any other Governmental Authority may deem fit to direct or impose or which may otherwise be considered necessary, desirable or appropriate by the Tribunal or such other Governmental Authority, whether in pursuance of a change in Applicable Law or otherwise. The Parties by their respective Boards, shall be authorized to take all such steps as may be necessary, desirable or proper to resolve any doubts, difficulties or questions whether by reason of any directive or orders of any other authorities or otherwise howsoever arising out of or under or by virtue of the Scheme and/ or any matter concerned or connected therewith.
- 37.2 For the purpose of giving effect to this Scheme or to any modifications or amendments thereof or additions thereto, the delegate(s) of the Parties, acting jointly, may give and are hereby authorized to determine and give all such directions as are necessary including directions for settling or removing any question of doubt or difficulties that may arise and such determination or directions, as the case may be, shall be binding on all the Parties, in the same manner as if the same were specifically incorporated in this Scheme.

### 38. VALIDITIY OF EXISITNG RESOLUTIONS, ETC.

38.1 Upon the coming into effect of the Scheme, the resolutions of each of the Transferor Companies and the Amalgamating Company as are considered necessary by the Board of Amalgamated Company which are validly subsisting on the Effective Date, be considered as resolutions of Amalgamated Company. If any such resolutions have any monetary limits approved under the

provisions of the Companies Act or of any other applicable statutory provisions, then the said limits, as are considered necessary by the Board of Amalgamated Company, shall be added to the limits, if any, under the like resolutions passed by Amalgamated Company.

### 39. CONDITIONALITY OF SCHEME

- 39.1 Unless otherwise decided (or waived) by the Parties, the effectiveness of this Scheme is and shall be conditional upon and subject to the fulfilment or waiver (to the extent permitted under the Applicable Law) of the following conditions precedent
  - a. the requisite consent, approval or permission of relevant Governmental Authorities including but not limited to the Stock Exchanges approval, in relation to the Scheme having been obtained by the relevant Parties;
  - b. this Scheme being approved by the requisite majorities of the various classes of the shareholders and creditors (where applicable) of each of the Parties, as required under the Companies Act or dispensation having been received from the Tribunal in relation to obtaining such approval from the members and/or creditors or any Applicable Law permitting the respective Parties not to convene the meetings of its members and/or creditors;
  - c. the Amalgamated Company, complying with the provisions of SEBI Circular, including seeking approval of the holders of NCDs of the Amalgamated Company, through e-voting, as applicable
  - d. the sanctions and orders of the Tribunal for the Scheme, under Sections 230 to 232 of the Companies Act being obtained by the Parties and the Parties having received a certified true copy of order of the Tribunal approving the Scheme;
  - e. such other conditions as may be mutually agreed between the Amalgamating Company and the Amalgamated Company
- 39.2 It is hereby clarified that (i) Part C of this Scheme will take effect prior to Part D of this Scheme; and (iii) submission of this Scheme to the Tribunal and to the Governmental Authorities for their respective approvals is without prejudice to all rights, interests, titles or defenses that Parties may have under or pursuant to all Applicable Law.
- 39.3 On the approval of this Scheme by each class of shareholders of the Parties and such other classes of Persons of the Parties, if any, such classes of shareholders and classes of Persons shall also be deemed to have resolved and accorded all relevant consents under the Companies

Act or under any contract, arrangement/agreement subsisting between such Persons and the Parties, for the Scheme and/or any action taken in terms of or pursuant to the Scheme.

## 40. EFFECT OF NON-SATISFACTION OF THE CONDITIONS/ NON-RECIEPT OF APPROVALS/ SANCTIONS

- 40.1 In the event of any of the said approvals referred to in Clause 39 above not being obtained and/ or complied with and/ or satisfied and/ or this Scheme not being sanctioned by the Tribunal and/ or order or orders not being passed as aforesaid before the expiry of 24 (Twenty Four) months from the last of the dates of approval of the Scheme by the respective Boards of each of the Parties, any Party may terminate this Scheme and upon such termination this Scheme shall stand revoked, cancelled and be of no effect. Provided that, in case of non-satisfaction of any other conditions precedent, the Parties shall proceed in such manner as may be mutually agreed between them.
- 40.2 If any provision of this Scheme hereof is invalid, ruled illegal by the Tribunal, or unenforceable under present or future Applicable Laws, then such provision (so far as it is invalid or unenforceable) shall be severable from the remainder of the Scheme. Further, if the deletion of such part of this Scheme may cause this Scheme to become materially adverse to either any of the Parties, then in such case the Parties shall attempt to bring about a modification in the Scheme, as will best preserve for the Amalgamated Company the benefits and obligations of the Scheme, including but not limited to such provision.
- 40.3 If any proposed modification/ amendment to this Scheme under Clause 37, materially adversely affects the interest of any of the Transferor Companies, Amalgamating Company or the Amalgamated Company, then such modification/ amendment shall not be binding on such affected Party, and such Party shall have the right to withdraw the Scheme.
- 40.4 Parties, acting jointly and not individually, shall be at liberty to withdraw the Scheme from the Tribunal, any time before the coming into effect of this Scheme.

### 41. COSTS, CHARGES AND EXPENSES

- 41.1 All costs, charges, Taxes including duties, levies and all other expenses, if any (save as expressly otherwise agreed), incurred by any of Parties in carrying out and implementing this Scheme and matters incidentals thereto, shall be respectively borne by such Parties, till the Effective Date.
- 41.2 All costs, charges, Taxes including duties, levies and all other expenses, if any (save as expressly otherwise agreed), incurred by any of Parties in carrying out and implementing this Scheme and



matters incidentals thereto, after the Effective Date, shall be borne by the Amalgamated Company.



# Schedule I Details of listed NCDs of the Amalgamated Company as on the date of Board of the Amalgamated Company approving the Scheme

ISIN	INE916U08020	INE916U08012	INE916U08046	INE916U08038	
No of NCDs	18125	18125	18125	18125	
Face value	100000	100000	100000	100000	
per NCD					
Bid Opening	5th October, 2023	5th October, 2023	5th October, 2023	5th October, 2023	
Date					
Bid Closing	5 <sup>th</sup> October, 2023	5 <sup>th</sup> October, 2023	5th October, 2023	5th October, 2023	
Date					
Date of	6th October, 2023	6th October, 2023	6th October, 2023	6th October, 2023	
Allotment					
Redemption	100000	100000	100000	100000	
Price per					
NCD					
Redemption	6th October, 2025	6th October, 2026	4 <sup>th</sup> April, 2025	6th April, 2026	
Date					
Terms of	Redeemable at Par	Redeemable at	Redeemable at	Redeemable at	
Redemption		Par	Par	Par	
Redemption	At Par	At Par	At Par	At Par3	
Premium/				14	
Discount					
Redemption	100000	100000	100000	100000	
Amount					
	8.45%	8.45%	8.45%	V8.45%	
Coupon Rate					
	Annually and on	Annually and on	Annually and on	Annually and on	
	maturity(on	maturity(on	maturity(on	maturity(on	
Coupon	outstanding value	outstanding value	outstanding value	outstanding value	
Frequency	of debentures)	of debentures)	of debentures)	of debentures)	
Credit Rating					
Call option	IND AA/Stable NA	IND AA/Stable NA	IND AA/Stable	IND AA/Stable NA	
Latest audit					
financials	Refer to following URL on the website of the Transferee Company: <a href="https://www.sheelafoam.com/pdf/Fourth">https://www.sheelafoam.com/pdf/Fourth</a> Quarter Results March 31, 2023.pdf				
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certificate	https://www.sheelafoam.com/pdf/Application to BSE for NOC under Regulation 37.p					
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repayment						
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Fairness		Refer to following URL on the website of the Transferee Company:				
opinion on	https://www.sheelafoa	m.com/pdf/Application	to BSE for NOC un	der Regulation 37.p		
swap ratio	<u>df</u>					
Put Options	NA	NA	NA	NA		
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details	of Early	Debenture	Debenture	Debenture		
uetalis	Redemption").	Holder(s)	Holder(s)	Holder(s)		

Upon any Debenture Holder(s) providing a Notice of Early Redemption, the Issuer shall be obliged to redeem the Debentures held by such Debenture Holder(s), not later than the Early Redemption Date. The Issuer shall, pursuant to the Notice of Early Redemption, repay all the Outstanding Amounts, whether due or not, in respect of the relevant Debentures held by such Debenture Holder(s) issuing the Notice of Early Redemption. On occurrence of any of the Early Redemption Event, the Company shall also have the option to redeem all the Debentures within a period of 60 (sixty) days from the date of Early

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	Holders on the			
	date of the			
	relevant Early			
	Redemption			
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Put date	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Put price	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Call price	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Call date	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Put	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
notification				
time				
Call	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
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