

NOTICE TO THE 30TH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the Thirtieth (30th) Annual General Meeting of the Members of **PONDY OXIDES AND CHEMICALS LIMITED** will be held on Thursday, 18th September 2025 at 03:00 P.M through Video Conferencing/Other Audio-Visual Means ("OAVM") to transact the following businesses:

ORDINARY BUSINESSES:

 To receive, consider and adopt the Standalone and Consolidated Audited Financial Statements of the Company for the Financial Year ended 31st March 2025, together with the reports of Board of Directors' and Auditors' thereon:

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

"RESOLVED THAT the Audited Standalone and Consolidated Financial statements for the year ended 31st March 2025, and Board's Report and Auditor's Report thereon be and are hereby considered and adopted."

 Declaration of Final Dividend of ₹ 3.50/- (i.e. 70%) per equity share of ₹ 5/- each for the Financial Year ended 31st March 2025:

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

"RESOLVED THAT the final dividend of ₹ 3.50/- per equity share of ₹ 5/- each (70%) as recommended by the Board of Directors in their meeting held on 16th May 2025, be and is hereby declared for the financial year ended 31st March 2025 and that the same be paid out of the profits of the Company for the said Financial Year to those shareholders whose names appear in the Register of Members and the beneficial holders of the dematerialised shares as on 11th September 2025 as per the details provided by the Depositories for this purpose."

To Appoint a Director in the place of Mr. Ashish Bansal (DIN: 01543967), who retires by rotation and being eligible, offers himself for reappointment:

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

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Section 152 of the Companies Act 2013, Mr. Ashish Bansal (DIN:

01543967), who retires by rotation and being eligible for re-appointment, be and is hereby re-appointed as a Director of the Company and he shall continue to be the Managing Director of the Company in accordance with his terms of appointment."

SPECIAL BUSINESSES:

 Appointment of M/s. KSM Associates, Practising Company Secretaries as Secretarial Auditors of the Company

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

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Section 204 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 9 of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014 [including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof for the time being in force] and pursuant to Regulation 24A and any other applicable provisions of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended from time to time, and based on the recommendation(s) of the Audit Committee and the Board of Directors. M/s. KSM Associates. Practising Company Secretaries (Firm Registration No. 12006TN529600), be and are hereby appointed as the Secretarial Auditors of the Company, for a term of five (5) consecutive years with effect from Financial Year 2025-26 to Financial Year 2029-30, at a remuneration of ₹ 2.00 Lacs (Rupees Two Lacs) per annum for the financial year 2025-26, with provision for an annual increment of 10% per year for subsequent financial years.

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors of the Company be and is hereby authorised to do all such acts, deeds and things, to enter into such agreement(s), deed(s) of amendment(s) or any such document(s), as the Board may, in its absolute discretion, consider necessary, expedient or desirable including power to sub-delegate, in order to give effect to this resolution or as otherwise considered by the Board to be in the best interest of the Company, as it may deem fit."

5. To ratify the remuneration of the Cost Auditors for the Financial Year 2024-25:

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

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Section 148 and all applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013, read with the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014 as amended from time to time, the consent of the members be and hereby accorded to ratify the remuneration of ₹ 40,000/- (Rupees Forty Thousand only) in addition to applicable taxes and out of pocket expenses, fixed by the Board of Directors, to

M/s. Vivekanandan Unni & Associates, Cost Accountants, Chennai (having Firm Registration Number 00085), appointed by the Board of Directors as Cost Auditors to conduct the Audit of the cost records of the Company for the Financial Year 2024-25."

By Order of the Board For Pondy Oxides and Chemcials Limited

K. Kumaravel

Director Finance & Company Secretary

Place : Chennai Date : 23rd July 2025



NOTES:

- The Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Government of India ("MCA") has vide its circular No. 9/2024 dated 19th September 2024, read with general circulars dated 8th April 2020; 13th April 2020; 5th May 2020; 13th January 2021; 8th December 2021; 28th December 2022 and 25th September 2023 (collectively referred to as "MCA Circulars") and the Securities and Exchange Board of India ("SEBI") has vide its circular no. SEBI/HO/ CFD/CFD-PoD-2/P/CIR/2024/133 dated 3rd October 2024read with its circular no. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD1/ CIR/P/2020/79 dated 12th May 2020 (collectively referred to as "SEBI Circular"), permitted the holding of the Annual General Meeting ("AGM" or "Meeting") through Video Conferencing ("VC")/Other Audio-Visual Means ("OAVM") facility on or before 30th September 2025, without the physical presence of the shareholders at a common venue. In compliance with the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 ("Act"), the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("Listing Regulations") and MCA & SEBI Circulars, the 30th Annual General Meeting ("AGM") of the Company is being conducted through VC/OAVM on Thursday, 18th September 2025 at 03:00 P.M.
- 2. Pursuant to the provisions of the Act, a member entitled to attend and vote at the AGM is entitled to appoint a proxy to attend and vote on his/her behalf and the proxy need not be a Member of the Company. Since this AGM is being held pursuant to the MCA Circulars through VC / OAVM, physical attendance of Members has been dispensed with. Accordingly, the facility for appointment of proxies by the Members will not be available for the AGM and hence the Attendance Slip and Proxy Form are not annexed to this Notice.
- The Members can join the AGM through VC/OAVM mode 30 minutes before and after the scheduled time of the commencement of the Meeting by following the procedure mentioned in the Notice. The facility of participation in the AGM through VC/OAVM will be made available for 1000 members on first come first served basis. This will not include large Shareholders (Shareholders holding 2% or more shareholding), Promoters, Institutional Investors, Directors, Key Managerial Personnel, the Chairpersons of the Audit Committee, Nomination and Remuneration Committee and Stakeholders Relationship Committee, Auditors etc., who are allowed to attend the AGM without restriction on account of first come first served basis. The detailed instructions for joining the Meeting through VC/OAVM forms part of the Notes to this Notice;

- The attendance of the Members attending the AGM through VC/OAVM will be counted for the purpose of reckoning the quorum under Section 103 of the Act;
- The Explanatory Statement pursuant to Section 102 of the Act, setting out material facts concerning the special business under Item No. 4 and 5 of the Notice, is annexed hereto.
- 6. Book Closure, Dividend and Bonus Shares:
 - (a) The Register of Members and the Share Transfer Books of the Company will remain closed from Friday, 12th September 2025 till Thursday, 18th September 2025 (both days inclusive) for the purpose of payment of dividend;
 - (b) If dividend on Equity Shares, as recommended by the Board, is approved at the 30th Annual General Meeting, the payment of such dividend will be made as under:
 - to all beneficial owners in respect of Shares held in electronic form as per details furnished by the Depositories for this purpose as at the end of 11th September 2025.
 - (ii) to all Members in respect of Shares held in physical form, after giving effect to valid transfer, transmission or transposition requests lodged with the Company on or before 11th September 2025.
- 7. SEBI vide its notification dated 24th January 2022, has mandated that all requests for transfer of securities including transmission and transposition requests shall be processed only in dematerialised form. In view of the same and to eliminate all risks associated with physical shares and for ease of portfolio management, members holding shares in physical form are advised to dematerialise the shares held by them. Members can contact the Company or Company's Registrars and Transfer Agents M/s. Cameo Corporate Services Limited for assistance in this regard;
- 8. Members may please note that SEBI vide its circular No. SEBI/HO/MIRSD/MIRSD_RTAMB/P/CIR/2022/8 dated 25th January 2022, has mandated the listed companies to issue securities in dematerialised form only while processing service request viz., Issue of duplicate securities certificates; claim from Unclaimed Suspense Account; Renewal / Exchange of securities certificate; Endorsement; Sub-division / Splitting of securities certificate; consolidation of securities certificate/folios; Transmission; Transposition. Accordingly, members are requested to make service requests by submitting a duly filled and signed Form ISR-4, on the website of the Company's Registrar and Share Transfer Agent,



M/s. Cameo Corporate Services Limited at https:// cameoindia.com/registry-and-share-transfer. It may be noted that any service request can be processed only after the folio is KYC Compliant.

- To support the "Green Initiative", Members who have not registered their email addresses are requested to register the same with the Company's Registrar and Share Transfer Agent/their Depository Participants, in respect of shares held in physical/electronic mode, respectively, for receiving all communication(s) including Annual Report, Notices, Circulars, etc. from the Company electronically;
- 10. Members are requested to intimate changes, if any, pertaining to their name, postal address, email address, telephone/ mobile numbers, Permanent Account Number (PAN), mandates, nominations, power of attorney, bank details such as, name of the bank and branch details, bank account number, MICR code, IFSC code, etc., to their Depository Participant in case the shares are held in electronic form and in case the shares are held in physical form to M/s. Cameo Corporate Services Limited in prescribed form ISR-1 and other forms pursuant to SEBI Circular No. SEBI/HO/MIRSD_ RTAMB/P/CIR/2021/655 dated 3rd November 2021, SEBI/HO/MIRSD_RTAMB/P/CIR/2021/687 dated 14th November 2021, SEBI/HO/MIRSD/MIRSD-PoD-1/P/ CIR/2023/37 dated 16th March 2023 and SEBI Circular No. SEBI/HO/MIRSD/POD-1/P/CIR/2023/181 dated 17th November 2023;
- 11. In case of joint holders attending the AGM, the Member whose name appears as the first holder in the order of names as per the Register of Members of the Company will be entitled to vote;
- 12. Members seeking any information with regard to the financial statements are requested to write to the Company at kk@pocl.com at least 7 days before the Annual General Meeting so as to enable the management to keep the information ready at the Annual General Meeting;

13. Transfer of Unclaimed/Unpaid amounts to the Investor **Education and Protection Fund (IEPF):**

Members are requested to note that dividends not encashed or remaining unclaimed for a period of 7 (seven) years from the date of transfer to the Company's Unpaid Dividend Account, shall be transferred to the Investor Education and Protection Fund ("IEPF") established by the Central Government. Further, pursuant to the provisions of Section 124 of the Act read with the Investor Education and Protection Fund Authority

(Accounting, Audit, Transfer and Refund) Rules, 2016 ("IEPF Rules") as amended to date, all shares on which dividend has not been paid or claimed for seven consecutive years or more shall be transferred to IEPF Authority as notified by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs.

The Members/Claimants whose shares and/or unclaimed dividend amount have been transferred to IEPF may claim the shares or apply for refund by making an application to IEPF Authority in Form IEPF-5 (available on www.iepf.gov.in). The Member/Claimant can file only one consolidated claim in a Financial Year as per the IEPF Rules.

It is in the Members' interest to claim any uncashed dividends and for future, opt for Electronic Clearing Service, so that dividends paid by the Company are credited to the Members' account on time.

Members who have not yet encashed the dividend warrants, from the Financial Year ended 31st March 2018 onwards are requested to forward their claims to the Company's Registrar and Share Transfer Agents. Members are requested to contact the Company's Registrar and Share Transfer Agent at the following address, to claim the unclaimed/ unpaid dividends:

M/s. Cameo Corporate Services Limited

"Subramanian Building",

No.1. Club House Road

Chennai - 600002

Tamil Nadu, India

Tel: +91-44-4002 0700

Email: murali@cameoindia.com

Online Investor Portal: https://wisdom.cameoindia. com/

Website: https://cameoindia.com/

- (b) Pursuant to the provisions of Section 124 of the Companies Act, 2013, read with applicable rules, the Company has transferred the unpaid or unclaimed dividends for the financial year 2016-17 on due dates, to the Investor Education and Protection Fund (the IEPF) established by the Central Government;
- Pursuant to the provisions of Section 124 of the Companies Act, 2013, the Company has uploaded the details of unpaid and unclaimed amounts lying with the Company as on 31st March 2025 on the website of the Company (https://pocl.com/ portfolio/investor-relations/).



(d) Pursuant to provisions of Section 124 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with applicable rules, unpaid dividend due for transfer to the Investor Education and Protection Fund (IEPF) are as follows:

Dividend for the	Date of	Proposed date of
year ended	Declaration	Transfer*
31st March 2017	27 th September	2 nd November
	2017	2024
31st March 2018	22 nd September	28 th October 2025
	2018	
31st March 2019	18 th September	24 th October 2026
	2019	
31st March 2020	13 th March	18 th April 2027
	2020	
31st March 2021	18 th September	24 th October 2028
	2021	
31st March 2022	21st September	27 th October 2029
	2022	
31st March 2023	22 nd September	28 th October 2030
	2023	
31st March 2024	18 th September	25 th October 2031
	2024	

- *Indicative dates, actual dates may vary.
- (e) Pursuant to the notification of Section 124(6) of the Companies Act, 2013 read with the Investor Education and Protection Authority Fund (Accounting, Audit, Transfer and Refund) Rules, 2016, the Company is required to transfer the shares in respect of which dividend has not been paid or claimed for seven consecutive years or more. The Company has issued notice to the concerned shareholders intimating them of the impending transfer of shares and simultaneously published a notice in the newspapers. The Company has also uploaded the details of the same on the website of the Company for the benefit of the shareholders. Members are requested to verify the status in the Company's website (https://pocl.com/transfer-ofshares/).

14. Payment of Dividend through electronic means:

(a) To avoid loss of dividend warrants in transit and undue delay in receipt of dividend warrants, the Company provides the facility to the Members for remittance of dividend directly in electronic mode through National Automated Clearing House (NACH). Members holding shares in physical form and desirous of availing this facility of electronic remittance are requested to provide their latest bank account details (Core Banking Solutions

- Enabled Account Number, 9-digit MICR and 11-digit IFS Code), along with their Folio Number and original cancelled cheque leaf bearing the name of the first-named shareholder as account holder, to the Company's Registrar and Share Transfer Agent M/s. Cameo Corporate Services Limited;
- (b) Members holding shares in electronic form are requested to provide the said details to their respective Depository Participants;
- (c) Members holding shares in electronic form are hereby informed that bank particulars registered against their respective depository accounts will be used by the Company for payment of dividend. The Company or its Registrars cannot act on any request received directly from the Members holding shares in electronic form for any change of bank particulars or bank mandates. Such changes are to be advised only to the respective Depository Participant of the Members;
- (d) Pursuant to Finance Act, 2020, dividend income will be taxable in the hands of shareholders w.e.f. 1st April 2020 and the Company is required to deduct tax at source from dividend paid to shareholders at the prescribed rates. For the prescribed rates for various categories, the shareholders are requested to refer to the Finance Act, 2020 and amendments thereof. The shareholders are requested to update their PAN with the Company / Registrar and Transfer Agent (in case of shares held in physical mode) and with the Depository Participants (in case of shares held in Demat mode).

A Resident individual shareholder with PAN and who is not liable to pay income tax, can submit a yearly declaration in Form No. 15G/15H, to avail the benefit of non-deduction of tax at source by sending an email to murali@cameoindia.com latest by 11:59 P.M. (IST) on Thursday, 11th September 2025.

Shareholders are requested to note that incase their PAN is not registered, the tax will be deducted at a higher rate of 20%

Non-resident shareholders can avail beneficial rates under tax treaty between India and their country of residence, subject to providing necessary documents i.e. No Permanent Establishment and Beneficial Ownership Declaration, Tax Residency Certificate, Form 10F, any other document which may be required to avail the tax treaty benefits by sending an email to murali@ cameoindia.com. The aforesaid declarations and documents need to be submitted by the shareholders latest by 11:59 P.M. (IST) on Thursday, 11th September 2025.

15. Members holding shares in physical form are requested to advise any change of address immediately to the Company's Registrar and Share Transfer Agent. Members holding shares in electronic form must send the advice about change in address to their respective Depository Participant only and not to the Company or the Company's Registrar and Share Transfer Agent.

16. Updation of Members' Details:

The format of the Register of Members prescribed by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs under the Act requires the Company / Registrar and Share Transfer Agent to record additional details of Members, including their PAN details, email address, bank details for payment of dividend, etc. Members holding shares in physical form are requested to submit the details to the Company or to its Registrar and Share Transfer Agent. Members holding shares in electronic form are requested to submit the details to their respective Depository Participant.

17. Nomination Facility:

As per the provisions of Section 72 of the Act and Rule 19(1) of the Companies (Share Capital and Debentures) Rules, 2014, as amended, Members holding shares in physical form may file nomination in the prescribed Form SH-13 with the Company's Registrar and Share Transfer Agent. In respect of shares held in dematerialised form, the nomination form may be filed with the respective Depository Participant.

 All documents referred to in the accompanying Notice and the Explanatory Statement shall be open for inspection by the Members by writing an e-mail to the Company Secretary at kk@pocl.com;

19. Online Dispute Resolution Portal ("ODR PORTAL"):

SEBI vide Master Circular No. SEBI/HO/ OIAE/OIAE_IAD-3/P/CIR/2023/195 dated 31st July 2023 (updated as on 28th December 2023), has established a common Online Dispute Resolution Portal ("ODR Portal") for resolution of disputes arising in the Indian Securities Market.

Pursuant to above-mentioned circular, post exhausting the option to resolve their grievances with the RTA/ Company directly and through existing SCORES platform, the investors can initiate dispute resolution through the ODR Portal (https://smartodr.in/login)

The aforesaid SEBI Circular can be viewed on the following link https://pocl.com/public-announcements/

20. In compliance with the aforesaid MCA Circulars and SEBI Circulars, Notice of the AGM along with Annual Report 2024-25 is being sent only through electronic mode to those Members whose e-mail addresses are registered with the Company / Depository Participants. Members may note that the Notice of AGM and the Annual Report 2024-25 will also be available on the Company's website at www.pocl.com, on the website of the Stock Exchanges i.e. BSE Limited at www.bseindia.com, National Stock Exchange of India Limited at https://www.nseindia.com/ and on the website of CDSL https://www.cdslindia.com/;

21. Since the AGM will be held through VC / OAVM, the Route Map is not annexed to this Notice.

VOTING THROUGH ELECTRONIC MEANS:

- In compliance with the provisions of Section 108 of the Act and the Rules framed thereunder, as amended to date and Regulation 44 of the Listing Regulations, the Members are provided with the facility to cast their vote electronically, through the e-Voting services provided by CDSL, on all the resolutions set forth in this Notice. The instructions for e-Voting are given herein below:
- The remote e-Voting period commences at 09:00 AM (IST) on Monday, 15th September 2025 and ends at 05:00 PM (IST) on Wednesday, 17th September 2025. The e-Voting module shall be disabled by CDSL for voting thereafter. During this period, Members holding shares either in physical or de-materialized form as on the Cut-Off Date i.e., Thursday, 11th September 2025, may cast their votes electronically. Any person who is not a Member as on the cut- off date should treat this Notice for information purposes only. Those Members, who will be present in the AGM through VC / OAVM facility and have not cast their vote on the Resolutions through remote e-Voting and are otherwise not barred from doing so, shall be eligible to vote through e-Voting system during the AGM. The voting rights of shareholders shall be in proportion to their share in the paid-up equity share capital of the Company as on the Cut-off date.
- 3. The Company has appointed Mr. Krishna Sharan Mishra of M/s. KSM & Associates., Company Secretaries (Membership No. FCS 6447) as the Scrutinizer to scrutinize the voting at the meeting and remote e-voting process, in a fair and transparent manner and they have communicated their willingness to be appointed and will be available for the purpose;
- The Members who have cast their vote by remote e-Voting prior to the AGM may also attend / participate in the AGM through VC / OAVM, but shall not be entitled to cast their vote again;
- The voting rights of Members shall be in proportion to their share in the paid-up equity share capital of the Company as on Thursday, 11th September 2025 ("Cut-Off Date");



6. Any person, who are other than individual shareholders holding securities in Demat mode and shareholders holding securities in physical mode, who acquires shares of the Company and become member of the Company after dispatch of the notice and holding shares as of the Cut-off date i.e. Thursday, 11th September 2025, may obtain the login ID and password by sending a request at helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com. However, if you are already registered with CDSL for remote e-Voting then you can use your existing user ID and password for casting your vote. If you have forgotten

your password, you could reset your password by using "Forgot User Details/Password" or "Physical User Reset Password" option available on www.evotingindia.com. In case of Individual shareholders holding securities in Demat mode, who acquires shares of the Company and become member of the Company after dispatch of the Notice and holding shares as of the Cut-off date i.e. Thursday, 11th September 2025 are requested to follow the login method mentioned below in point (A) under e-Voting instructions;

7. E-Voting Instructions:

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

Step 1: Access to CDSL/NSDL e-Voting system

(A) Login method for e-Voting and joining virtual meeting for Individual shareholders holding securities in Demat mode:

In terms of SEBI circular dated 9th December 2020, on e-Voting facility provided by Listed Companies, Individual shareholders holding securities in Demat mode is allowed to vote through their Demat Account maintained with Depositories and Depository Participants. Shareholders are advised to update their mobile number and email ID in their Demat Accounts in order to access e-Voting facility.

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

Type of Shareholders Login Method

Individual
Shareholders holding
securities in Demat
mode with CDSL
Depository

- (i) Users who have opted for CDSL Easi / Easiest facility, can login through their existing user id and password. Option will be made available to reach e-Voting page without any further authentication. The users to login to Easi / Easiest are requested to visit https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasitoken/Home/Login or CDSL website www.cdslindia.com and click on login icon & My Easi New (Token) Tab.
- (ii) After successful login the Easi / Easiest user will be able to see the e-Voting option for eligible companies where the evoting is in progress as per the information provided by company. On clicking the evoting option, the user will be able to see e-Voting page of the e-Voting service provider for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting. Additionally, there is also links provided to access the system of all e-Voting Service Providers, so that the user can visit the e-Voting service providers' website directly.
- (iii) If the user is not registered for Easi/Easiest, option to register is available at CDSL website www.cdslindia.com and click on login & My Easi New (Token) Tab and then click on registration option.
- (iv) Alternatively, the user can directly access e-Voting page by providing Demat Account Number and PAN No. from a e-Voting link available on www.cdslindia.com home page. The system will authenticate the user by sending OTP on registered Mobile & Email as recorded in the Demat Account. After successful authentication, user will be able to see the e-Voting option where the evoting is in progress and also able to directly access the system of all e-Voting Service Providers.

Type of Shareholders Login Method

Individual
Shareholders holding
securities in demat
mode with NSDL
Depository

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- If you are already registered for NSDL IDeAS facility, please visit the e-Services website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the following URL: https://eservices.nsdl.com/either on a Personal Computer or on a mobile. Once the home page of e-Services is launched, click on the "Beneficial Owner" icon under "Login" which is available under "IDeAS" section. A new screen will open. You will have to enter your User ID and Password. After successful authentication, you will be able to see e-Voting services. Click on "Access to e-Voting" under e-Voting services and you will be able to see e-Voting page. Click on options available against company name or e-Voting service provider NSDL and you will be re-directed to NSDL e-Voting website for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting.
- (ii) If the user is not registered for IDeAS e-Services, option to register is available at https://eservices.nsdl.com. Select "Register Online for IDeAS" Portal or click at https://eservices.nsdl.com/SecureWeb/IdeasDirectReg.jsp
- (iii) Visit the e-Voting website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the following URL: https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/ either on a Personal Computer or on a mobile. Once the home page of e-Voting system is launched, click on the icon "Login" which is available under 'Shareholder/Member' section. A new screen will open. You will have to enter your User ID (i.e. your sixteen-digit demat account number hold with NSDL), Password/OTP and a Verification Code as shown on the screen. After successful authentication, you will be redirected to NSDL Depository site wherein you can see e-Voting page. Click on company name or e-Voting service provider name and you will be redirected to e-Voting service provider website for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting.
- (iv) For OTP based login you can click on https://eservices.nsdl.com/SecureWeb/evoting/ evotinglogin.jsp. You will have to enter your 8-digit DP ID,8-digit Client Id, PAN No., Verification code and generate OTP. Enter the OTP received on registered email id/ mobile number and click on login. After successful authentication, you will be redirected to NSDL Depository site wherein you can see e-Voting page. Click on company name or e-Voting service provider name and you will be re-directed to e-Voting service provider website for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting.

Individual
Shareholders
(holding securities
in demat mode)
login through
their **Depository Participants (DP)**

You can also login using the login credentials of your Demat account through your Depository Participant registered with CDSL/NSDL for e-Voting facility. Once login is complete, you will be able to see e-Voting option. Once you click on e-Voting option, you will be redirected to CDSL/NSDL Depository site after successful authentication, wherein you can see e-Voting feature. Click on options available against company name or e-Voting service provider-CDSL and you will be redirected to e-Voting website of CDSL for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting.

<u>Important note:</u> Members who are unable to retrieve User ID/ Password are advised to use Forgot User ID and Forgot Password option available at the above-mentioned website.



Helpdesk for Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode for any technical issues related to login through Depository i.e. CDSL and NSDL

Login Type	Helpdesk details
Individual Shareholders holding	Members facing any technical issue in login can contact CDSL helpdesk by
securities in Demat mode with CDSL	sending a request at helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com or contact at toll free no. 1800 21 09911
Individual Shareholders holding securities in Demat mode with NSDL	Members facing any technical issue in login can contact NSDL helpdesk by sending a request at evoting@nsdl.co.in or call at: 022 - 4886 7000 and 022 - 2499 7000

- (B) Login Method for e-Voting and joining virtual meeting for Physical shareholders and shareholders other than individual holding in Demat form.
 - (i) The shareholders should log on to the e-voting website www.evotingindia.com.
 - (ii) Click on "Shareholders" module.
 - (iii) Now enter your User ID
 - a. For CDSL: 16 digits beneficiary ID,
 - b. For NSDL: 8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digits Client ID,
 - c. Shareholders holding shares in Physical Form should enter Folio Number registered with the Company.
 - (iv) Next enter the Image Verification as displayed and Click on Login.
 - (v) If you are holding shares in demat form and had logged on to www.evotingindia.com and voted on an earlier e-voting of any company, then your existing password is to be used.
 - (vi) If you are a first-time user follow the steps given below:

Particulars	For Physical shareholders and other than individual shareholders holding shares in Demat.
PAN	Enter your 10-digit alpha-numeric *PAN issued by Income Tax Department (Applicable for both demat shareholders as well as physical shareholders)
	Shareholders who have not updated their PAN with the Company/Depository Participant are requested to use the sequence number sent by Company/RTA or contact Company/RTA.
Dividend Bank Details OR Date of Birth (DOB)	Enter the Dividend Bank Details or Date of Birth (in dd/mm/yyyy format) as recorded in your demat account or in the Company records in order to login.
	If both the details are not recorded with the depository or company, please enter the member id / folio number in the Dividend Bank details field.

- (vii) After entering these details appropriately, click on "SUBMIT" tab.
- (viii) Shareholders holding shares in physical form will then directly reach the Company selection screen. However, shareholders holding shares in demat form will now reach 'Password Creation' menu wherein they are required to mandatorily enter their login password in the new password field. Kindly note that this password is to be also used by the demat holders for voting for resolutions of any other company on which they are eligible to vote, provided that company opts for e-voting through CDSL platform. It is strongly recommended not to share your password
- with any other person and take utmost care to keep your password confidential.
- (ix) For shareholders holding shares in physical form, the details can be used only for e-voting on the resolutions contained in this Notice.
- (x) Click on the EVSN "PONDY OXIDES & CHEMICALS LIMITED" on which you choose to vote.
- (xi) On the voting page, you will see "RESOLUTION DESCRIPTION" and against the same the option "YES/NO" for voting. Select the option YES or NO as desired. The option YES implies that you assent to the Resolution and option NO implies that you dissent to the Resolution.

- (xii) Click on the "RESOLUTIONS FILE LINK" if you wish to view the entire Resolution details.
- (xiii) After selecting the resolution, you have decided to vote on, click on "SUBMIT". A confirmation box will be displayed. If you wish to confirm your vote, click on "OK", else to change your vote, click on "CANCEL" and accordingly modify your vote.
- (xiv) Once you "CONFIRM" your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.
- (xv) You can also take a print of the votes cast by clicking on "Click here to print" option on the Voting page.
- (xvi) If a demat account holder has forgotten the login password then Enter the User ID and the image verification code and click on Forgot Password & enter the details as prompted by the system.
- (C) Additional Facility for Non Individual Shareholders and Custodians Remote Voting:
 - (i) Non-Individual shareholders (i.e. other than Individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) and Custodians are required to log on to www.evotingindia.com and register themselves in the "Corporates" module.
 - (ii) A scanned copy of the Registration Form bearing the stamp and sign of the entity should be emailed to helpdesk.evoting@ cdslindia.com.
 - (iii) After receiving the login details a Compliance User should be created using the admin login and password. The Compliance User would be able to link the account(s) for which they wish to vote on.
 - (iv) The list of accounts linked in the login will be mapped automatically & can be delinked in case of any wrong mapping.
 - (v) A scanned copy of the Board Resolution and Power of Attorney (POA) which they have issued in favour of the Custodian, if any, should be uploaded in PDF format in the system for the scrutinizer to verify the same.
 - (vi) Alternatively Non-Individual shareholders are required to send the relevant Board Resolution/ Authority letter etc. together with attested specimen signature of the duly authorised signatory who are authorised to vote, to the Scrutinizer at evoting.ksmassociates@gmail. com and to the Company at the email address

viz; kk@pocl.com, if they have voted from individual tab & not uploaded same in the CDSL e-voting system for the scrutinizer to verify the same.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR SHAREHOLDERS ATTENDING THE AGM/EGM THROUGH VC/OAVM & E-VOTING DURING MEETING ARE AS UNDER:

- The procedure for attending meeting & e-Voting on the day of the AGM/ EGM is same as the instructions mentioned above for e-voting.
- The link for VC/OAVM to attend meeting will be available where the EVSN of Company will be displayed after successful login as per the instructions mentioned above for e-voting.
- Shareholders who have voted through Remote e-Voting will be eligible to attend the meeting. However, they will not be eligible to vote at the AGM.
- 4. Shareholders are encouraged to join the Meeting through Laptops / IPads for better experience.
- Further shareholders will be required to allow Camera and use Internet with a good speed to avoid any disturbance during the meeting.
- 6. Please note that Participants Connecting from Mobile Devices or Tablets or through Laptop connecting via Mobile Hotspot may experience Audio/Video loss due to Fluctuation in their respective network. It is therefore recommended to use Stable Wi-Fi or LAN Connection to mitigate any kind of aforesaid glitches.
- 7. Members who would like to express their views or ask questions during the AGM may register themselves as a speaker by sending their request from their registered email address mentioning their name, DP ID and Client ID/folio number, PAN, mobile number at kk@pocl.com at least 7 working days prior to the AGM. Those Members who have registered themselves as a speaker will only be allowed to express their views/ask questions during the AGM. The Company reserves the right to restrict the number of speakers depending on the availability of time for the AGM.
- 8. Facility of joining the AGM through VC / OAVM shall open 30 minutes before the time scheduled for the AGM and will be available for Members on first come first serve basis.
- Members who need assistance before or during the AGM, can contact CDSL on +91 22 2305 8738 or +91 22 2305 8542-43 or contact Mr. Rakesh Dalvi, Sr. Manager at helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com.
- If any Votes are cast by the shareholders through the e-voting available during the EGM/AGM and if the same



shareholders have not participated in the meeting through VC/OAVM facility, then the votes cast by such shareholders may be considered invalid as the facility of e-voting during the meeting is available only to the shareholders attending the meeting.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS / INFORMATION FOR MEMBERS FOR VOTING ON THE RESOLUTIONS:

- Corporate / Institutional Members (i.e., other than Individuals, HUF, NRI, etc.) are also required to send scanned certified true copy (PDF / JPG Format) of the relevant Board Resolution/ Authority Letter, etc., together with attested specimen signature(s) of the duly authorised representative(s) who are authorised to vote, to the Scrutinizer at the email address: evoting. ksmassociates@gmail.com with a copy marked to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com;
- 2. It is strongly recommended not to share your password with any other person and take utmost care to keep your password confidential. Login to the e-Voting website will be disabled upon five unsuccessful attempts to key in the correct password. In such an event, you will need to go through the "Forgot User Details/Password" or "Physical User Reset Password" option available on www.evotingindia.com to reset the password.
- 3. In case of any query pertaining to e-voting, Members may refer to the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) for shareholders and e-Voting user manual for shareholders available at the download section of www. evotingindia.com or call on 022-23058738 and 022-23058542/43 or send a request at helpdesk Any query or grievance connected with the remote e-voting may be addressed to Mr. Rakesh Dalvi, Sr. Manager, CDSL, Central Depository Services (India) Limited, A Wing, 25th Floor, Marathon Futurex Mafatlal Mill Compounds, N M Joshi Marg, Lower Parel (East) Mumbai 400013 or send an email to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com.
- Any grievance or clarifications with regard to voting by electronic means may be addressed to Mr. K. Kumaravel, Company Secretary at KRM Centre, 4th Floor, No. 2, Harrington Road, Chetpet, Chennai – 600031, Tamil Nadu, India. Phone: +91-44-42965454, Email ID: kk@pocl.com.

PROCESS FOR THOSE SHAREHOLDERS WHOSE EMAIL IDS ARE NOT REGISTERED WITH THE DEPOSITORIES FOR PROCURING USER ID AND PASSWORD AND REGISTRATION OF E-MAIL IDS FOR E-VOTING FOR THE RESOLUTIONS SET OUT IN THIS NOTICE:

1. In case shares are held in physical mode please provide a request letter duly signed by the first-named

- shareholder stating Folio No., Name of shareholder, copy of the share certificate (front and back), PAN (self-attested copy of PAN card), AADHAR (self-attested copy of Aadhar Card) to the Registrars and Transfer Agents Cameo Corporate Services Limited;
- In case shares are held in Demat mode, please contact your Depository Participant (DP) and register your email address in your demat account, as per the process advised by your DP;
- If you are an Individual shareholder holding securities in Demat mode, you are requested to refer to the login method explained under Login method for e-Voting and joining virtual meeting for Individual shareholders holding securities in Demat mode;
- Alternatively, shareholder / members may send a request to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com for procuring user ID and password for e-voting by providing above mentioned documents;
- 5. In terms of SEBI circular dated 9th December 2020 on e-Voting facility provided by Listed Companies, Individual shareholders holding securities in Demat mode are allowed to vote through their Demat account maintained with Depositories and Depository Participants. Shareholders are required to update their mobile number and email ID correctly in their Demat account in order to access e-Voting facility.

OTHER INFORMATION:

- The Scrutinizer shall, immediately after the conclusion of voting at the AGM, count the votes cast at the Meeting, thereafter unblock the votes cast through remote e-voting in the presence of at least two witnesses who are not in the employment of the Company and make, not later than 48 hours of conclusion of the Meeting, a consolidated Scrutinizer's Report of the total votes cast in favour or against, if any, to the Chairman or to a person authorised by the Chairman in writing who shall countersign the same;
- 2. The Chairman or the person authorised by him in writing shall forthwith on receipt of the consolidated Scrutinizer's Report, declare the Results of the voting. The Results declared, along with the Scrutinizer's Report, shall be placed on the Company's website and on the website of CDSL immediately after the results is declared and communicated to the Stock Exchanges where the equity shares of the Company are listed;
- 3. Subject to the receipt of requisite number of votes, the Resolutions forming part of the Notice of Annual General Meeting shall be deemed to be passed on the date of the AGM i.e. Thursday, 18th September 2025.

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

(Pursuant to Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013)

As required under Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013 (Act), the following explanatory statement sets out all the material facts relating to the Special Businesses mentioned under Item No. 4 to Item no. 5 of the accompanying 30th AGM Notice:

ITEM NO. 4

Appointment of M/s. KSM Associates as Secretarial Auditors of the Company

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 204 and other applicable provisions of the Act, if any, read with Rule 9 of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014, as amended from time to time, every listed company is required to annex with its Board's Report, a Secretarial Audit Report given by a Company Secretary in Practice.

Further, pursuant to Regulation 24A of the SEBI Listing Regulations, as amended from time to time, every listed entity shall undertake Secretarial Audit by a Secretarial Auditor who shall be a Peer Reviewed Company Secretary and the appointment of such Secretarial Auditor shall be approved by the Members of the Company at the Annual General Meeting.

The Board of Directors of the Company, at its meeting held on 16th May 2025, on the recommendation(s) of the Audit Committee has, after considering and evaluating various proposals and factors such as independence, industry experience, technical skills, audit team, quality of audit reports, etc. recommended the appointment of M/s. KSM Associates as the Secretarial Auditors of the Company, to the Members at the ensuing AGM for a term of five (5) consecutive years commencing from Financial Year 2025-26 to Financial Year 2029-30, subject to the approval of the Members, at a remuneration of ₹ 2.00 Lacs (Rupees Two Lacs) per annum for the financial year 2025-26, with provision for an annual increment of 10% per year for subsequent financial years.

M/s. KSM Associates is a well-known firm of Practising Company Secretaries founded in 2006 and headquartered in Chennai. Renowned for its commitment to quality and precision, the firm has been Peer Reviewed by the ICSI, ensuring the highest standards in professional practices.

M/s. KSM Associates is focused on providing comprehensive professional services in Corporate laws, SEBI regulations, FEMA compliance, RBI laws, Insolvency and Bankruptcy laws, Intellectual Property laws etc.

The firm provides its services to various prominent companies and their expertise has earned the trust of industry leaders across sectors like Manufacturing, Real Estate & Infrastructure, Information Technology, Pharmaceuticals, and public utilities.

As required under the SEBI Listing Regulations, M/s. KSM Associates holds a Valid peer review certificate issued by the Peer Review Board of ICSI. M/s. KSM Associates has consented to its appointment as Secretarial Auditors of the Company. They have confirmed that they do not incur any disqualification specified under SEBI Circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/ CFDPoD/CIR/P/2024/185 dated 31st December 2024 and that their appointment, if made, shall be in accordance with Section 204 and other applicable provisions of the Act, rules framed thereunder and the applicable provisions of the SEBI Listing Regulations.

The Board commends the Ordinary Resolution set out at Item No. 4 of the accompanying Notice for approval of the Members of the Company.

None of the Directors or Key Managerial Personnel('KMP') of the Company and their respective relatives are concerned or interested, financially or otherwise, in the Resolution set out at Item No. 4 of the accompanying Notice.

ITEM NO. 5

Ratification of remuneration of the Cost Auditors for the Financial Year ended 31st March 2025

In accordance with the provisions of Section 148 of the Act read with the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014, the remuneration payable to the Cost Auditors as recommended by the Audit Committee and approved by the Board of Directors, has to be ratified by the members of the Company.

The Board, on the recommendation of the Audit Committee, has approved the appointment and remuneration of M/s. Vivekanandan Unni & Associates as the Cost Auditor (having Firm Registration Number 00085) to conduct the audit of the cost records of the Company for the Financial Year ended 31st March 2025. The remuneration payable to the cost auditor is ₹ 40,000/- (Rupees Forty Thousand Only) excluding taxes and reimbursement of incidental expenses incurred by the Auditor for carrying out the cost audit.

The Board commends the Ordinary Resolution set out at Item No. 5 of the accompanying Notice for approval of the Members of the Company.



None of the Directors or Key Managerial Personnel ('KMP') of the Company and their respective relatives are concerned or interested, financially or otherwise, in the Resolution set out at Item No. 5 of the accompanying Notice.

Inspection of documents:

The Documents pertaining to the above Special Business are available for inspection at the Registered Office of the Company on any day prior to the meeting during working hours.

By Order of the Board For Pondy Oxides and Chemicals Limited

K. Kumaravel

Director Finance & Company Secretary

Place : Chennai Date : 23rd July 2025