# **Sundaram Finance Holdings Limited**

(formerly known as Sundaram Finance Investments Limited and Sundaram Finance Distribution Limited)

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# NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the 24th Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held on Wednesday, the 18th July 2018, at 10.00 A.M. at the "Kasturi Srinivasan Building" (Mini Hall – The Music Academy), New No.168, Old No.306, TTK Road, Chennai 600 014, to transact the following business:

# **ORDINARY BUSINESS**

- To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modifications, the following resolution as an **Ordinary Resolution**:
  - "RESOLVED that the Audited Financial Statements, including the Consolidated Financial Statements, of the Company, for the year ended 31st March 2018 and the Board's and Auditors' Reports thereon, be and are hereby approved and adopted."
- To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modifications, the following resolution as an **Ordinary Resolution**:
  - "RESOLVED that a dividend of ₹1.50 per share (30% on the face value of ₹5/-), as recommended by the Directors, be and is hereby declared for the year ended 31st March 2018 on the paid-up capital of ₹75.55 cr. and the same be paid to shareholders whose names stand on the Register of Members of the Company on 5th July 2018 and that the dividend amount of ₹22.67 cr. representing the said dividend of ₹1.50 per share (30% on the face value of ₹5/-) be paid out of the profits for the year 2017-18.
- To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modifications, the following resolution as an **Ordinary Resolution**:
  - "RESOLVED that Sri Harsha Viji (holding DIN: 00602484), the retiring Director, be and is hereby re-elected as Director of the Company, liable for retirement by rotation."
- 4. To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modifications, the following resolution as an **Ordinary Resolution**:

"RESOLVED that pursuant to the amendments to Section 139(1) of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rule 3(7) of the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014, the appointment of M/s. R.G.N. Price & Co, Chartered Accountants, Chennai (Regn. No. 0027858), made at the 23rd Annual General Meeting as the Statutory Auditors of the Company, to hold office for a term of five (5) consecutive years from the conclusion of the 23rd Annual General Meeting until the conclusion of the 28th Annual General Meeting, be and is hereby ratified with effect from the conclusion of the 24th Annual General Meeting until the conclusion of the 28th Annual General Meeting."

"FURTHER RESOLVED that the remuneration payable to M/s. R.G.N. Price & Co, Chartered Accountants, Chennai, towards statutory audit, tax audit and certification, apart from GST and reimbursement of travelling and other out-of-pocket expenses incurred by them, may be mutually agreed between the Board of Directors of the Company and the Statutory Auditors, for the period commencing from the conclusion of the 24th Annual General Meeting until the conclusion of the 28th Annual General Meeting of the Company."

# SPECIAL BUSINESS

- 5. To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modifications, the following resolution as an **Ordinary Resolution**:
  - "RESOLVED that pursuant to Regulation 23(4) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, read with Section 188 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rules framed thereunder, the consent of the Company be and is hereby accorded to the Board of Directors of the Company to enter into contracts or arrangements with the following related parties, subject to the limits specified therein, in respect of services to be rendered and/or space to be let out, as well as services to be availed, if any, by the Company, every year, commencing from the financial year 2018-19:

Sl. No.	Name of the Related Party	Limit Per Financial Year (₹ in cr.)
1.	Sundaram Finance Limited	20
2.	Royal Sundaram General	15
	Insurance Co. Limited	

"FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board of Directors of the Company be and is hereby authorised to do all acts and take all such steps as may be necessary, proper or expedient for the purpose of giving effect to this Resolution and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.

 To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modifications, the following resolution as a **Ordinary Resolution**: "RESOLVED that pursuant to Regulation 17(6) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, read with Section 197 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013, the Company be and is hereby authorised to pay remuneration by way of commission to the Non-Executive Directors upto 1% of the net profits of the Company, commencing from the financial year 2018-19.

**FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Board of Directors may, at its discretion, decide the quantum of remuneration by way of commission within the above limit and distribute the same amongst the eligible Directors in such proportion and in such manner, as may be decided, from time to time."

By Order of the Board

Chennai 600 002 24.05.2018 P.N. SRIKANT Secretary & Compliance Officer

# NOTE:

This Notice is being sent to all the shareholders whose names appear on the Register of Members / list of Beneficial Owners, as received from National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL) / Central Depository Services (India) Limited (CDSL) as at the close of business hours on 15th June 2018.

# 1. Appointment of Proxy

A member entitled to attend and vote is entitled to appoint a proxy and such a proxy need not be a member. The proxy form duly stamped and executed, should be deposited at the Registered Office of the Company at least forty-eight hours before the time fixed for the commencement of the meeting. A person can act as proxy on behalf of not more than fifty (50) members holding in the aggregate not more than 10% of the total share capital of the Company.

# 2. Book Closure

The register of members and share transfer books of the Company will remain closed from 6th July 2018 to 18th July 2018 (both days inclusive). The dividend, if declared at the meeting, will be paid on 19th July 2018.

### 3. Voting

In accordance with the provisions of Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013, read with Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014, the Company has provided the facility of voting by electronic means (remote e-voting) to the members.

The Board of Directors has appointed Sri T.K. Bhaskar, Partner, HSB Partners, Advocates, Chennai, as the Scrutinizer, for conducting the e-voting process in a fair and transparent manner.

The Company has engaged the services of Central Depository Services (India) Limited ("CDSL") to provide e-voting facilities, enabling the members to cast their vote electronically in a secure manner.

It may be noted that the remote e-voting facility is optional. The remote e-voting facility will be available at the link www.evotingindia.com during the following voting period:

The remote e-voting would commence on Friday, the 13th July 2018 (9:00 A.M.) and end on Tuesday, the 17th July 2018 (5:00 P.M.).

During the above period, shareholders of the Company, holding shares either in physical form or in dematerialised form, as on the cut-off date of 11th July 2018, may cast their vote electronically. The e-voting module shall be disabled by CDSL for voting after 5.00 P.M. on 17th July 2018. Once the vote on a resolution is cast by the shareholder, the shareholder cannot change it subsequently.

The voting rights of Members shall be in proportion to the shares held by them in the paid up equity share capital of the Company as on 11th July 2018. Only those persons, whose names are recorded in the Register of Members or in the Register of Beneficial Owners maintained by the Depositories as on the cut-off date (11th July 2018), shall be entitled to avail the facility of remote e-voting/voting at the venue through polling paper.

Any person, who acquires shares of the Company and becomes a member after despatch of the Notice, but holds shares as on the cut-off date for remote e-voting i.e. 11th July 2018, may obtain the login Id and password by sending a request to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com or contact our Registrar & Share Transfer Agent at the address mentioned on Note no.4 (ii).

The facility for voting through polling paper shall also be made available at the meeting and Members attending the meeting who have not already cast their vote by remote e-voting shall be able to exercise their right at the meeting.

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

Members intending to vote at the venue are requested to bring their photo identity card.

The procedure and instructions for e-voting is furnished in this notice.

The Scrutinizer will submit his report to the Company after completion of the scrutiny and the results of e-voting/poll, will be announced by the Company on its website — www.sundaramholdings.in within 48 hours of the conclusion of the AGM.

- 4. Members are requested to:
  - Provide Permanent Account Number if not already provided;
  - Opt for NACH / NEFT / RTGS facility by providing latest bank account details for prompt credit and for avoiding fraudulent encashment / loss in postal transit of dividend warrant; and
  - Avail nomination facility.

For the above purposes,

 shareholders holding shares in electronic mode may approach their respective depository participants (DP)

and

(ii) shareholders holding shares in physical mode can approach M/s. Cameo Corporate Services Limited, our Registrar & Share Transfer Agent, 'Subramanian Building', No 1 Club House Road, Chennai 600 002, Tel. No. 044 2846 0390 - 0395, Email: investor@cameoindia.com. 5. Members who are holding shares in physical form are requested to avail dematerialisation facility. For further information, please refer to FAQs posted by National Securities Depository Limited on its website: www.nsdl.co.in and Central Depository Services (India) Limited on its website: www.cdslindia.com.

# EXPLANATORY STATEMENT UNDER SECTION 102 OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013

### SPECIAL BUSINESS

### Item 5

Pursuant to the demerger of the shared services business, training services and identified immovable properties, the Company will be rendering business process outsourcing services, training, learning and development services and/or letting out space to, as well as availing services from, related parties as defined under Section 2(76) of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Accounting Standard for Related Party Disclosures, in the ordinary course of business and on an arm's length basis. Regulation 23(4) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (Listing Regulations) provides that all material related party transactions, i.e., transaction(s) entered into with a related party individually or taken together with previous transactions during a financial year exceeding 10% of the annual turnover of the Company as per the last financial statements, shall require approval of the shareholders through resolution.

Considering the fact that the transactions to be entered into by your Company during the financial year 2018-19 and in future with the following related parties are likely to be material in nature, i.e., likely to exceed 10% of the annual consolidated turnover of the Company, the Company intends obtaining the approval of the shareholders for such material transactions arising out of contracts or arrangements to be entered into by the Company with the said related parties, in accordance with the provisions of Regulation 23(4) of the Listing Regulations, read with applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013.

Sl.	Name of the Related Party	Limit Per
No.		Financial Year
		(₹ in cr.)
1.	Sundaram Finance Limited	20
2.	Royal Sundaram General Insurance	15
	Co. Limited	

Accordingly, an Ordinary Resolution is submitted for your consent.

All the related parties of the Company shall abstain from voting on the Resolution.

### DISCLOSURE OF INTEREST

Except Sri S. Viji, Chairman, Sri T.T. Srinivasaraghavan and Sri Harsha Viji, Directors of the company, none of the Directors and other Key Managerial Personnel of the Company and their relatives is concerned or interested in the Resolution.

### Item 6

The Company proposes to remunerate the non-executive directors by way of commission within the limit of 1% of the net profits, as stipulated under Section 197 of the Companies Act, 2013. The non-executive directors of your company devote considerable time in laying down the policies and directions for the management of the company. The Company derives substantial benefit through their expertise and wise counsel. The everchanging corporate laws and regulations demand an increased involvement and participation on the part of the Directors in

Board and Board constituted Committee meetings. Having regard to their contribution and increased responsibilities, it is proposed to remunerate them by way of commission commencing from the financial year 2018-19.

Accordingly, an Ordinary Resolution is submitted for your consent in accordance with the provisions of Regulation 17(6) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

# DISCLOSURE OF INTEREST

All the Non-Executive Directors of the Company are deemed to be interested in the Resolution.

By Order of the Board

Chennai 600 002 24.05.2018 P.N. SRIKANT Secretary & Compliance Officer

Particulars of the Director seeking re-appointment in the forthcoming Annual General Meeting pursuant to regulation 36(3) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements)

# ITEM 3

Name of Director	Sri Harsha Viji
DIN	00602484
Date of Birth	28-08-1975
Expertise in specific functional areas	Has nearly 2 decades of experience in areas of specialisation, particularly strategy formulation, joint venture negotiations and new business development
Qualifications	B.Com., ACA, MBA (Ann Arbor, Michigan)
List of other public companies in which directorship held as on 31st March 2018	Director: - Sundaram Finance Ltd Sundaram Asset Management Company Ltd Royal Sundaram General Insurance Co. Ltd Sundaram Alternate Assets Limited
Chairman/Member of the Committees of the	Member:
Board of other public companies in which	Audit Committee:
he is a Director as on 31st March 2018	- Sundaram Asset Management Company Ltd.
	Nomination & Remuneration Committee:
	- Sundaram Asset Management Company Ltd.
	Executive Committee:
	- Sundaram Asset Management Company Ltd.
Shareholding as on 31st March 2018:	
(a) held individually	13,66,068 shares
(b) held as Karta of HUF	Nil
(c) held jointly with others	3,156 shares
(d) held as Executor / Trustee	Nil
Relationship with other Directors	Son of Sri S. Viji, Chairman

# The instructions for shareholders voting electronically are as under:

- (i) The voting period begins on 13th July 2018 (9:00 A.M.) and ends on 17th July 2018 (5:00 P.M.) During this period shareholders' of the Company, holding shares either in physical form or in dematerialized form, as on the cut-off date (record date) of 11th July 2018 may cast their vote electronically. The e-voting module shall be disabled by CDSL for voting thereafter.
- (ii) The shareholders should log on to the e-voting website www.evotingindia.com.
- (iii) Click on Shareholders.
- (iv) Now Enter your User ID
  - For CDSL: 16 digits beneficiary ID,
  - b. For NSDL: 8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digits Client ID,
  - c. Members holding shares in Physical Form should enter Folio Number registered with the Company.
- (v) Next enter the Image Verification as displayed and Click on Login.
- (vi) If you are holding shares in demat form and had logged on to www.evotingindia.com and voted on an earlier voting of any company, then your existing password is to be used.
- (vii) If you are a first time user follow the steps given below:

	For Members holding shares in Demat Form and Physical Form	
PAN	Enter your 10 digit alpha-numeric PAN issued by Income Tax Department (Applicable for both	
	demat shareholders as well as physical shareholders)	
	• Members who have not updated their PAN with the Company/Depository Participant are	
	requested to use the first two letters of their name and the 8 digits of the sequence number	
	in the PAN field.	
	• In case the sequence number is less than 8 digits enter the applicable number of 0's before	
	the number after the first two characters of the name in CAPITAL letters. Eg. If your name is	
	Ramesh Kumar with sequence number 1 then enter RA00000001 in the PAN field.	
Dividend Bank Details	Enter the Dividend Bank Details or Date of Birth (in dd/mm/yyyy format) as recorded in your	
OR Date of Birth (DOB)	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 as mentioned in instruction (iv).	

- (viii) After entering these details appropriately, click on "SUBMIT" tab.
- (ix) Members holding shares in physical form will then directly reach the Company selection screen. However, members holding shares in demat form will now reach 'Password Creation' menu wherein they are required to mandatorily enter their login password in the new password field. Kindly note that this password is to be also used by the demat holders for voting for resolutions of any other company on which they are eligible to vote, provided that company opts for e-voting through CDSL platform. It is strongly recommended not to share your password with any other person and take utmost care to keep your password confidential.
- (x) For Members holding shares in physical form, the details can be used only for e-voting on the resolutions contained in this Notice.
- (xi) Click on the EVSN for the relevant <Company Name> on which you choose to vote.
- (xii) 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.
- (xiii) Click on the "RESOLUTIONS FILE LINK" if you wish to view the entire Resolution details.
- (xiv) 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.
- (xv) Once you "CONFIRM" your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.

- (xvi) You can also take a print of the votes cast by clicking on "Click here to print" option on the Voting page.
- (xvii) If a demat account holder has forgotten the changed password then Enter the User ID and the image verification code and click on Forgot Password & enter the details as prompted by the system.
- (xviii) Shareholders can also cast their vote using CDSL's mobile app m-Voting available for android based mobiles. The m-Voting app can be downloaded from Google Play Store. Apple and Windows phone users can download the app from the App Store and the Windows Phone Store respectively. Please follow the instructions as prompted by the mobile app while voting on your mobile.
- (xix) Note for Non Individual Shareholders and Custodians
  - Non-Individual shareholders (i.e. other than Individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) and Custodian are required to log on to www.evotingindia.com and register themselves as Corporates.
  - A scanned copy of the Registration Form bearing the stamp and sign of the entity should be emailed to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com.
  - After receiving the login details a Compliance User should be created using the admin login and password. The Compliance User would be able to link the account(s) for which they wish to vote on.
  - The list of accounts linked in the login should be mailed to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com and on approval of the accounts they would be able to cast their vote.
  - A scanned copy of the Board Resolution and Power of Attorney (POA) which they have issued in favour of the Custodian, if any, should be uploaded in PDF format in the system for the scrutinizer to verify the same.
- (xx) In case you have any queries or issues regarding e-voting, you may refer the Frequently Asked Questions ("FAQs") and e-voting manual available at www.evotingindia.com, under help section or write an email to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com.

