## **NOTICE**

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the 36th Annual General Meeting ("AGM") of the Members of ASK Automotive Limited ("the Company") will be held on Wednesday, 21st day of August 2024 at 10:30 A.M. (IST) through Video Conferencing / Other Audio Visual Means to transact the following businesses. The proceedings of the AGM shall deemed to be conducted at the Registered Office of the Company at Flat No. 104, 929/1, Naiwala, Faiz Road, Karol Bagh, New Delhi-110005.

#### **ORDINARY BUSINESS**

- 1. To receive, consider and adopt:
  - a) the audited standalone financial statements of the Company for the financial year ended March 31, 2024 and the reports of the Board of Directors and Auditors thereon; and
  - b) the audited consolidated financial statements of the Company for the financial year ended March 31, 2024 and the report of the Auditors thereon.
- 2. To declare final dividend on Equity Shares of the Company for the financial year ended March 31, 2024.
- 3. To appoint Mr. Rajesh Kataria (DIN: 08528643) as a director, who retires by rotation and being eligible, offers himself for re-appointment.
- 4. To appoint Mrs. Vijay Rathee (DIN: 00042731) as a director, who retires by rotation and being eligible, offers herself for re-appointment.

#### **SPECIAL BUSINESS**

5. To ratify the remuneration of Cost Auditor for the financial year 2024-25 and in this regard to consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modification(s), the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Section 148 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 read with the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof for the time being in force), approval of the Members of the Company be and is hereby accorded to the ratification of the remuneration of ₹ 90,000/- plus applicable taxes and out of pocket expenses, if any. Payable to M/s Kashyap Kumar & Associates, Cost Accountants, appointed as cost auditor by the Board of Directors of the Company, to conduct the audit of cost records of the Company for the financial year 2024-25.

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Board of Directors of the Company (including any committee/official authorized by the Board of Directors for this purpose) be and is hereby authorized to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things as may be considered necessary, proper or expedient in order to give effect to the above resolution and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto including seeking all necessary approvals to give effect to this resolution and to settle any questions, difficulties or doubts that may arise in this regard."

By Order of the Board For **ASK Automotive Limited** 

Rajani Sharma

Company Secretary Membership No. ACS 14391

Place: Gurugram Date : 20 July 2024



#### **NOTES:**

- A Statement pursuant to Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act"), in respect of Special Business as set out above to be transacted at AGM is annexed hereto and forms part of this Notice.
- 2. Pursuant to the General Circular 09/2023 dated September 25, 2023 and other circulars issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs ('MCA') and Circular SEBI/HO/CFD/CFD-PoD-2/P/CIR/2023/167 dated October 7, 2023 issued by Securities and Exchange Board of India ('SEBI') (hereinafter collectively referred to as "the Circulars"), companies are allowed to hold AGM through video conferencing (VC) or other audio visual means (OAVM), without the physical presence of members at a common venue. In compliance with the said Circulars, the 36th AGM shall be conducted through VC / OAVM. The deemed venue for the AGM shall be the Registered Office of the Company.

National Securities Depositories Limited ('NSDL') will be providing facility for voting through remote e-voting, for participation in the AGM through VC / OAVM facility and e-voting during the AGM. The procedure for participation in the meeting through VC / OAVM is explained in Note nos. 17 to 19 hereinafter.

- 3. The physical presence/attendance of Members is not required at the AGM conducted through VC/ OAVM. The attendance of the Members through VC/ OAVM will be counted for the purpose of reckoning the quorum under Section 103 of the Act.
- 4. 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 through VC / OAVM, physical attendance of Members is not required at the AGM pursuant to the Circulars. Accordingly, the facility for appointment of proxies by the Members will not be available for the AGM and hence the Proxy Form and Attendance Slip are not annexed to this Notice.
- 5. Since the AGM will be held through VC/OAVM without the physical presence of Members at a common venue, the route map is not required/attached.
- 6. Institutional/Corporate Shareholders (i.e. other than individuals/HUF, NRI etc.) are required to send a scanned copy (PDF/JPG Format) of its board or governing body resolution/authorization etc, authorizing its representative to attend the AGM through VC/OAVM on its behalf and to vote through e-voting or to vote at AGM. The said resolution/authorization shall be sent to the Scrutinizer by email through registered email address to

<u>fcsvinod@gmail.com</u> with a copy marked to <u>evoting@nsdl.com</u> and to the Company at <u>compliance@askbrake.com</u>.

Members of the Company under the category of Institutional/Corporate Shareholders are encouraged to attend and participate in the AGM through VC/OAVM and vote thereat.

In compliance with the aforesaid Circulars, Notice of the AGM along with the Annual Report 2023-24 is being sent only through electronic mode to those Members whose email addresses are registered with the Company/ Depositories. Members may note that the Notice and Annual Report 2023-24 will also be available on the Company's website at <a href="https://www.askbrake.com">www.askbrake.com</a>, websites of the Stock Exchanges, i.e., BSE Limited and National Stock Exchange of India Limited at <a href="https://www.bseindia.com">www.bseindia.com</a> and <a href="https://www.nseindia.com">www.nseindia.com</a> respectively.

#### 7. Final Dividend for FY 2023-24

The Board of Directors at its meeting held on 18 May 2024, has recommended final dividend of Re. 1 per equity share on the face value of ₹ 2 per equity share. The Record date to determine Members who are entitled for final dividend for the financial year ended March 31, 2024, if approved at the AGM, is Friday, 9 August 2024.

If the final dividend is approved at the AGM, payment of such dividend subject to deduction of tax at source ("TDS") will be made on or before 20 September 2024, as under:

- To all Beneficial Owners in respect of shares held in dematerialized form as per the data as may be made available by the Depositories, as of close of business hours on Friday, 9 August 2024.
- To all Members in respect of shares held in physical form, if any, after giving effect to valid transfer or transmission or transposition requests lodged with the Company as of the close of business hours on Friday, 9 August 2024.

SEBI vide its Circular No. SEBI/HO/MIRSD/MIRSD\_RTAMB/P/ CIR/2021/655 dated 3 November 2021 (subsequently amended by Circular Nos. SEBI/HO/MIRSD\_MIRSD\_RTAMB/P/CIR/2021/687 dated 14 December 2021, SEBI/HO/MIRSD/MIRSD-PoD-1/P/CIR/2023/37 dated 16 March 2023 and SEBI/HO/MIRSD/POD-1/P/CIR/2023/181 dated 17 November 2023) has mandated that with effect from 1 April 2024, dividend to security holders (holding securities in physical form), shall be paid only through electronic mode. Such payment shall be made only after furnishing the PAN, choice of nomination,

contact details including mobile number, bank account details and specimen signature by the respective security holders. Further, relevant FAQs in this regard, published by SEBI on its website can be viewed at the following link: <a href="https://www.sebi.gov.in/sebi\_data/faqfiles/jan-2024/1704433843359.pdf">https://www.sebi.gov.in/sebi\_data/faqfiles/jan-2024/1704433843359.pdf</a>

#### TDS on dividend

Pursuant to the Finance Act, 2020, dividend income is taxable in the hands of shareholders 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, please refer to Income Tax Act, 1961 and the Finance Act, 2020, of the respective years. The shareholders are requested to update their PAN with the Depository Participants (DPs) (if shares held in dematerialized form) and the Company/Link Intime India Private Limited ("RTA") (if shares are held in physical form).

A Resident individual shareholder with PAN and whose income does not exceed maximum amount not chargeable to tax or who is not liable to pay income tax, as the case may be, can submit a yearly declaration in Form No. 15C/15H, to avail the benefit of non-deduction of tax at source by e-mail to askdivtax@linkintime.co.in or upload the documents on <a href="https://liiplweb.linkintime.co.in/">https://liiplweb.linkintime.co.in/</a> formsreg/submission-of-form-15g-15h.html by 11:59 p.m. (IST) on Friday, 2 August, 2024. Shareholders are requested to note that if the PAN is not correct/ invalid/ inoperative or have not filed their income tax returns, then tax will be deducted at higher rates prescribed under Sections 206AA or 206AB of the Income-tax Act, as applicable and incase of invalid PAN, they will not be able to get credit of TDS from the Income Tax Department.

Non-resident shareholders [including Foreign Institutional Investors ("FIIs")/Foreign Portfolio Investors ("FPIs")] can avail beneficial rates under tax treaty between India and their country of tax 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. For this purpose, the shareholder may submit the above documents (PDF/JPG Format) by e-mail to <u>askdivtax@linkintime.co.in</u> or upload the documents on https://liiplweb.linkintime.co.in/ formsreg/submission-of-form-15g-15h.html. aforesaid declarations and documents need to be submitted by the shareholders by 11:59 p.m. (IST) on Friday, 2 August, 2024.

For further details, please refer to FAQs on Taxation of Dividend Distribution at <a href="https://askbrake.com/disclosure-under-regulation-46-2-of-the-lodr/">https://askbrake.com/disclosure-under-regulation-46-2-of-the-lodr/</a>.

#### 8. Directors Retiring by Rotation

In terms of Section 152 of the Act, Mr. Rajesh Kataria and Mrs. Vijay Rathee, Directors of the Company, retires by rotation at the AGM and being eligible, offers themselves for re-appointment. The Board of Directors of the Company recommends their re-appointment.

The relevant details, pursuant to Regulation 36(3) and other applicable provisions of the SEBI (Listing Obligations & Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("Listing Regulations") and Secretarial Standard on General Meetings issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India, in respect of director seeking re-appointment at AGM is annexed to the Notice as Annexure - I.

Mr. Rajesh Kataria and Mrs. Vijay Rathee and their relatives shall be deemed to be interested in Item No. 3 and 4 of the Notice, to the extent of their shareholding/Directorship, if any, in the Company. None of the other Directors / Key Managerial Personnel of the Company / their relatives are, in any way, concerned or interested, financially or otherwise, in the item no. 3 and 4 of the Notice.

- 9. The Members, whose names appear in the Register of Members / list of Beneficial Owners as on Wednesday, 14 August 2024, being the cut-off date, shall be entitled to vote on the Resolutions set forth in this Notice and attend AGM. A person who is not a Member as on the cut-off date should treat this Notice of AGM for information purpose only.
- 10. Members who would like to express their views or ask questions during the AGM may register themselves till Wednesday, 14 August 2024, by sending request mentioning their name, demat account / folio number, email id, mobile number, through their registered email to the Company at compliance@askbrake.com. Members may also send their questions in advance. The same will be replied by the Company suitably. Members holding shares as on the cut-off date shall be entitled to register and participate at the AGM.

Members who are registered in advance will only be allowed to express their views or ask questions at AGM. The Company reserves the right to restrict the number of questions and number of speakers, depending upon availability of time as appropriate for smooth conduct of the AGM.

11. Since AGM is being conducted through VC / OAVM, Members having any query or seeking any information with regard to the accounts or any matter to be placed at the AGM, are requested to write /send email to the Company at least 7 (seven) days in advance at <a href="mailto:compliance@askbrake.com">compliance@askbrake.com</a>. The same will be replied by the Company suitably.



- 12. The Register of Directors and Key Managerial Personnel and their shareholding maintained under Section 170 of the Act, Register of Contracts or arrangements in which directors are interested maintained under Section 189 of the Act, any other relevant documents referred to in this Notice of AGM and explanatory statement and also referred in other reports attached with this Notice, will be available electronically for inspection by the Members, without any fee, from the date of circulation of this Notice up to the date of AGM and during AGM. Members seeking to inspect such documents, can send an email to <a href="mailto:compliance@askbrake.com">compliance@askbrake.com</a>.
- 13. If any of the Members are holding shares in physical mode, they are advised to:
  - a) get their shares converted to the demat form as no transfer of physical share is allowed from April 1, 2019.
  - submit their Permanent Account Number (PAN) and bank account details to the RTA/ Company, if not registered with the Company, as mandated by SEBI.
  - register the nomination in respect of their shareholding in the Company. Nomination Form (SH-13) is available on the Company's website.
  - d) register / update their e-mail address with the RTA/Company for receiving communications electronically. Registration Form (ISR-1) is available on the Company's website.
  - e) write to the Company for any change in address and bank mandate. Registration Form (ISR-1) is available on the Company's website.
  - f) send the share certificates for consolidation of shares to the Company, if shares are held in the same name or same order of names under different folios.
- 14. Members holding shares in electronic/dematerialized mode are advised to:
  - (a) submit their PAN and bank account details to their respective Depository Participants (DPs) with whom they are maintaining their demat accounts and complete KYC process to keep demat account active.
  - (b) contact their respective DPs for registering the nomination, in respect of their shareholding in the Company.
  - (c) register / update their mobile number and e-mail address with their respective DPs for receiving communications electronically.
  - (d) inform any change in address and bank mandate to DP.

- Non-Resident Indian Members are requested to inform RTA / respective DPs, immediately of:
  - (a) Change in their residential status on return to India for permanent settlement.
  - (b) Particulars of their bank account maintained in India with complete name, branch, account type, account number and address of the bank.
- The MCA had notified provisions relating to unpaid / unclaimed dividend under Sections 124 and 125 of the Act and Investor Education and Protection Fund (Accounting, Audit, Transfer and Refund) Rules, 2016. As per these Rules, dividends which are not encashed / claimed by the shareholder for a period of 7 (seven) consecutive years shall be transferred to the Investor Education and Protection Fund (IEPF) Authority. The IEPF Rules mandates the companies to also transfer the shares of shareholders whose dividends remain unpaid / unclaimed for a period of 7 (seven) consecutive years to the demat account of IEPF Authority. There is no unpaid/ unclaimed dividend exists in the Company, hence the aforementioned provisions are not applicable on the Company. However, if the dividend proposed for approval of the Members in this AGM, gets approved, then, Members are requested to claim their dividends from the Company, within the stipulated timeline.

## 17. Instructions for E-Voting and Joining AGM are as under:-

- I. In compliance with the provisions of Section 108 of the Act, Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 as amended by the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2015 as amended from time to time, Regulation 44 of Listing Regulations and in terms of SEBI Circular no. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD/CIR/P/2020/242 dated 9 December 2020 in relation to "e-voting facility provided by Listed Entities", the Members are provided with the facility to cast their vote electronically, through the e-voting services provided by NSDL, on all the resolutions set forth in this Notice. The instructions for e-voting are given herein below.
- II. The remote e-voting period shall commence on Saturday, 17 August 2024 at 9.00 A.M. (IST) and ends on Tuesday, 20 August 2024 at 5.00 P.M. (IST). The remote e-voting module shall be disabled by NSDL for voting thereafter. The Members, whose names appear in the Register of Members / Beneficial Owners as on the cutoff date i.e. 14 August 2024, may cast their vote by remote e-voting. The voting right of Members shall be in proportion to their shares in the paid-up equity share capital of the Company as on the cut-off date, being 14 August 2024.

#### The details of the process and manner for remote e-voting are explained herein below:

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

Step 1: Access to NSDL e-voting system

Step 2: Cast your vote electronically on NSDL e-voting system.

#### Details on Step 1 i.e. "Access to NSDL e-voting system" are mentioned below:

## A) Login method for e-voting and joining virtual meeting for Individual shareholders holding securities in dematerialized mode

In terms of SEBI circular dated December 9, 2020 on e-voting facility provided by Listed Companies, Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode are allowed to vote through their demat accounts / websites of Depositories/DPs. 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 NSDL.

- 1. Existing IDeAS user can visit the e-Services website of NSDL viz. <a href="https://eservices.nsdl.com">https://eservices.nsdl.com</a> either on a personal computer or on a mobile. On the e-services home page, click on the "Beneficial Owner" icon under "Login" which is available under 'IDeAS' section, this will prompt you to enter your existing User ID and Password. After successful authentication, you will be able to see e-voting services under value added services. Click on "Access to e-voting" under e-voting services and you will be able to see e-voting page. Click on Company name or e-voting service provider i.e. NSDL and you will be re-directed to e-voting website of NSDL for casting your vote during the remote e-voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting.
- If you are not registered for IDeAS e-Services, option to register is available at <u>https://eservices.nsdl.com</u>. Select "Register Online for IDeAS Portal" or click at <a href="https://eservices.nsdl.com/SecureWeb/IdeasDirectReg.jsp">https://eservices.nsdl.com/SecureWeb/IdeasDirectReg.jsp</a>
- 3. Visit the e-voting website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the following URL: <a href="https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/">https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/</a> either on a personal computer or on a mobile. Once the home page of e-Voting system is launched, click on the icon "Login" which is available under 'Shareholder/Member' section. A new screen will open. You will have to enter your User ID (i.e. your sixteen digit demat account number held with NSDL), Password/OTP and a verification code as shown on the screen. After successful authentication, you will be redirected to NSDL Depository site wherein you can see e-voting page. Click on Company name or e-voting service provider i.e. NSDL and you will be redirected to e-voting website of NSDL for casting your vote during the remote e-voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting.
- Shareholders/Members can also download NSDL Mobile App "NSDL Speede" facility by scanning the QR code mentioned below for seamless voting experience.

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











Type of shareholders	Login Method	
Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with CDSL	<ol> <li>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 Easi /Easiest are requested to visit CDSL website <a href="https://www.cdslindia.com">www.cdslindia.com</a> and click on login icon &amp; New System Myeasi Tab and then use your existing my easi username &amp; password.</li> </ol>	
	2. After successful login the Easi / Easiest user will be able to see the e-voting option for eligible companies where the e-voting is in progress as per the information provided by Company. On clicking the e-voting 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.	
	3. If the user is not registered for Easi/Easiest, option to register is available at CDSL website <a href="www.cdslindia.com">www.cdslindia.com</a> and click on login & New System Myeasi Tab and then click on registration option.	
	4. Alternatively, the user can directly access e-voting page by providing Demat Account Number and PAN from a e-Voting link available on <a href="www.cdslindia.com">www.cdslindia.com</a> home page. The system will authenticate the user by sending OTP on registered Mobile & Email as recorded in the Demat Account. After successful authentication, user will be able to see the e-voting option where the e-voting is in progress and also able to directly access the system of all e-voting service providers.	
Individual Shareholders (holding securities in	You can also login using the login credentials of your demat account through your Depository Participant registered with NSDL/CDSL for e-voting facility. Upon	
demat mode) login	logging in, you will be able to see e-voting option. Click on e-voting option, you	
through their depository participants	will be redirected to NSDL/CDSL Depository site after successful authentication, wherein you can see e-voting feature. Click on Company name or e-voting service provider i.e. NSDL and you will be redirected to e-voting website of NSDL for	
	casting your vote during the remote e-voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting.	

Important note: Members who are unable to retrieve User ID/ Password are advised to use Forgot User ID and Forgot Password option available at abovementioned websites.

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

Login type	Helpdesk details
Securities held with NSDL	Please contact NSDL helpdesk by sending a request at
	evoting@nsdl.com or call at +91 22 - 4886 7000
Securities held with CDSL	Please contact CDSL helpdesk by sending a request at
	helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com or contact at toll free no.
	1800 22 55 33

B) Login Method for e-voting and joining virtual meeting for shareholders other than Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode and if any shareholders holding securities in physical mode.

#### How to Log-in to NSDL e-voting website?

- 1. Visit the e-voting website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the following URL: <a href="https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/">https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/</a> either on a personal computer or on a mobile.
- 2. Once the home page of e-voting system is launched, click on the icon "Login" which is available under 'Shareholder/Member' section.
- 3. A new screen will open. You will have to enter your User ID, your Password/OTP and a verification code as shown on the screen.

- 4. Alternatively, if you are registered for NSDL eservices i.e. IDEAS, you can log-in at <a href="https://eservices.nsdl.com/">https://eservices.nsdl.com/</a> with your existing IDEAS login. Once you log-in to NSDL eservices after using your log-in credentials, click on e-voting and you can proceed to Step 2 i.e. Cast your vote electronically.
- 5. Your User ID details are given below:

Manner of holding shares i.e. Demat (NSDL or CDSL) or Physical, if any	Your User ID is:	
a) For Members who hold shares in demat	8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digit Client ID	
account with NSDL.	For example if your DP ID is IN300*** and Client ID is 12****** then your user ID is IN300***12******.	
b) For Members who hold shares in demat	16 Digit Beneficiary ID	
account with CDSL.	For example if your Beneficiary ID is 12******* then your user ID is 12************************************	
c) If any of the Members holding shares in	EVEN Number followed by Folio Number registered	
Physical Form.	with the Company	
	For example if folio number is 001*** and EVEN is 101456 then user ID is 101456001***	

- 6. Password details for shareholders other than Individual shareholders are given below:
  - a) If you are already registered for e-Voting, then you can user your existing password to login and cast your vote.
  - b) If you are using NSDL e-voting system for the first time, you will need to retrieve the 'initial password' which was communicated to you. Once you retrieve your 'initial password', you need to enter the 'initial password' and the system will force you to change your password.
  - c) How to retrieve your 'initial password'?
    - (i) If your email ID is registered in your demat account or with the Company, your 'initial password' is communicated to you on your email ID. Trace the email sent to you from NSDL from your mailbox from evoting@nsdl.com. Open the email and open the attachment i.e. a .pdf file. Open the .pdf file.

The password to open the .pdf file is your 8 digit client ID for NSDL account, last 8 digits of client ID for CDSL account or folio number for shares, if any, held in physical form. The .pdf file contains your 'User ID' and your 'initial password'.

(ii) If your email ID is not registered, please follow steps mentioned below in "General Guidelines for shareholders.

- 7. If you are unable to retrieve or have not received the "Initial password" or have forgotten your password:
  - a) Click on "Forgot User Details/ Password?"(If you are holding shares in your demat account with NSDL or CDSL) option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com.
  - b) Click on "Physical User Reset Password?" (If you are holding shares in physical mode) option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com.
  - c) If you are still unable to get the password by aforesaid two options, you can send a request at evoting@ nsdl.com mentioning your demat account number/folio number, your PAN, your name and your registered address.
  - d) Members can also use the OTP (One Time Password) based login for casting the votes on the e-voting system of NSDL.
- After entering your password, tick on Agree to "Terms and Conditions" by selecting on the check box.
- 9. Now, you will have to click on "Login" button.
- 10. After you click on the "Login" button, Home page of e-voting will open.



Details of Step 2 i.e. "Cast your vote electronically and join General Meeting on NSDL e-Voting system" ae given below:

# How to cast your vote electronically and join General Meeting on NSDL e-Voting system?

- After successful login at Step 1, you will be able to see all the companies "EVEN" in which you are holding shares and whose voting cycle and General Meeting is in active status.
- Select "EVEN" of Company, which is 129209 for which you wish to cast your vote during the remote e-voting period and casting your vote during the AGM. For joining virtual meeting, you need to click on "VC/OAVM" link placed under "Join Meeting".
- 3. Now you are ready for e-voting as the voting page opens.
- 4. Cast your vote by selecting appropriate options i.e. assent or dissent, verify/modify the number of shares for which you wish to cast your vote and click on "Submit" and also "Confirm" when prompted.
- 5. Upon confirmation, the message "Vote cast successfully" will be displayed.
- You can also take the printout of the votes cast by you by clicking on the print option on the confirmation page.
- 7. Once you confirm your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.

#### **General Guidelines for shareholders**

- 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 (5) unsuccessful attempts to key in the correct password. In such an event, you will need to go through the "Forgot User Details/ Password?" or "Physical User Reset Password?" option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com to reset the password.
- In case of any queries related to e-voting, you may refer the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) for Shareholders and e-voting user manual for Shareholders available at the download section of <a href="www.evoting.nsdl.com">www.evoting.nsdl.com</a> or call on.: +91 22 4886 7000 or send a request to Ms Pallavi Mhatre Senior Manager at <a href="www.evoting@nsdl.com">evoting@nsdl.com</a>
- Members may send a request to <u>evoting@</u> <u>nsdl.com</u> for procuring User ID and password

for e-voting by providing demat account number / Folio number, client master or copy of Consolidated Account statement, PAN (selfattested scanned copy of PAN card), AADHAAR (self-attested scanned copy of Aadhaar Card). If you are an Individual shareholder holding securities in demat mode, you are requested to refer to the login method explained above.

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

- The procedure for e-voting on the day of the AGM is same as the instructions mentioned above for remote e-voting.
- II. 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.
- III. Members who have voted through remote e-voting will be eligible to attend the AGM. However, they will not be eligible to vote at the AGM.
- IV. The details of the person who may be contacted for any grievances connected with the facility for e-voting on the day of the AGM shall be the same person mentioned for remote e-voting.

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

- Members will be able to attend the AGM through VC/OAVM provided by NSDL at https://www.evoting.nsdl.com following the steps mentioned above for Access to NSDL e-voting system.
- After successful login, you can see "VC/OAVM" link placed under "Join meeting" menu against Company name. You are requested to click on VC/OAVM link placed under "Join Meeting" menu.
- Members who do not have the User ID and Password for e-Voting or have forgotten the User ID and Password may retrieve the same by following the remote e-voting instructions mentioned in this Notice.
- Members who need assistance before or during the meeting, can contact NSDL on evoting@nsdl.com +91 22 48867000 or contact Ms Pallavi Mhatre Senior Manager - NSDL at evoting@nsdl.com
- In case of any queries, Members may refer Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) and remote e-voting

user manual available at the download section of <a href="https://www.evoting.nsdl.com">www.evoting.nsdl.com</a> or call on: 022 - 4886 7000 or send a request at <a href="mailto:evoting@nsdl.com">evoting@nsdl.com</a>.

- 19. If any person holding shares in physical form and non-individual shareholders, who acquires shares of the Company and becomes Member of the Company after sending of the Notice and holding shares as of the cut-off date i.e. Wednesday, 14 August 2024, may obtain the login ID and password by sending a request at evoting@nsdl.com. However, if you are already registered with NSDL for remote e-voting, then you can use your existing user ID and password for casting your vote. If you forgot your password, you can reset your password by using "Forgot User Details/Password" option available on www.evoting. nsdl.com or call on 022 - 4886 7000. In case of Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode who acquires shares of the Company and becomes a Member of the Company after sending of the Notice and holding shares as of the cut-off date i.e. Wednesday, 14 August 2024 may follow steps mentioned in the Notice of the AGM under "Access to NSDL e-Voting system".
- 20. Mr. Vinod Kumar Aneja, Company Secretary (Membership No. FCS 5740) of M/s. Vinod Kumar & Co., Company Secretaries has been appointed as the Scrutinizer to scrutinize the entire e-voting process in a fair and transparent manner.
- 21. Please contact your Depository Participant (DP) and register your email address and bank account

details in your demat account, as per the process advised by your DP. After due verification, the depository will forward your login credentials to your registered email address.

#### 22. E-Voting Results

- The Scrutinizer shall, immediately after the conclusion of voting at the AGM, unblock the votes cast through remote e-voting and votes cast during the AGM and will submit a consolidated Scrutinizer's Report of the total votes cast in favour or against, if any, to the Chairman or a person authorised by him in writing, who shall countersign the same. The results will be announced within the time stipulated under the applicable laws. The results of the voting shall be displayed on the Notice Board of the Company at its Registered Office.
- The Results declared, along with the report of the Scrutinizer, shall be displayed on the website of the Company www.askbrake.com and on the website of NSDL immediately after the declaration of result by the Chairman or a person authorized by him in writing and communicated to National Stock Exchange of India Limited and BSE Limited.
- Subject to receipt of requisite number of votes, the Resolutions proposed in the Notice shall be deemed to be passed on the date of the Meeting, i.e., Wednesday, 21 August 2024.



## **AGM - INFORMATION IN BRIEF**

SI. No.	Particulars	Details	
1.	Day, Date and Time of AGM	Wednesday, 21 August 2024 at 10:30 A.M. (IST)	
2.	AGM Mode /Venue	Through Video conference (VC) and Other Audio-Visual Means (OAVM) without physical presence of shareholders at common venue. AGM shall be deemed to be conducted at Registered Office of the Company	
3.	Participation through Video	Members can login from 10:00 A.M. (IST) on the date of AGM through	
	Conferencing	NSDL link.	
4.	Name and address of e-voting and	National Securities Depository Limited	
	VC/OAVM service provider	4th Floor, 'A' Wing, Trade World,	
		Kamala Mills Compound	
		Senapati Bapat Marg,	
		Lower Parel, Mumbai-400 013	
5.	Helpline numbers	Email at the designated email id - evoting@nsdl.com or Call on: 022 -	
		4886 7000	
6.	Cut-off date for entitlement:	Wednesday, 14 August 2024	
	e-voting/AGM participation /Speaker		
	Registration request		
7.	Remote E-voting start time and date	9:00 A.M. (IST), Saturday, 17 August 2024	
8.	Remote E-voting end time and date	5:00 P.M. (IST), Tuesday, 20 August 2024	
9.	Remote E-voting website	https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/	
10.	Emails:		
	Company/documents/ AGM Speaker	compliance@askbrake.com	
	registration		
	Registrar & Share Transfer Agent	rnt.helpdesk@linkintime.co.in	
	NSDL	evoting@nsdl.com	
11.	Recorded transcript	To be available after AGM at Company's website in "Investors" section	
		within the stipulated timeline.	
12.	Email & Contact updation	through Depository Participant.	

## STATEMENT IN RESPECT OF SPECIAL BUSINESS

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

#### **ITEM NO. 5**

The Board, at its Meeting held on 18 May 2024, on the recommendation of the Audit Committee, appointed Kashyap Kumar & Associates, Cost Accountants as the Cost Auditor of the Company for the financial year 2024-25 at a remuneration of ₹ 90,000/- plus applicable taxes and out of pocket expenses, if any.

In accordance with the provisions of Section 148 of the Act read with the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof for the time being in force), the remuneration as mentioned above, payable to the Cost Auditor is required to be ratified by the Members of the Company.

Accordingly, ratification by the Members is sought for the remuneration payable to the Cost Auditor for the financial year 2024-25 by passing an Ordinary Resolution as set out at Item No. 5 of the Notice.

None of the Directors, Key Managerial Personnel of the Company or their relatives are concerned, or interested financially or otherwise in the resolution set out at Item No. 5 of the Notice.

The Board recommends the Ordinary Resolution for approval of the Members, as set out at Item No. 5 of this Notice.

By Order of the Board For **ASK Automotive Limited** 

Rajani Sharma

Company Secretary Membership No. ACS 14391

Place: Gurugram Date: 20 July 2024



### **ANNEXURE-I**

Pursuant to the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and Secretarial Standard-2, the following information is furnished about the director proposed to be reappointed:

Particulars/Name	Mr. Rajesh Kataria	Mrs. Vijay Rathee
Age	42	70
Date of first appointment on the Board	07.09.2019	26.10.1995
Background and Expertise & Qualification	Mr. Rajesh Kataria is an Executive Director on our Board. He holds a bachelor's degree in business administration from Chaudhary Charan Singh University Meerut, Uttar Pradesh and has also completed a master's course in business administration (Human Resources) from the Eastern Institute for Integrated Learning in Management University, Jorethang, Sikkim. He has an experience in human resource management and is currently responsible for the Operations department of the Company.	Mrs. Vijay Rathee is a Non-Executive Director on our Board and is one of the Promoters of our company. She holds a bachelor's degree in science from Guru Nanak University, Amritsar, Punjab and a master's degree in science (Zoology) from Birendra Narayan Chakravarty University, Kurukshetra, Haryana. She has an experience in the banking sector and the manufacturing sector and was previously associated as an officer with Punjab & Sind Bank.
Number of Equity Shares held in the Company including shareholding as beneficial owner	Nil	68934794 (34.97%)
Relationship with other Directors, Manager and other Key Managerial Personnel	Nil	Spouse of Mr. Kuldip Singh Rathee, Chairman & Managing Director Mother of Mr. Prashant Rathee and Mr. Aman Rathee, Executive Directors
	As per the resolution approved in Extra- Ordinary General Meeting held on 8 May 2023	<ul> <li>Remuneration:</li> <li>Sitting fees for attending Board Meetings and Committee Meetings, if any, where she is a member</li> <li>Commission as per the resolution approved in Extra-Ordinary General Meeting held on 5 April 2023</li> </ul>
No. of Board Meetings attended during the financial year 2023-24	8	9
Directorships of other Boards	<ul> <li>A A Friction Materials Private Limited</li> <li>ASK Automobiles Private Limited</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Vijaylaxmi Fincap Private Limited</li> <li>Vijaylaxmi Farms Private Limited</li> <li>Aadhunik Agrotech Private Limited</li> <li>Vijaylaxmi Infra Projects Private Limited</li> <li>Vijaylaxmi Infrabuild Private Limited</li> <li>KSR Landholding Projects Private Limited</li> </ul>
Membership / Chairmanship of Committees of companies as on date of notice (including ASK)	•	Corporate Social Relationship Committee, Member
Listed Entities from which he/ she has resigned as Director in past 3 years	Nil	Som Datt Finance Corporation Limited - resigned on 21 July 2023
Remuneration last drawn	The details pertaining to his remuneration are provided in the Corporate governance report section of the Annual Report 2023-24	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·