

### NOTICE

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the **38<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting** of the members of the Company will be held at the Registered Office of the Company situated at Spaces Inspirehub, Western Heights, J P Road, 4 Bunglows, Andheri West, Mumbai - 400 053 on Wednesday the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of September, 2021 by Microsoft Teams Meeting (Video Conference Meeting) at 03:00 p.m. to transact the following business:

### **ORDINARY BUSINESS:**

- To receive, consider and adopt the Audited Financial Statements of the Company for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2021 together with Reports of Board of Directors' and Auditors' thereon;
- 2. To appoint a Director in place of **Mr. Ashwin Chaudhary**, (DIN No. 00365164), who retires by rotation and being eligible, offers himself for re-appointment;

Date: 18<sup>th</sup> August, 2021 Registered Office: Spaces Inspirehub, Western Heights, J P Road, 4 Bunglows, Andheri West, Mumbai - 400 053. CIN : L32000MH1983PLC030400 Email : compliance@accedere.io

By Order of the Board FOR, ACCEDERE LIMITED

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Ankit Shah Company Secretary



### NOTES:

- 1) In view of the Continuing COVID-19 pandemic, Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) has vide its General Circular numbers 02/2021; 20/2020; 14/2020 and 17/2020 issued on 13<sup>th</sup> January, 2021, 5<sup>th</sup> May, 2020, 8<sup>th</sup> April, 2020 and 13<sup>th</sup> April, 2020 respectively read with Circular numbers SEBI/ HO/CFD/CMD2/CIR/P/2021/11 and SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD1/CIR/P/2020/79 issued by the Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) on 15<sup>th</sup> January, 2021 and 12<sup>th</sup> May, 2020 respectively (hereinafter collectively referred to as "the Circulars"), allowed Companies to hold Annual General Meeting (AGM) through Video Conferencing (VC) or Other Audio Visual Means (OAVM), without the physical presence of members at a common venue. Hence, in compliance with provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 ("Act"), SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("SEBI Listing Regulations") and the Circulars, the AGM of the Company is being held through VC/OAVM. The deemed venue for the AGM shall be the Registered Office of the Company.
- 2) Central Depository Services (India) Limited ("CDSL") 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. Instructions for participating/joining in the meeting through VC/OAVM and e-voting during the AGM are explained hereunder after point no. 16.
- 3) Since this AGM is being held through VC / OAVM, pursuant to MCA Circulars, physical attendance of the Members has been dispensed with. The attendance of the Members attending the AGM through VC/OAVM will be counted for the purpose of ascertaining the quorum under Section 103 of the Companies Act, 2013. Accordingly, the facility for appointment of proxies by the Members will not be available for the AGM. Hence, the Proxy Form, Attendance Slip and Route Map are not annexed to this Notice.
- 4) Members are requested to participate on first come first served basis, as participation through VC/OAVM is limited. Members can login and join 15 (fifteen) minutes prior to the scheduled time of the commencement of the meeting and window for joining shall be kept open till the expiry of 15 (fifteen) minutes after the scheduled time. Participation is restricted upto 1000 members only. However the participation of large shareholders (i.e. shareholders holding 2% or more shareholding), promoters, institutional investors, directors, key managerial personnel, the chairperson of the Audit committee, Nomination and remuneration committee and stakeholders Relationship committee, Auditors etc. will not be subject to restriction of first come first served basis.
- 5) In compliance with the MCA and SEBI Circulars, Notice of the AGM along with the Annual Report 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 will also be available on the Company's website <u>www.accedere.io</u>, website of stock exchange i.e. BSE Limited at <u>www.bseindia.com</u> and on the website of CDSL (agency for providing the Remote e-Voting facility and e-voting system during the AGM) i.e. <u>www.evotingindia.com</u>.
- 6) Pursuant to Section 113 of the Companies Act, 2013, Corporate Members 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 remote e-voting to scrutinizer ram@csvrassociates.com and to the company at compliance@accedere.io.
- 7) The attendance of the Members attending the AGM through VC/OAVM will be counted for the purpose of ascertaining the quorum under Section 103 of the Companies Act, 2013.
- 8) The details pursuant to the Regulation (36) (3) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosures Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and other applicable provisions are annexed herewith as Annexure- A.



- 9) All the work related to share registry in terms of both physical and electronic is being conducted by Company's Registrar & Transfer Agent, Link Intime India Private Limited, C 101, 247 PARK, L B S MARG, VIKHROLI WEST, MUMBAI 400083. The Shareholders are requested to send their communication to the aforesaid address or via email at <a href="mailto:support@sharexindia.com">support@sharexindia.com</a>.
- 10) The SEBI has vide Circular no. MRD/DOP/Cir-05/2009 dated 20<sup>th</sup> May, 2009 mandated the submission of PAN by every participant in the security market. Members holding shares in electronic form /physical form are therefore, requested to submit their PAN to the Company or the RTA.
- 11) Pursuant to Sections 101 and 136 of the Companies Act, 2013, read with the relevant Rules made thereunder, Companies can serve Annual Reports and other communications through electronic mode to those Members who have registered their e-mail address either with the Company or with the Depository. Members who have not yet registered their e-mail address with the Company or their respective Depository are requested to do so. In the context of General Meeting through VC/OAVM, availability of email id of shareholders will play key role for sending notice or other important communication to shareholders. Hence, Link Intime India Private Limited is offering the facility for all shareholders (physical as well as demat) to update their email id with it for sending the notice of AGM and annual report. The facility for updating of e-mail id of the shareholders shall be available on their website www.linkintime.co.in and the same can be updated by shareholders any time during the year.
- 12) The Company has designated an exclusive Email ID: <u>compliance@accedere.io</u> for redressal of Shareholders'/ Investors' complaints/ grievances. In case you have any queries, complaints or grievances, then please write to us at the above mentioned e-mail address.
- 13) Relevant documents referred to in the accompanying Notice calling the AGM are available for inspection through electronic mode up to the date of the AGM. Members seeking to inspect such documents can send an email to <u>compliance@accedere.io</u>
- 14) The Register of Members and Share Transfer Books of the Company shall remain closed from 16<sup>th</sup> September, 2021 to 22<sup>nd</sup> September, 2021.(both days inclusive).
- 15) Information and other instructions for Members relating to remote e-voting are as under:

Pursuant to Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013, read with the relevant Rules of the Act, and Regulation 44 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, the Company is providing the facility to Members to exercise their rights to vote by electronic means. The Company has engaged the Services of Central Depository Services (India) Limited (CDSL) for providing e-voting facilities. The e-voting rights of the Members / beneficial owners shall be reckoned in proportion to ordinary shares held by them in the Company as on 15<sup>th</sup> September, 2021 (cut -off date fixed for this purpose).

The Company has appointed CS V. Ramachandran, Practising Company Secretary ACS No. 4731, to act as the Scrutinizer, for conducting the scrutiny of the votes cast.

16) The notice of Annual General Meeting along with the Annual report 2020-21 is being sent by electronic mode to those members whose e-mail addresses are registered with the Company/Depositories.



17) Members can join Microsoft Teams Meetings by click on the link below:

https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetupjoin/19%3ameeting\_MmRhYTZjOGEtZmM1MC00NGU2LWJkYWMtYzYyZjA1YjIxNDg1%40thread.v2/0?context=%7 b%22Tid%22%3a%2274cdd9fa-2b02-491c-bd2f-8ce0d79f4d33%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%2272dab17a-bccd-420aa497-3cb1cb149cd2%22%7d

#### Detailed instructions for availing e-voting facility are as follows:

- (i) The voting period begins on 19<sup>th</sup> September, 2021 at 9.00 a.m. IST and ends on 21<sup>st</sup> September, 2021 p.m. IST. 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 15<sup>th</sup> September, 2021 may cast their vote electronically. The e-voting module shall be disabled by CDSL for voting thereafter.
- (ii) Shareholders who have already voted prior to the meeting date would not be entitled to vote at the meeting venue.
- (iii) Pursuant to SEBI Circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD/CIR/P/2020/242 dated 09.12.2020, under Regulation 44 of Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, listed entities are required to provide remote e-voting facility to its shareholders, in respect of all shareholders' resolutions. However, it has been observed that the participation by the public non-institutional shareholders/retail shareholders is at a negligible level.

Currently, there are multiple e-voting service providers (ESPs) providing e-voting facility to listed entities in India. This necessitates registration on various ESPs and maintenance of multiple user IDs and passwords by the shareholders.

In order to increase the efficiency of the voting process, pursuant to a public consultation, it has been decided to enable e-voting to all the demat account holders, by way of a single login credential, through their demat accounts/ websites of Depositories/ Depository Participants. Demat account holders would be able to cast their vote without having to register again with the ESPs, thereby, not only facilitating seamless authentication but also enhancing ease and convenience of participating in e-voting process.

(iv) In terms of SEBI circular no. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD/CIR/P/2020/242 dated December 9, 2020 on e-Voting facility provided by Listed Companies, Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode are allowed to vote through their demat account maintained with Depositories and Depository Participants. Shareholders are advised to update their mobile number and email Id in their demat accounts in order to access e-Voting facility.

Pursuant to above said SEBI Circular, Login method for e-Voting and joining virtual meetings 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	



		Myeasi.
	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 i.e. CDSL/NSDL/KARVY/LINKINTIME, 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 <u>https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasi/Registration/Easi</u> <u>Registration</u>
	4)	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 e-voting is in progress and also able to directly access the system of all e-Voting Service Providers.
Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with NSDL	1)	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: <u>https://eservices.nsdl.com</u> 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 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.
	2)	If the user is 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 <u>https://eservices.nsdl.com/SecureWeb/IdeasDirectReg.jsp</u>
	3)	Visit the e-Voting website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the following URL: <u>https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/</u> 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
Individual Shareholders (holding securities in demat mode) login through their Depository Participants	You can also login using the login credentials of your demat account through your Depository Participant registered with NSDL/CDSL for e- Voting facility. After Successful login, you will be able to see e-Voting option. Once you click on e-Voting option, you will be redirected to NSDL/CDSL Depository site after successful authentication, wherein you can see e-Voting feature. Click on 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.

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

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

Login type	Helpdesk details
Individual Shareholders holding securities in Demat mode with CDSL	Members facing any technical issue in login can contact CDSL helpdesk by sending a request at <u>helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com</u> or contact at 022- 23058738 and 22-23058542-43.
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 toll free no.: 1800 1020 990 and 1800 22 44 30

- (v) Login method for e-Voting and joining virtual meeting for Shareholders other than individual Shareholders holding in Demat form & Physical Shareholders.
  - 1) The Shareholders should log on to the e-voting website <u>www.evotingindia.com</u>.
  - 2) Click on "Shareholders" module.
  - 3) 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.
  - 4) Next enter the Image Verification as displayed and Click on Login.



- 5) If you are holding shares in demat form and had logged on to <u>www.evotingindia.com</u> and voted on an earlier evoting of any company, then your existing password is to be used.
- 6) If you are a first time user follow the steps given below:

	For Shareholders holding shares in Demat Form other than individual 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)			
	<ul> <li>Shareholders who have not updated their PAN with the</li> </ul>			
	Company/Depository Participant are requested to use the sequence			
	number sent by Company/RTA or contact Company/RTA.			
Dividend	Enter the Dividend Bank Details or Date of Birth (in dd/mm/yyyy format) as recorded in your			
Bank	demat account or in the company records in order to login.			
Details				
	<ul> <li>If both the details are not recorded with the depository or company please</li> </ul>			
OR Date of	enter the member id / folio number in the Dividend Bank details field as			
Birth (DOB)	mentioned in instruction (v).			

- vi) After entering these details appropriately, click on "SUBMIT" tab.
- vii) 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.
- viii) For shareholders holding shares in physical form, the details can be used only for e-voting on the resolutions contained in this Notice.
- ix) Click on the EVSN for the "Accedere Limited" on which you choose to vote.
- x) 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.
- xi) Click on the "**RESOLUTIONS FILE LINK**" if you wish to view the entire Resolution details.
- xii) 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.
- xiii) Once you "CONFIRM" your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.



- xiv) You can also take a print of the votes cast by clicking on "Click here to print" option on the Voting page.
- xv) 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.
- xvi) Shareholders can also cast their vote using CDSL's mobile app "**m-Voting**". The m-Voting app can be downloaded from respective Store. Please follow the instructions as prompted by the mobile app while Remote Voting on your mobile.

## PROCESS FOR THOSE SHAREHOLDERS WHOSE EMAIL/MOBILE NO. ARE NOT REGISTERED WITH THE COMPANY/DEPOSITORIES:

- 1. For Physical shareholders- please provide necessary details like Folio No., Name of shareholder, scanned copy of the share certificate (front and back), PAN (self attested scanned copy of PAN card), AADHAR (self attested scanned copy of Aadhar Card) by email to Company/RTA email id.
- 2. For Demat shareholders Please update your email id & mobile no. with your respective Depository Participant (DP)
- 3. For Individual Demat shareholders Please update your email id & mobile no. with your respective Depository Participant (DP) which is mandatory while e-Voting & joining virtual meetings through Depository.

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

- Shareholder will be provided with a facility to attend the EGM/AGM through VC/OAVM through the CDSL e-Voting system. Shareholders may access the same at <u>https://www.evotingindia.com</u> under shareholders/members login by using the remote e-voting credentials. The link for VC/OAVM will be available in shareholder/members login where the EVSN of Company will be displayed.
- 2. Shareholders are encouraged to join the Meeting through Laptops / IPads for better experience.
- 3. Further shareholders will be required to allow Camera and use Internet with a good speed to avoid any disturbance during the meeting.
- 4. 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.
- 5. Shareholders who would like to express their views/ask questions during the meeting may register themselves as a speaker by sending their request in advance atleast seven days prior to meeting mentioning their name, demat account number/folio number, email id, mobile number at (company email id). The shareholders who do not wish to speak during the AGM but have queries may send their queries in advance seven days prior to meeting mentioning their name, demat account number/folio number, email id, mobile number at (company email id). These queries will be replied to by the company suitably by email.



- 6. Those shareholders who have registered themselves as a speaker will only be allowed to express their views/ask questions during the meeting.
- 7. The Company reserves the right to restrict the number of questions and number of speakers, as appropriate, to ensure the smooth conduct of the AGM.

### INSTRUCTIONS FOR SHAREHOLDERS FOR E-VOTING DURING THE AGM/EGM ARE AS UNDER:-

- 1. The procedure for e-Voting on the day of the AGM is same as the instructions mentioned above for Remote e-voting.
- Only those shareholders, who are present in the AGM through VC/OAVM facility and have not casted 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 available during the EGM/AGM.
- 3. If any Votes are cast by the shareholders through the e-voting available during the AGM and if the same shareholders have not participated in the meeting through VC/OAVM facility, then the votes cast by such shareholders shall be considered invalid as the facility of e-voting during the meeting is available only to the shareholders attending the meeting.
- 4. Shareholders 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.

#### NOTE FOR NON - INDIVIDUAL SHAREHOLDERS AND CUSTODIANS

- Non-Individual shareholders (i.e. other than Individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) and Custodians are required to log on to <u>www.evotingindia.com</u> and register themselves in the "Corporates" module.
- A scanned copy of the Registration Form bearing the stamp and sign of the entity should be emailed to <u>helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com</u>.
- 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
- Alternatively Non Individual shareholders are required to send the relevant Board Resolution/ Authority letter etc. together with attested specimen signature of the duly authorized signatory who are authorized to vote, to the Scrutinizer at the email address viz; <u>ram@csvrassociates.com</u> and to the Company at the email address viz;

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<u>compliance@accedere.io</u>, if they have voted from individual tab & not uploaded same in the CDSL e-voting system for the scrutinizer to verify the same.

If you have any queries or issues regarding attending AGM & e-Voting from the e-Voting System, you may refer the Frequently Asked Questions ("FAQs") and e-voting manual available at <u>www.evotingindia.com</u>, under help section or write an email to <u>helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com</u> or contact Mr. Nitin Kunder (022- 23058738) or Mr. Mehboob Lakhani (022-23058543) or Mr. Rakesh Dalvi (022-23058542).

All grievances connected with the facility for voting by electronic means may be addressed to:

Mr. Rakesh Dalvi, 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 Email: - <u>helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com</u> Call: - 022-23058542/43.

Date: 18<sup>th</sup> August, 2021

#### **Registered Office:**

Spaces Inspirehub, Western Heights, J P Road,

4 Bunglows, Andheri West,

Mumbai - 400 053.

CIN : L32000MH1983PLC030400

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By Order of the Board FOR, ACCEDERE LIMITED

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Ankit Shah Company Secretary



#### (ANNEXURE)

DETAILS OF THE DIRECTORS SEEKING RE-APPOINTMENT AT THE 38<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING PURSUANT TO REGULATION 36(3) OF THE SEBI (LISTING OBLIGATIONS AND DISCLOSURE REQUIREMENTS) REGULATIONS, 2015 AND OTHER APPLICABLE PROVISIONS ARE AS UNDER: (REFER ITEM NO. 2 OF THE NOTICE)

Name of the Director	Mr. Ashwin Chaudhary
DIN No.	00365164
Date of Birth	19/10/1962
Type of appointment	Director retiring by rotation
Qualifications	MBA
Areas of Specialization	Cyber Security
Date of first appointment on to the Board	28 <sup>th</sup> September, 1998
No. of Shares Held in the Company	35,13,197 Equity Shares
List of Directorship held in other Companies	NIL
Chairman/member of the Committee of the Board of Directors of this Company	Member – Audit Committee Member – Stakeholder's relationship Committee Member – CSR Committee
Chairman/member of the Committee of the Board of Directors of other Companies	N.A.
Relation with Key Managerial Personnel and Directors	Priya Chaudhary
Justification for appointment	Has Considerable expertise in cyber Security.