

SINCLAIRS HOTELS LIMITED

CIN: L55101WB1971PLC028152

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Notice

Notice is hereby given that the 52nd Annual General Meeting of the members of Sinclairs Hotels Limited will be held on **Thursday**, **July 18, 2024, at 11 A.M.** through Video Conferencing ("VC") / Other Audio-Visual Means ("OAVM") to transact the following business:

ORDINARY BUSINESS:

- To receive, consider and adopt the Audited Financial Statements for the year ended March 31, 2024, and the Reports of the Directors' and Auditors' thereon.
- 2. To declare dividend for the year ended March 31, 2024.

 To appoint a director in place of Dr. Niren Chand Suchanti (DIN: 00909388), who retires by rotation at the ensuing Annual General Meeting and being eligible, offers himself for re-appointment.

Kolkata May 21, 2024

Registered Office: 147 Block G New Alipore, Kolkata 700 053 For and on behalf of the Board

Ananna Sarkar Company Secretary Membership No.: A36737

NOTES:

- 1. The Ministry of Corporate Affairs has vide its General Circular Nos. 14/2020 dated April 8, 2020, 17/2020 dated April 13, 2020, 22/2020 dated June 15, 2020, 33/2020 dated September 28, 2020, 39/2020 dated December 31, 2020, 10/2021 dated 23 June 2021, 20/2021 dated December 8, 2021, 3/2022 dated May 05, 2022, 11/2022 dated December 28, 2022 and 09/2023 dated September 25, 2023 (collectively referred to as "MCA Circulars") and other applicable circulars issued by SEBI, permitted holding of the Annual General Meeting ("the Meeting"/ "AGM") through Video Conferencing ("VC")/ Other Audio Visual Means ("OAVM"), without the physical presence of the Members at a common venue. The registered office of the Company at 147 Block G, New Alipore, Kolkata 700053 shall be deemed to be the venue for the AGM. Hence, Members can attend and participate in the ensuing AGM through VC/OAVM without the physical presence at a common venue.
- 2. Information with respect to Item No. 3, pursuant to Regulation 36(3) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and Secretarial Standard - 2 on General Meetings issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India ('ICSI') in respect of the Directors seeking appointment and re-appointment at the AGM, is furnished as annexure to the Notice. Requisite declarations have been received from the Director seeking re-appointment.
- 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 this AGM and hence the proxy form, attendance slip and route map of AGM are not annexed to this notice.

- 4. The Members can join the AGM in the VC/OAVM mode 15 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 at 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 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 Companies Act, 2013.
- 6. SEBI vide its Circular dated March 16, 2023, mandated furnishing of PAN, KYC details (i.e. postal address with pin code, email address, mobile number, bank account details) and Nomination details by holders of physical securities through Form ISR-1. It may be noted that any service request or complaint can be processed only after the folio is KYC compliant. In terms of above Circular, members holding shares of the Company in physical form are requested to go through the requirements on the website of the Company at https://www.sinclairsindia.com/investor-information.php#kyc. and submit duly filled-out forms (as applicable) along with all necessary documents to the Registrar and Share Transfer Agent (RTA) M/s. Niche Technologies Pvt. Ltd. at 3A, Auckland Place, 7th Floor, Room No. 7A & B, Kolkata 700017.
- In accordance with Regulation 40 of the SEBI Listing Regulations, as amended, the Company stopped accepting any fresh transfer requests for securities held in physical

form. Members holding shares of the Company in physical form are requested to kindly get their shares converted into demat/electronic form. Members may contact the RTA at nichetechpl@nichetechpl.com.

Further, Members may please note that SEBI has, vide its Circular dated January 25, 2022, mandated Listed Companies to issue securities in demat form only while processing any service requests viz. issue of duplicate securities certificate; claim from Unclaimed Suspense Account; renewal/exchange of securities certificate; endorsement; sub-division/splitting of securities certificate; consolidation of securities certificates/folios; transmission and transposition. Accordingly, Members are requested to make service requests by submitting a duly filled and signed Form ISR – 4 to the Company or the RTA.

The format of the Register of Members prescribed by the MCA under the Act requires the Company/Registrar to record additional details of Members, including their PAN details, email address, bank details for payment of dividend, etc. This request should be submitted in Form ISR-1. Members holding shares in physical form are requested to submit the filled-in form to the Company or to the Registrain physical mode as per instructions mentioned in the form. Members holding shares in electronic form are requested to submit the details to their respective DPs only and not to the Company or RTA.

As per the provisions of Section 72 of the Act and the aforementioned SEBI Circular, the facility for making nomination is available for the Members in respect of the shares held by them. Members who have not yet registered their nomination are requested to register the same by submitting Form No. SH-13. If a member desires to opt out or cancel the earlier nomination and record a fresh nomination, he / she may submit the same in Form ISR-3 or SH-14 as the case may be.

The said forms can be downloaded from the Company's website at https://www.sinclairsindia.com/investor-information.php#kyc. Members are requested to submit the said form to their DP in case the shares are held in electronic form and to the Registrar in case the shares are held in physical form, quoting their folio no.

- 8. Members are requested to note that, dividends if not encashed for a period of 7 years from the date of transfer to Unpaid Dividend Account of the Company, are liable to be transferred to the Investor Education and Protection Fund ("IEPF"). Further, all the shares in respect of which dividend has remained unclaimed for 7 consecutive years or more from the date of transfer to unpaid dividend account shall also be transferred to IEPF Authority. In view of this, Members are requested to claim their dividends from the Company, within the stipulated timeline. The Members, whose unclaimed dividends/shares have been transferred to IEPF, may claim the same by making an online application to the IEPF Authority in web Form No. IEPF-5 available on www.iepf.gov.in. Mr. B L Soni, Chief Financial Officer is the Nodal Officer of the Company for the purpose of verification of such claims.
- 9. To prevent fraudulent transactions, Members are advised to exercise due diligence and notify the Company of any change in address or demise of any Member as soon as possible. Members are also advised to not leave their demat account(s) dormant for long. Periodic statement of holdings should be obtained from the concerned Depository Participant and holdings should be verified from time to time.

- 10. The Register of Directors and Key Managerial Personnel and their shareholding maintained under Section 170 of the Act and the Register of Contracts and Arrangements in which Directors are interested maintained under Section 189 of the Act and other documents referred to in this notice will be available electronically for inspection. Members can inspect by sending prior intimation email to cs@sinclairshotels.com by mentioning their Name and Folio Number/DPID and Client ID.
- 11. In line with the MCA Circulars, the Notice of AGM and Annual Report are being sent in electronic mode to members whose email address is registered with the Registrar and Share Transfer agent of the Company unless any Member has requested for a physical copy of the same on cs@ sinclairshotels.com mentioning their Folio No./DP ID and Client ID.
- 12. In line with the Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) Circular No. 17/2020 dated April 13, 2020, the Notice calling the AGM along with Annual Report has been uploaded on the website of the Company at www.sinclairshotels.com. The Notice can also be accessed from the websites of the Stock Exchanges i.e., BSE Limited and National Stock Exchange of India Limited at www.nseindia.com respectively and the AGM Notice is also available on the website of NSDL (agency for providing the Remote e-Voting facility) i.e. www.evoting.nsdl.com.

Book Closure and Dividend

- 13. The Register of Members and the Share Transfer books of the Company will remain closed from Friday, July 12, 2024 to Thursday, July 18, 2024 (both days inclusive).
- 14. Dividend, if declared, will be paid to those shareholders whose names appear in the Register of Shareholders as at close of business on Thursday, July 11, 2024, as under:
 - a. In respect of Equity Shares held in physical form: To all the Members, whose names are on the Company's Register of Members, after giving effect to valid transposition / transmission requests lodged with the Company as at close of business hours of Thursday, July 11, 2024.
 - b. In respect of Equity Shares held in electronic form: To all beneficial owners of the shares, as of end of the day on Thursday, July 11, 2024, as per details furnished by the Depositories for this purpose.
- 15. Pursuant to the Finance Act, 2020, dividend income is taxable in the hands of the Members w.e.f. April 1, 2020, and the Company is required to deduct TDS from dividend paid to the Members at rates prescribed in the Income-tax Act, 1961 (the IT Act). In general, to enable compliance with TDS requirements, Members are requested to complete and/or update their Residential Status, Permanent Account Number (PAN), Category as per the IT Act with their Depository Participants (DPs) or in case shares are held in physical form, with the Company/ Registrar and Share Transfer Agent, by sending documents through email by Monday July 8, 2024.

For Resident Shareholders -

Tax is required to be deducted at source under Section 194 of the Act, at the rate of 10% on the amount of dividend where shareholders have registered their valid Permanent Account Number (PAN). In case shareholders do not have PAN / have not registered their valid PAN details in their account, TDS at the rate of 20% shall be deducted under Section 206AA of the Act.

However, no tax shall be deducted on the dividend payable to resident individuals total dividend amount to be received



by them during the Financial Year 2024-25 (for the year 2023-24) does not exceed ₹5,000/. Even in cases where shareholder submit exemption certificate is issued by the Income-tax Department, if any or the shareholder provides Form 15G (applicable to individual)/ Form 15H (applicable to an Individual above the age of 60 years), provided that all the required eligibility conditions are met, no TDS shall be deducted.

No tax shall be deducted on the dividend payable to the resident non-individuals on submission of following details and documents.

- Insurance companies: Declaration by shareholder qualifying as Insurer as per section 2(7A) of the Insurance Act, 1938 along with self-attested copy of PAN card;
- Mutual Funds: Declaration by Mutual Fund shareholder eligible for exemption u/s 10(23D) of the Income- tax Act, 1961 along with self- attested copies of registration documents and PAN card;
- iii. Alternative Investment Fund (AIF) established in India: Declaration that the shareholder is eligible for exemption under section 10(23FBA) of the Act and they are established as Category I or Category II AIF under the SEBI regulations Copy of self-attested registration documents and PAN card should be provided.
- iv. New Pension System Trust: Declaration along with selfattested copy of documentary evidence supporting the exemption and self-attested copy of PAN card.
- Other shareholders Declaration along with selfattested copy of documentary evidence supporting the exemption and self-attested copy of PAN card.
- vi. Shareholders who have provided a valid certificate issued u/s. 197 of the Act for lower / nil rate of deduction or an exemption certificate issued by the income tax authorities along with Declaration.

For Non-resident shareholders, (including Foreign Portfolio Investors) –

Tax is required to be withheld in accordance with the provisions of Section 195 and section 196D of the Act at applicable rates in force. As per the relevant provisions of the Act, the tax shall be withheld @ 20% (plus applicable surcharge and cess) on the amount of dividend payable. However, as per Section 90 of the Act, a non-resident shareholder has the option to be governed by the provisions of the Double Tax Avoidance Agreement ("DTAA") between India and the country of tax residence of the shareholder, if they are more beneficial to the shareholder. For this purpose, i.e. to avail the tax treaty benefits, the non-resident shareholder will have to provide the following:

- Self-attested copy of PAN card, if any, allotted by the Indian income tax authorities;
- Self-attested copy of Tax Residency Certificate ("TRC") (for financial year April 1, 2023, to March 31, 2024) obtained from the tax authorities of the country of which the shareholder is resident;
- iii. Self-declaration in Form 10F, if all the details required in this form are not mentioned in the TRC;
- iv. Self-declaration by the non-resident shareholder of meeting treaty eligibility requirement and satisfying beneficial ownership requirement (for financial year April 1, 2023, to March 31, 2024). Non-resident having PE in India would need to comply with provisions of section 206AB of the IT Act).

- In case of Foreign Institutional Investors and Foreign Portfolio Investors, self-attested copy of SEBI registration certificate.
- vi. In case of shareholder being tax resident of Singapore, please furnish the letter issued by the competent authority or any other evidences demonstrating the non-applicability of Article 24 Limitation of Relief under India-Singapore Double Taxation Avoidance Agreement (DTAA). It is recommended that shareholders should independently satisfy their eligibility to claim DTAA benefit including meeting of all conditions laid down by DTAA.

Kindly note that the Company is not obligated to apply beneficial DTAA rates at the time of tax deduction/ withholding on dividend amounts. Application of beneficial rate as per DTAA for the purpose of withholding taxes shall depend upon completeness and satisfactory review by the Company of the documents submitted by the non-resident shareholder.

The Company shall arrange to email the soft copy of TDS certificate at the registered email ID of members post payment of the dividend.

Section 206AB of the Act:

Rate of TDS @10% u/s 194 of the Act is subject to provisions of section 206AB of Act (effective from 1 July 2021) which introduces special provisions for TDS in respect of non-filers of income-tax return. As provided in section 206AB, tax is required to be deducted at higher of following rates in case of payments to specified persons:

- at twice the rate specified in the relevant provision of the Act; or
- at twice the rate or rates in force; or
- at the rate of 5%.

The non-resident who does not have permanent establishment is excluded from the scope of a specified person.

The Company reserves its right to recover any demand raised subsequently on the Company for not informing the Company or providing wrong information about applicability of Section 206AB.

16. Voting through Electronic means and joining virtual Annual General Meeting

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 (as amended) and Regulation 44 of SEBI (Listing Obligations & Disclosure Requirements) Regulations 2015 (as amended), and the Circulars issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs dated April 08, 2020, April 13, 2020 and May 05, 2020 the Company is providing facility of remote e-Voting to its Members in respect of the business to be transacted at the AGM. For this purpose, the Company has entered into an agreement with National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL) for facilitating voting through electronic means, as the authorized agency. The facility of casting votes by a member using remote e-Voting system as well as venue voting on the date of the AGM will be provided by NSDL.

17. The instructions for members for remote e-voting and joining general meeting are as under:

The remote e-voting period begins on Monday, July 15, 2024, at 9 A.M. and ends on Wednesday July 17, 2024, at 5 P.M. 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 record date (cut-off date) i.e. Thursday, July 11, 2024, may cast their vote electronically. The voting right 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, being Thursday, July 11, 2024.

How do I vote electronically using NSDL e-Voting system?

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

A) Login method for e-Voting and joining virtual meeting for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat 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 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	Login Method
share-	
holders	
Individual Share- holders holding securities in demat mode with NSDL.	1 Existing IDeAS user can visit the e-Services website of NSDL Viz. https://eservices.nsdl.com 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 during the meeting.
	2. If you are 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. 3. 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.

Type of share-	Login Method
holders	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. 4. 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
	App Store Google Play
Individual Share- holders holding securities in demat mode with CDSL	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 www.cdslindia.com/ and click on login icon & New System Myeasi Tab and then user your existing my easi username & password.
	2. 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.
	3. If the user is not registered for Easi/Easiest, option to register is available at CDSL website www.cdslindia.com 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 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	Login Method
share-	
holders	
Individual	You can also login using the login credentials of
Share-	your demat account through your Depository
holders	Participant registered with NSDL/CDSL for
(holding	e-Voting facility. Upon logging in, you will be able
securities	to see e-Voting option. Click on e-Voting option,
in demat	you will be redirected to NSDL/CDSL Depository
mode)	site after successful authentication, wherein you
login	can see e-Voting feature. Click on company name
through	or e-Voting service provider i.e. NSDL and you
their de-	will be redirected to e-Voting website of NSDL
pository	for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting
partici-	period or joining virtual meeting & voting during
pants	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. NSDL and CDSL.

Login type	Helpdesk details
Individual Share-	Members facing any technical issue in login
holders holding	can contact NSDL helpdesk by sending a
securities in	request at evoting@nsdl.co.in or call at 022-
demat mode with	4886 7000 and 022-2499 7000
NSDL	
Individual Share-	Members facing any technical issue in login
holders holding	can contact CDSL helpdesk by sending a
securities in de-	request at <u>helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.</u>
mat mode with	com or contact at toll free no.:1800 22 55 33
CDSL	

B) Login Method for e-Voting and joining virtual meeting for shareholders other than Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode and 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: 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, your Password/OTP and a Verification Code as shown on the screen.

Alternatively, if you are registered for NSDL eservices i.e. IDEAS, you can log-in at https://eservices.nsdl.com/ 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.

4. Your User ID details are given below:

Manner of holding		Your User ID is:
	shares i.e. Demat	
	(NSDL or CDSL) or	
	Physical	
	a) For Members	8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digit
	who hold shares	Client ID
	in demat account	For example, if your DP ID is IN300*** and
	with NSDL.	Client ID is 12***** then your user ID is
		IN300***12******.

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

- 5. 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. 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 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 process for those shareholders whose email ids are not registered.
- 6. If you are unable to retrieve or have not received the "Initial password" or have forgotten your password:
 - Click on "Forgot User Details/Password? "(If you are holding shares in your demat account with NSDL or CDSL) option available on <u>www.evoting.nsdl.com</u>.
 - Click on "Physical User Reset Password?" (If you are holding shares in physical mode) option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com.
 - f 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 etc.
 - Members can also use the OTP (One Time Password) based login for casting the votes on the e-Voting system of NSDL.
- 7. After entering your password, tick on Agree to "Terms and Conditions" by selecting on the check box.
- 8. Now, you will have to click on "Login" button.
- 9. After you click on the "Login" button, Home page of e-Voting will open.

Step 2: Cast your vote electronically and join General Meeting on NSDL e-Voting system.

1. 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 for which you wish to cast your vote during the remote e-Voting period and casting your vote during the General Meeting. 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.
- 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.
- 6. 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

- Institutional shareholders (i.e. other than individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) are required to send scanned copy (PDF/ JPG Format) of the relevant Board Resolution/ Authority letter etc. with attested specimen signature of the duly authorized signatory(ies) who are authorized to vote, to the Scrutinizer by e-mail to smd.deepak@gmail.com with a copy marked to evoting@nsdl.com. Institutional shareholders (i.e. other than individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) can also upload their Board Resolution/Power of Attorney/Authority Letter etc. by clicking on "Upload Board Resolution / Authority Letter" displayed under "e-Voting" tab in their login.
- 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.evoting.nsdl.com to reset the password.
- 3. In case of any queries, you may refer the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) for Shareholders and e-voting user manual for Shareholders available at the download section of www.evoting.nsdl.com or call on.: 022 4886 7000 and 022 2499 7000 or send a request to Ms. Pallavi Mhatre, Senior Manager at evoting@nsdl.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:

- In case shares are held in physical mode please provide 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 cs@sinclairshotels.com.
- 2. In case shares are held in demat mode, please provide DPID-CLID (16 digit DPID + CLID or 16 digit beneficiary ID), Name, client master or copy of Consolidated Account statement, PAN (self-attested scanned copy of PAN card), AADHAR (self attested scanned copy of Aadhar Card) to csc@sinclairshotels.com. If you are an Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode, you are requested to refer to the login method explained at step 1 (A) i.e. 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 <u>evoting@nsdl.com</u> for procuring user id and password for <u>e-voting</u> by providing above mentioned documents.
- 4. 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 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.

The instructions for members for e-voting on the day of the AGM 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 Members/ shareholders, who will be 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 in the AGM.
- 3. 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.
- 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:

- 1. Member will be provided with a facility to attend the AGM through VC/OAVM through the NSDL e-Voting system. Members may access by following the steps mentioned above for 'Access to NSDL e-Voting system'. After successful login, you can see link of "VC/OAVM" placed under "Join meeting" menu against company name. You are requested to click on VC/OAVM link placed under Join Meeting menu. The link for VC/OAVM will be available in Shareholder/ Member login where the EVEN of Company will be displayed. Please note that the 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 the notice to avoid last minute rush.
- 2. Members are encouraged to join the Meeting through Laptops for better experience.
- Further Members 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.
- Shareholders who would like to express their views/ask questions during the meeting may register themselves as a speaker may send their request mentioning their name, demat account number/folio number, email id, mobile number at <u>cs@sinclairshotels.com</u> latest by 4 p.m. (IST) on Monday July 8, 2024.



- Shareholders who would like to express their views/have questions may send their questions in advance mentioning their name demat account number/folio number, email id, mobile number at cs@sinclairshotels.com latest 4 P.M. (IST) on Monday July 8, 2024. The same will be replied by the Company suitably.
- Those shareholders who have registered themselves as a speaker will only be allowed to express their views/ask questions during the meeting.
- 8. When a pre-registered speaker is invited to speak at the meeting but he / she does not respond, the next speaker will be invited to speak. Accordingly, all speakers are requested to get connected to a device with a video/ camera along with good internet speed.
- The Company reserves the right to restrict the number of questions and number of speakers, as appropriate, for smooth conduct of the AGM.
- Members who need assistance before or during the AGM, can contact Ms. Pallavi Mhatre, Manager, NSDL at evoting@ nsdl.co.in or call on.: 022 - 4886 7000 and 022 - 2499 7000.

Other instructions

- CA Deepak Daga (Membership No. 059205), Partner of S.M. Daga & Co., (FRN: 303119E) Practicing Chartered Accountants, of 11 Clive Row, Kolkata- 700001 has been appointed as the Scrutinizer to scrutinize the voting at the Annual General Meeting and remote e-voting process in a fair and transparent manner.
- The Scrutinizer shall, immediately after the conclusion of voting at the AGM, unblock the votes cast through remote e-voting (votes cast during the AGM and votes cast through remote e-voting) 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 result declared along with the Scrutinizer's Report shall be placed on the Company's investor website <u>www.</u> <u>sinclairsindia.com</u> and on the website of NSDL immediately.
 The Company shall simultaneously forward the results to the Stock Exchange BSE Ltd, NSE Ltd. and CSE Ltd., where the shares are listed.

DETAILS OF DIRECTOR SEEKING RE-APPOINTMENT AT THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

(Pursuant to Regulation 36(3) of SEBI (Listing Obligation and Disclosure Requirement) Regulations, 2015)

Brief profile of Dr. Niren Chand Suchanti, Non-Executive Non Independent Director, who is liable to retire by rotation, seeking reappointment at the ensuing Annual General Meeting, pursuant to para 1.2.5 of SS-2 ("Secretarial Standard on General Meetings"), regulation 36(3) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, and other applicable provisions, if any, is provided in the table below:

Name of Director	Dr. Niren Chand Suchanti
Date of Birth	17.04.1949 (75 years) *
Date of first appointment on the Board	30.06.1990
Qualification	Ph.D. in Operations Research and Industrial Management from University of Cincinnati, USA
Expertise in specific functional area	52 years of experience in advertising, marketing, public relations and investor relations.
Terms and conditions of reappointment	As per existing terms and conditions
Last drawn remuneration	Mr. Suchanti being non-executive director, do not draw any remuneration from the Company
Other listed entities in which Directorships held	Signpost India Limited
Membership/ Chairmanship of Committee of the Other Public Companies	NIL
Number of shares held in the Company	1,22,15,498 shares of Rs. 2 each (23.83%)
Number of board meetings attended during the financial year 2023-24	Attended all 7 Board meetings held in FY 2023-24
Relationship with other directors, managers and KMPs of the company	Brother of Mr. Navin Chand Suchanti

^{*} Special Resolution for continuation of directorship of Dr. Niren Chand Suchanti beyond the age of 75 years, was passed in Extra Ordinary General Meeting held on January 18, 2024.

Kolkata May 21, 2024 Registered Office: 147 Block G New Alipore, Kolkata 700 053 For and on behalf of the Board

Ananna Sarkar Company Secretary Membership No.: A36737