AVON MERCANTILE LIMITED

Registered Office:

S Global Knowledge Park, 19A & 19B, Sector-125, NOIDA-201301 (U.P.)

CIN: L17118UP1985PLC026582 Phone: 0120-3355131, 3859000

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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the 30th Annual General Meeting of **AVON MERCANTILE LIMITED** will be held on Wednesday, 30th September, 2015 at 10:00 A.M. at S Global Knowledge Park, 19A & 19B, Sector-125, Noida – 201301 to transact the following business:

ORDINARY BUSINESS

- 1. To receive, consider and adopt the Audited Balance Sheet as on 31st March 2015 and the Profit and Loss Account for the Financial Year ended on that date along with the Directors' Report and Auditors' Report thereon.
- 2. To consider and appoint a Director in place of Mr. Rakesh Kumar Bhatnagar (DIN 02922258), who retires by rotation and being eligible, offers himself for re-appointment.
- 3. To consider and appoint Statutory Auditors to hold office from the conclusion of this meeting until the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting and to fix their remuneration. M/s Gupta Garg & Agarwal, Chartered Accountants (Firm Registration No. 505762C) the retiring Auditors, being eligible, offer themselves for re-appointment.

SPECIAL BUSINESS:

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

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Sections 149, 152, 161(1), 184 and any other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and rules made thereunder, Ms. Gunjan Arora (DIN: 07134573), who was appointed as an Additional Director of the Company w.e.f. 25th March 2015 and who holds office up to the date of this Annual General Meeting and in respect of whom the Company has received a notice in writing from a member proposing her candidature for the office of the Director of the Company, be and is hereby elected and appointed as a Non-Executive Director, whose period of office shall be liable to determination by retirement of directors by rotation."

By Order of the Board For AVON MERCANTILE LIMITED

Place: Noida

Date: 14th August 2015

(Pranjul Gupta)
Company Secretary

NOTES:

1. An Explanatory Statement pursuant to Section 102(1) of the Companies Act, 2013 relating to the Special Business to be transacted at the Meeting is annexed hereto in <u>Annexure -A</u>.

- 2. Brief resume of the Directors seeking re-appointment as mandated under Clause 49(VIII)(E)(1) of the Listing Agreement with the Stock Exchanges is annexed as <u>Annexure B</u> hereto and forms part of the Notice.
- 3. A MEMBER ENTITLED TO ATTEND AND VOTE AT THE MEETING IS ENTITLED TO APPOINT A PROXY TO ATTEND AND VOTE ON A POLL INSTEAD OF HIMSELF / HERSELF AND SUCH PROXY NEED NOT BE A MEMBER OF THE COMPANY. THE INSTRUMENT APPOINTING THE PROXY, IN ORDER TO BE EFFECTIVE, MUST BE RECEIVED AT THE REGISTERED OFFICE OF THE COMPANY DULY COMPLETED AND SIGNED, NOT LESS THAN 48 (FORTY-EIGHT) HOURS BEFORE THE COMMENCEMENT OF THE MEETING. A PROXY FORM IS APPENDED WITH THE ATTENDANCE SLIP.
- 4. The members are requested to bring duly filled attendance slip along with their copy of Annual Report at the meeting.
- 5. Corporate members intending to send their authorised representatives to attend the meeting are requested to send a duly certified copy of the Board Resolution authorizing them to attend and vote on their behalf at the meeting.
- 6. Members are requested to intimate any change in their address directly to the Company's Registrar and Share Transfer Agent, MCS Share Transfer Agent Limited F-65, Okhla Industrial Area, Phase-I, New Delhi 110020.
- 7. The members are requested to intimate to the Company at its Registered Office Address, queries, if any, at least 10 days before the date of the meeting to enable the management to keep the required information available at the meeting.
- 8. Pursuant to Section 91 of the Companies Act, 2013, the Register of Members and Share Transfer Books of the Company shall remain closed from 26th September 2015 to 30th September 2015 (both days inclusive).
- 9. In case of Joint holders attending the Meeting, only such joint holder who is higher in the order of names will be entitled to vote.
- 10. The Copy of the Annual Report is being sent by electronic mode to members who have registered their e-mail ids with the Company. Members whose e-mail id is not registered with the Company will be sent physical copies of the Annual Report etc. at their registered address through permitted mode as specified under Section 20(2) of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rule 35 of the Companies (Incorporation) Rules, 2013.
- 11. The Annual Report of the Company for the year ended 31st March 2015 is uploaded on the Company's website www.avonmercantile.in and may be accessed by the members.
- 12. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) has mandated the submission of Permanent Account Number (PAN) by every participant in securities market. Members holding shares can submit their PAN to the Company / MCS Share Transfer Agent Limited.
- 13. Statutory Registers and documents referred to in the Notice and Explanatory Statement as required to be maintained under the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013, are open for inspection at the registered office of the Company on all working days (Monday to Friday) between 11.00 a.m and 1.00 p.m. upto the date of Annual General Meeting and will also be available for inspection at the meeting.

14. VOTING THROUGH ELECTRONIC MEANS

I. In compliance with provisions of Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013, Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 as amended by the Companies (Management and Administration) Amendment Rules, 2015 and Clause 35B of the Listing Agreement, the Company is pleased to provide members facility to exercise their right to vote on resolutions proposed to be considered at the Annual General Meeting (AGM) by electronic means and the business may be transacted through e-Voting Services. The facility of casting the

- votes by the members using an electronic voting system from a place other than venue of the AGM ("remote e-voting") will be provided by National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL).
- II. The facility for voting through ballot paper shall be made available at the AGM and the members attending the meeting who have not cast their vote by remote e-voting shall be able to exercise their right at the meeting through ballot paper.
- III. The members who have cast their vote by remote e-voting prior to the AGM may also attend the AGM but shall not be entitled to cast their vote again.
- IV. The remote e-voting period commences on 27th September, 2015 (9:00 am) and ends on 29th September, 2015 (5:00 pm). During this period members of the Company, holding shares either in physical form or in dematerialized form, as on the cut-off date of 23rd September 2015, may cast their vote by remote e-voting. The remote e-voting module shall be disabled by NSDL for voting thereafter. Once the vote on a resolution is cast by the member, the member shall not be allowed to change it subsequently.
- V. The process and manner for remote e-voting are as under:
 - A. In case a Member receives an email from NSDL [for members whose email IDs are registered with the Company/Depository Participants(s)]:
 - (i) Open email and open PDF file viz; "remote e-voting.pdf" with your Client ID or Folio No. as password. The said PDF file contains your user ID and password/PIN for remote e-voting. Please note that the password is an initial password.
 - (ii) Launch internet browser by typing the following URL: https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/
 - (iii) Click on Shareholder Login
 - (iv) Put user ID and password as initial password/PIN noted in step (i) above. Click Login.
 - (v) Password change menu appears. Change the password/PIN with new password of your choice with minimum 8 digits/characters or combination thereof. Note new password. It is strongly recommended not to share your password with any other person and take utmost care to keep your password confidential.
 - (vi) Home page of remote e-voting opens. Click on remote e-voting: Active Voting Cycles.
 - (vii) Select "EVEN" of "Avon Mercantile Limited".
 - (viii) Now you are ready for remote e-voting as Cast Vote page opens.
 - (ix) Cast your vote by selecting appropriate option and click on "Submit" and also "Confirm" when prompted.
 - (x) Upon confirmation, the message "Vote cast successfully" will be displayed.
 - (xi) Once you have voted on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.
 - (xii) 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. together with attested specimen signature of the duly authorized signatory(ies) who are authorized to vote, to the Scrutinizer through e-mail to cavarunsinghal@gmail.com with a copy marked to evoting@nsdl.co.in

- B. In case a Member receives physical copy of the Notice of AGM [for members whose email IDs are not registered with the Company/Depository Participants(s) or requesting physical copy]:
 - (i) Initial password is provided as below/at the bottom of the Attendance Slip for the AGM in the format given below :

EVEN (Remote e-voting Event Number) USER ID PASSWORD/PIN

- (ii) Please follow all steps from Sl. No. (ii) to Sl. No. (xii) above, to cast vote.
- VI. In case of any queries, you may refer the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) for Members and remote e-voting user manual for Members available at the download section of www.evoting.nsdl.com or call on toll free no.: 1800-222-990.
- VII. If you are already registered with NSDL for remote e-voting then you can use your existing user ID and password/PIN for casting your vote.
- VIII. You can also update your mobile number and e-mail id in the user profile details of the folio which may be used for sending future communication(s).
- IX. The voting rights of members shall be in proportion to their shares of the paid up equity share capital of the Company as on the cut-off date of 23rd September, 2015.
- X. Any person, who acquires shares of the Company and become member of the Company after dispatch of the notice and holding shares as of the cut-off date i.e. 23rd September, 2015, may obtain the login ID and password by sending a request at evoting@nsdl.co.in or admin@mcsdel.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 contact NSDL at the following toll free no.: 1800-222-990.
- XI. A member may participate in the AGM even after exercising his right to vote through remote e-voting but shall not be allowed to vote again at the AGM.
- XII. A person, whose name is recorded in the register of members or in the register of beneficial owners maintained by the depositories as on the cut-off date only shall be entitled to avail the facility of remote e-voting as well as voting at the AGM through ballot paper.
- XIII. Mr. Varun Singhal, Chartered Accountant and Partner of M/s. RBAS & Associates, Chartered Accountants has been appointed as the Scrutinizer for providing facility to the members of the Company to scrutinize the voting and remote e-voting process in a fair and transparent manner.
- XIV. The Chairman shall, at the AGM, at the end of discussion on the resolutions on which voting is to be held, allow voting with the assistance of scrutinizer, by use of "remote e-voting" or "Ballot Paper" for all those members who are present at the AGM but have not cast their votes by availing the remote e-voting facility.
- XV. The Scrutinizer shall after the conclusion of voting at the general meeting, will first count the votes cast at the meeting and thereafter unblock the votes cast through remote evoting in the presence of at least two witnesses not in the employment of the Company and shall make, not later than three days of the conclusion of the AGM, a consolidated scrutinizer's report of the total votes cast in favour or against, if any, to the Chairman or a

person authorized by him in writing, who shall countersign the same and declare the result of the voting forthwith.

XVI. The Results declared alongwith the report of the Scrutinizer shall be placed on the website of the Company http://www.avonmercantile.in/ and on the website of NSDL immediately after the declaration of result by the Chairman or a person authorized by him in writing. The results shall also be immediately forwarded to the BSE Limited and Calcutta Stock Exchange Association Ltd.

ANNEXURE - A

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 102(1) OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013 IN RESPECT OF SPECIAL BUSINESS

Item No. 4

As per Section 149 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 3 of the Companies (Appointment and Qualification of Directors) Rules, 2014, and Clause 49(II)(A)(1) of the Listing Agreement, a listed company is required to appoint a Woman Director.

Accordingly in terms of Sections 149, 152, 161(1), 184 and any other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and the rules made thereunder, Ms. Gunjan Arora was appointed as an Additional Director w.e.f. 25th March 2015, to hold office till conclusion of this Annual General Meeting. Her term of office shall be liable to determination by retirement of directors by rotation.

Ms. Gunjan Arora specializes in Finance and has over 5 years of experience in various fields covering Business Advisory, Direct and Indirect Taxation etc and is on the Board of several Indian Companies.

The Board feels that presence of Ms. Gunjan Arora on the Board is desirable and would be beneficial to the Company and hence recommend resolution No. 4 for adoption.

None of the Directors except Ms. Gunjan Arora, Key Managerial Personnel of the Company and their relatives is concerned or interested, financial or otherwise, in the resolution except and to the extent they are member of the Company.

ANNEXURE-B

Details of Directors seeking Appointment / Reappointment in forthcoming Annual General Meeting (in pursuance of Clause 49(VIII)(E)(1) of the Listing Agreement)

Name of Director	Mr. Rakesh Kumar Bhatnagar	Ms. Gunjan Arora
Date of Birth	10 th November 1958	6 th September 1988
Date of Appointment as Director	6 th February 2012	25 th March 2015
Qualification	Post Graduation diploma in business analytics and M.Com	Post Graduation diploma in banking operations and M.Com
Expertise in specific functional	Having 38 years of vast experience in	Specializes in Finance and has over
areas	Finance, accounting and expertise in fields of Direct and Indirect Taxation etc.	5 years of experience in various fields covering Business Advisory, Direct and Indirect Taxation etc and is on the Board of several Indian Companies.
List of Companies in which	1. Bougainvillea Multiplex &	1. IO System Limited
Chairman / Member of the Committees of the Board of the Companies on which	Entertainment Center Private Limited 2. Mudaliar & Sons Hotels Private Limited 3. M Pictures Distribution Limited 4. Buddha Pictures Limited 5. Nagesh Buildtech Private Limited 6. Modikem Private Limited 7. Vcorp Mercantile Private Limited 8. Singlestop Evaluation Private Limited 9. Spice Impex Private Limited 10. Modipur Devices Private Limited 11. Bharat Towers Private Limited 12. Susmita Promoters Private Limited 13. Oasis Cineplex Private Limited 14. Prospective Infrastructures Private Limited 15. Protective Investments Private Limited 16. Ghensoft (India) Private Limited 17. Handsome Investments Private Limited 18. Fine Instalments Private Limited 19. Spice Innovative Technologies Private Limited Nil	 MBM Limited Spicebulls Investments Limited Spice Solar Technology Rajasthan Private Limited Spice Solar Technology Private Limited Spice Stock Broking Private Limited Protective Investments Private Limited
he/she is a Director	1	1
Number of Shares held in the Company	Nil	Nil