

## VIRAT CRANE INDUSTRIES LTD.,

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To, The General Manager, Listing Compliance Department, BSE Limited, PJ Towers, Dalal Street, Mumbai - 400 001.

Date: 05-09-2024

Dear Sir/Madam,

Sub: Submission of Notice of the 32<sup>nd</sup> Annual General Meeting along with E-voting instructions other information as per regulation 30 of the SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015.

We are hereby submitting the Notice of the 32<sup>nd</sup> Annual General Meeting along with Evoting instructions and other information as per regulation 30 of the SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015 as an annexure.

This is for your information and record.

Thanking you, For Virat Crane Industries Limited



CS AdiVenkataRama.R (Company Secretary & compliance Officer)







## NOTICE OF THE 32<sup>nd</sup> ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

#### Notice of the 32<sup>nd</sup> Annual General Meeting

Notice Is hereby given that the 32<sup>nd</sup> Annual General Meeting of the members of M/s Virat Crane Industries Limited will be held on Friday, September 27, 2024 at 11:15 A.M. IST ("AGM") through Video Conferencing ("VC") / Other Audio Visual Means ("OAVM"), to seek the consent of the shareholders of the Company ("Members"), on the agenda herein below through remote electronic voting ("E-voting").

Pursuant to the guidelines and notification issued by the Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India and in light of the MCA Circulars and pursuant to applicable provisions of the Companies Act and rules made there under, the proceedings of the AGM shall be deemed to be conducted at the Registered Office of the Company which shall be the deemed venue of the AGM.

#### **Ordinary Business:**

- To receive, consider and adopt the Standalone Audited Financial Statements of the Company for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup>March, 2024 and together with the reports of the Board of Directors and Auditors there on.
- 2. To appoint a Director in place of Smt.Himaja.M (DIN: 06505782) who retires by rotation and being eligible, offers herself for reappointment.

#### **Special Business:**

3. Appointment of Independent Director:

To appoint Sri Ragav Kaliappan (Din: 02185155) as a Non-Executive Independent Director in this regard to consider and if thought fit to pass with or withoutmodification the following resolution as a special resolution:

"RESOLVED THAT Sri Ragav Kaliappan (Din: 02185155) who was appointed as an additional and non-executive independent director, pursuant to Sections 149, 152 and 161 and other relevant provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rules made there under (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof, for the time being in force) on the board meeting held as on 29-08-2024 and who is eligible for appointment as a Non-Executive Independent Director and in respect of whom the Company has received arecommendation from the Nomination and Remuneration Committee and the Board of Directors of the Company, be and is hereby appointed as a Non-Executive independent director, not liable to retire by rotation, for a period of fiveyears w.e.f 29.08.2024 to 28.08.2029.

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT any one of the Directors of the Company be and are hereby severally authorized to do all such acts, deeds and things, and to execute all such documents, instruments and writings as may be required to give effect to this resolution."

4. To Approve Related Party Transaction/s.

To approve material related party transaction(s) between the company and Sri Murari Traders,



a partnership firm which is a related party by virtue of all the partners of a partnership firm are being members of promoter and promoter group and director/s of the company to consider and, if thought fit, to pass the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Regulation 23(4) and other applicable regulations of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended ('SEBI Listing Regulations') read with Section 188 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act"), as may be applicable, and other applicable provisions of the Act, if any, read with related rules, if any, (including any other applicable provisions or statutory modifications or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force), the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company and the Company's Policy on Related Party Transaction(s), and as per the approval of the Audit Committee and Board of Directors of the Company (hereinafter referred to as "Board", which term shall be deemed to include any Committee which the Board may have constituted or hereinafter constitute) and subject to requisite statutory/regulatory and other appropriate approvals, if any, as may be required, consent of the Members be and is hereby accorded to the Company to enter into and/or continue the related party transaction(s) / contract(s)/ arrangement(s)/ agreement(s) (whether by way of an individual transaction or transactions taken together or series of transactions or otherwise), with Sri Murari Traders, A Partnership Firm and all the partners of a partnership firm are being members of promoter and promoter group and director/s of the company, accordingly related party/ies under Section 2(76) of the Act, as per the details provided in the explanatory statement, subject to such related party transaction(s) / contract(s)/ arrangement(s) being carried out at arm's length and in the ordinary course of business;

"RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors and / or Key Managerial Personnel (KMP) of the Company be and are hereby authorized to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things including but not limited to authorizing signatories, deciding on the timing, manner and extent of carrying out the aforesaid activities and to negotiate, finalize and execute agreement(s), arrangement(s), contract(s) and such other document(s), by whatever name called, to make any material modifications to the terms of such related party transactions and to do all such acts, matters and things as may be necessary and to settle any questions or difficulties that may arise in this regard and incidental thereto, without being required to seek any further consent or approval of the members and to delegate all or any of the powers or authorities herein conferred to any director(s) or other officer(s) of the Company, or to engage any advisor, consultant, agent or intermediary, as may be deemed necessary;

"RESOLVED FURTHER THAT all actions taken by the Board in connection with any matter referred to or contemplated in this resolution, be and is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed in all respect.

Place: Guntur Date: 30.08.2024

> M/s Virat Crane Industries Limited. Sd/-CS. Adi Venkata Rama. R (Company Secretary & Compliance Officer) (Membership No. ACS 46744)

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### **NOTES:**

- The Register of Members and Share Transfer Books of the Company shall remain closed from Saturday21<sup>st</sup> September, 2024 to, Friday 27<sup>th</sup> September, 2024 (both days inclusive), for annual closing (for Annual General Meeting).
- 2. The Ministry of Corporate Affairs ("MCA") has vide its General Circular nos. 14/2020 and17/2020 dated April 8, 2020 and April 13,2020 respectively, in relation to "Clarification on passing of ordinary and special resolutions by companies under the Companies Act,2013and the rules made there under and the GeneralCircular no.20/2020 dated May 5,2020, General Circular nos. 02/2021 and 21/2021 dated January 13, 2021 and December14,2021also extension circulars on May 2022, SEBI Circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/PoD-2/P/CIR/2023/4 dated January 5, 2023 issued by SEBI ("Circulars"). respectively in relation to" Clarification on holding of annual general meeting(AGM)through video conferencing (VC) or other audio visual means (OAVM)", (collectively referred to as "MCA Circulars") permitted the holding of the Annual General Meeting("AGM")through VC/OAVM, without the physical presence of the Members at a common venue. Incompliance with the MCA Circulars, the AGM of the Company is being held through VC/OAVM. The registered office of the Company shall be deemed to be the venue for the AGM.
- 3. In compliance with the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 (the "Companies Act"), the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended ("SEBI Listing Regulations") and the MCA Circulars, the AGM of the Company is being held through VC / OAVM, without the physical presence of the Members at a common venue.
- 4. In accordance with the Secretarial Standard-2 on General Meetings issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India ("ICSI") read with Clarification/Guidance on applicability of Secretarial Standards 1 and 2 dated 15th April, 2020 issued by the ICSI, the proceedings of the AGM shall be deemed to be conducted at the Registered Office of the Company which shall be the deemed venue of the AGM.
- 5. This AGM Notice is being sent to all the Members, whose names appear in the Register of Members/ List of Beneficial Owners as received from National Securities Depository Limited ("NSDL") / Central Depository Services (India) Limited ("CDSL") as on 30<sup>th</sup> August, 2024.
- 6. The Board of Directors of the Company (the "Board", which term shall deemed to include any Committee(s) constituted/ to be constituted by the Board, from time to time) has appointed M/s. K.SrinivasaRao&Nagaraju Associates, Practicing Company Secretaries, Vijayawada as the Scrutinizer to scrutinize the e-voting process in a fair and transparent manner.
- 7. Pursuant to the provisions of Section 105 the Companies 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. However, since this AGM is being held pursuant to the





applicable MCA and SEBI Circulars as mentioned hereinabove, 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 the AGM and hence the Proxy Form and Attendance Slip are not annexed to this AGM Notice.

- 8. Corporate/Institutional Members (i.e. other than Individuals, HUF, NRIs, etc.) are required to send a scanned certified true copy (PDF Format) of the Board Resolution/ Authority Letter, etc., authorizing their representative to attend the AGM through VC / OAVM on their behalf and to vote through remote e-voting or during the AGM. The said Resolution/Authorization shall be sent to the Scrutinizer by email through its registered email address to ksrao21@gmail.com (or) vcil@cranegroup.in
- 9. The Member's log-in to the Video Conferencing platform using the remote e-voting credentials shall be considered for record of attendance at the AGM and such Member attending the Meeting will be counted for the purpose of reckoning the quorum under Section 103 of the Companies Act.
- 10. Since the AGM will be held through VC/OAVM, the route map is not annexed to this AGM Notice.
- 11. Members are requested to intimate immediately, any change in their address to their depository participants with whom they are maintaining their Demat accounts If the shares are held in physical form, change in address has to be intimated to the company's registrar and transfer agent (RTA) for any future communication by the company. RTA Addresses is: Bigshare Services Private Limited, 306, Right Wing, 3rd Floor, Amrutha Ville, Opp. Yashoda Hospital, Rajbhavan Road, Hyderabad 500 082, Telangana, India Tel: +91-40-2337 4967, Fax: +91-40-2337 0295, e-mail ID: bsshyd@bigshareonline.com
- 12. SEBI has mandated the submission of permanent account number (PAN) by every participant in securities market. Members holding shares in electronic form are, therefore, requested to submit their PAN to their depository participants with whom they are maintaining their Demat accounts. Members holding shares in physical form should submit their PAN to the company or its RTA.
- 13. In terms of Schedule I of the Listing Regulations, listed companies are required to use the Reserve Bank of India's approved electronic mode of payment such as electronic clearance service (ECS), LECS (Local ECS)/RECS (Regional ECS)/NECS (National ECS), direct credit, real time gross settlement, national electronic fund transfer (NEFT), etc. for making payments like dividend etc if paid, to the members. Accordingly, members holding securities in Demat mode are requested to update their bank details with their depository participants. Members holding securities in physical form should send a request updating their bank details, to the company's RTA. In compliance with the aforesaid Circulars and upon normalization of the postal services, the company shall dispatch by post the dividend warrants if any paid in future, to those members who have not registered their bank mandate with company.



- 14. Pursuant to the changes introduced by the Finance Act 2020 ('the Act'), dividend income will be taxable in the hands of the members w.e.f. 1 April 2020 and the company is required to deduct tax at source (TDS) from dividend paid to members at the prescribed rates if paid by the company as the company has not paid any dividend.
- 15. Pursuant to Section 72 of the Companies Act, 2013, members are entitled to make a nomination in respect of shares held by them. Members desirous of making a nomination, pursuant to the Rule 19(1) of the Companies (Share Capital and Debentures) Rules, 2014 are requested to send their requests in form no. SH-13.To the RTA of the company. Further, members desirous of cancelling/varying nomination pursuant to the Rule 19(9) of the Companies (Share Capital and Debentures) Rules, 2014, are requested to send their requests in form no. SH-14/Form ISR-3, to the RTA if shares are in physical form or to their DP in case the shares are held by them in dematerialized form. These forms will be made available on request.
- 16. The members may note that, pursuant to SEBI Notification dated 8<sup>th</sup>June 2018 and Press Release dated 3 December 2018, transfer of shares (except transmission and transposition of shares) will be in dematerialized form only. Although, the members can continue to hold shares in physical form, they are requested to consider dematerializing the shares held by them in the company.
- 17. Your company is pleased to provide the facility of live webcast of proceedings of AGM. Members who are entitled to participate in the AGM can view the live proceedings of AGM by logging on the CDSL e-voting system at www.evotingindia.com using their secure login credentials.Or The Members may attend the AGM through VC/ OAVM at https://ivote.bigshareonline.com under Investorlogin by using the e-voting credentials Members are encouraged to use this facility of the live webcast. The webcast facility will be available from 11.00 am onwards on 27<sup>th</sup> September 2024.
- 18. Since the AGM will be held through VC/OAVM, the route map is not annexed in this notice.
- 19. In accordance with the aforesaid Circulars, no physical copy of the notice of the AGM and the annual report for the financial year 2023-24 will be sent to members who have not registered their e-mail addresses with the company/depository participants. The members will be entitled to a physical copy of the annual report for the financial year 2023-24, after paying the pre-determined charges for sending physical copy, upon sending a request to the company secretary at D.no :25-18-54, opp. Crane Betel nut powder works office, Main road, Sampathnagar, Guntur-522004.
- 20. The Company's Registrar and Transfer Agents for its Share Registry Work (Physical and Electronic) are Bigshare Services Private Limited, having their officer at 306, Right Wing, 3rd Floor, Amrutha Ville, Opp. Yashoda Hospital, Rajbhavan Road, Hyderabad 500 082, Telangana, India Tel: +91-40-2337 4967, Fax: +91-40-2337 0295, e-mail ID: bsshyd@bigshareonline.com.
- 21. In compliance with the aforesaid MCA Circulars and SEBI Circular dated 12th May, 2020, AGM Notice is being sent only through electronic mode to those Members whose email addresses are



registered with the Company/ RTA/ Depositories. Members may note that the AGM Notice will also be available on the Company's website https://viratcraneindustries.com/(or) on the company's portal of the website of the Stock Exchange i.e.BSE Limited at www.bseindia.com. For any communication, the Members may also send a request to the Company's email id at

22. 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 https://www.evotingindia.com and also our RTA facility for the same is https://ivote.bigshareonline.com

Shareholders/members can 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.

Members can join the AGM 15 minutes before and up to after the scheduled time of commencement of the AGM. The facility of participation at the AGM through VC/OAVM will be made available to at least 1,000 Members on first come first served basis, in accordance with the MCA Circulars. Shareholders are encouraged to join the Meeting through Laptops / I Pads for better experience.

Further shareholders will be required to allow Camera and use Internet with a good speed to avoid any disturbance during the meeting. 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.

1. Members, who would like to ask questions during the AGM with regard to the resolution to be placed at the AGM, or Members can submit questions/queries in advance with regard to the resolution to be placed at the AGM need to register themselves as speaker by sending their request from their registered email address mentioning their name, DP ID and Client ID number/ folio number and mobile number, along with their questions/queries to reach the Company's email address vcil@cranegroup.in or agmparticipant@bigshareonline.com at least seven (7) days in advance before the start of the meeting i.e. by Friday 20th, 2024 5.00 p.m. Those Members who have registered themselves as speakers shall only be allowed to ask questions during the AGM, on first-come-first-serve basis and subject to availability of time.

2. Shareholder should send a mail mentioning the company name and AGM date in subject line.

On receipt of request from shareholder company's RTA shall share a link with shareholder for joining the meeting before 48 hours before of the date of AGM. Other e-voting instructions shall remain same as issued by CDSL/NSDL and Bigshare services Private Limited who is our RTA for this purpose. Those shareholders who have registered themselves as a speaker will only be allowed to express their views/ask questions during the meeting.

Members who need assistance before or during the AGM may contact Mr. Adi Venkata Rama.R, Company Secretary & Compliance officer at Tel: +0863-2223311 (or) send an email request at the email id: vcil@cranegroup.in (or) to the registrar email bsshyd@bigshareonline.com

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Instructions for Members for Voting during the AGMis given in the Page No. : 14

The procedure for remote e-voting during or at the AGM is same as the instructions mentioned above for remote e-voting since the AGM is being held through VC/OAVM.

The e-voting window shall be activated upon instructions of the Chairman of the Meeting during the AGM.

E-voting during the AGM is integrated with the VC platform and no separate login is required for the same. The Members shall be guided on the process during the AGM.

iv. Only those Members/Shareholders, who will be present in the AGM through VC/OAVM facility and have not cast their vote on the Resolution through remote e-voting and are otherwise not barred from doing so, shall be eligible to vote through e-voting system at the AGM.

#### Voting through electronic means:

 The general meetings of the companies shall be conducted as per the guidelines issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) vide CircularNo.14/2020 dated April 8, 2020, Circular No.17/2020 dated April 13,2020 and Circular No. 20/2020 dated May 05, 2020 also extension circulars on May 2022, SEBI Circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/PoD-2/P/

CIR/2023/4 dated January 5, 2023 issued by SEBI ("Circulars"). The forth coming AGM/ EGM will thus be held through video conferencing (VC) or other audio visual means (OAVM). Hence, Members can attend and participate in the ensuing AGM/EGM through VC/OAVM.

- 2. 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 MCA Circulars dated April 08, 2020, April13, 2020 and May 05, 2020 also extension circulars on May 2022, SEBI Circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/PoD2/P/CIR/2023/4 dated January 5, 2023 issued by SEBI ("Circulars"). The Company is providing facility of remote e-voting to its Members in respect of the business to be transacted at the AGM/EGM. For this purpose, the Company has entered into an agreement with our RTA (Bigshare services Private Limited) for facilitating voting through electronic means, as the authorized e-Voting's agency. The facility of casting votes by a member using remote e-voting as well as the e-voting system on the date of the EGM/AGM will be provided by our RTA.
- 3. The Members can join the EGM/AGM in theVC/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 EGM/AGM through VC/OAVM will be made available to at least 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 Stake holders Relationship Committee, Auditors etc. who are allowed







to attend the EGM/AGM without restriction on account of first come first served basis.

- 4. The attendance of the Members attending the AGM/EGM through VC/OAVM will be counted for the purpose of ascertaining the quorum under Section 103 of the Companies Act, 2013.
- 5. Pursuant to MCA Circular No. 14/2020 dated April08, 2020, the facility to appoint proxy to attend and cast vote for the members is not available for this AGM/EGM. However, in pursuance of Section112and Section 113 of the Companies Act, 2013, representatives of the members such as the President of India or the Governor of a State or body corporate can attend the AGM/EGM through VC/OAVM and cast their votes through e-voting.
- 6. In line with the Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) Circular No. 17/2020 dated April 13, 2020, the Notice calling the AGM/EGM has been up loaded on the website of the Company at https:// viratcraneindustries.com/. The Notice can also be accessed from the websites of the Stock Exchange i.e. BSE Limited at www.bseindia.com The AGM/EGM Notice is also disseminated on the website of CDSL (agency for providing the Remote e-Voting facility and e-voting system during the AGM/EGM) i.e. www.evotingindia.com. And also at https://ivote.bigshareonline.com.
- The AGM/EGM has been convened through VC/OAVM in compliance with applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 read with MCA Circular No. 14/2020 dated April 8, 2020 and MCA Circular No. 17/2020 dated April 13, 2020 and MCA Circular No. 20/2020 dated May 05, 2020.
- 8. In continuation of this Ministry's General Circular and Pursuant to Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013, Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014, as amended and Regulation 44(1) of the SEBI (LODR) Regulations2015, the Company is pleased to provide the facility to Members to exercise their right to vote on the resolutions proposed to be passed at the AGM by electronic means.

The Company has appointed M/S K. Srinivasa Rao &Nagaraju Associates., Company Secretaries, Vijayawada to act as the Scrutinizer, to scrutinize the entire e-voting process in a fair and transparent manner.

The voting period will begin on Tuesday24<sup>th</sup> September, 2024 at 09.00 AM and will end on Thursday, 26<sup>th</sup> September, 2024 at 5.00 PM. During this period shareholders' of the Company, holding shares either in physical form or in Dematerialized form, as on the cut-off date of Friday, 20<sup>th</sup> September 2024, may cast their vote electronically. The e-voting module shall be disabled for voting thereafter.

Shareholders who have already voted prior to the meeting date would not be entitled to vote at the meeting venue.

The instructions for shareholders voting electronically are given at Page No 14of this Annual Report.



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Procedure for registering the email addresses and obtaining the AGM Notice and e-voting instructions by the Members whose email addresses are not registered with the Depositories (in case of members holding shares in Demat form) or with Bigshare services private limited (in case of Members holding shares in physical form):

Those Members who have not yet registered their email addresses are requested to get their email addresses registered by following the procedure given below:

- a. Members holding shares in Demat form can get their email ID registered by contacting their respective Depository Participant.
- b. Members holding shares in physical form may register their email address and mobile number withCompany's Registrar and Transfer Agents, big share services Private Limited by sending an email requestat the email id bsshyd@bigshareonline. Come alongwith signed scanned copy of the request letter providing the email address, mobile number, self-attested copy of the PAN card and copy of the Share Certificate for registering their email address andreceiving the AGM Notice and the e-voting instructions.
- c. To facilitate Members to receive this AGM Notice electronically and cast their vote electronically, the Company has made special arrangements with big share services private limited for registration of email addresses of the Members in terms of the MCACirculars. Eligible Members who have not submitted their email address to the Company or bigshare services private limited are required to provide their email to bsshyd@bigshareonline.com on or before 5:00 p.m. (IST) on 10<sup>th</sup> of September, 2024. The voting rights of Members shall be in proportion to the paid-up value of their shares in the Equity Share capital of the Company as on the cut-off date ie. 20<sup>th</sup> September, 2024. Members are eligible to cast their vote either through remote e-voting or in the AGM, only if they are holding Shares as on that date. A person who is not a Member as on the cut-off date is requested to treat this AGM Notice for information purposes only.

The Scrutinizer after scrutinizing the votes through remote e-voting and e-votes cast at the Meeting will, not later than 48 hours of conclusion of the Meeting, make a consolidated Scrutinizer's Report of the votes cast in favor or against, if any and submit the same forthwith to the Chairman or a person duly authorized by the Chairman who shall counter sign the same and declare the results of the voting. The results declared along with the consolidated Scrutinizer's Report will be placed on the website of the Company on or before 29<sup>th</sup> September, 2024 immediately after the results are declared and will simultaneously be forwarded to BSE Limited, where the Equity Shares are listed.

d. The Resolution shall be deemed to be passed on the date of the Meeting, ie. 27<sup>th</sup> September, 2024, subject to receipt of the requisite number of votes in favor of the Resolution. The Register of Directors and Key Managerial Personnel and their shareholding, maintained under Section 170 of the Act, and the Register of Contracts or Arrangements in which the directors are interested,



maintained under Section 189 of the Act, will be available electronically for inspection by the members during the AGM. All documents referred toin the Notice will also be available for electronic inspection without any fee by the members from the date of circulation of this Notice up to the date of AGM. Members seeking to inspect such documents can send an email to vcil@cranegroup.in or bsshydbigshareonline.com. The same will be replied by the Company suitably.

As per Regulation 40 of SEBI Listing Regulations, as amended, securities of listed companies can be transferred only in dematerialized form with effect from, April 1, 2019, except in case of request received for transmission or transposition of securities. In view of this and to eliminate all risks associated with physical shares and for ease of Registrars holding shares in physical form are portfolio management, members requested to consider converting their holdings to dematerialized form. Members can contact the Company or Company's and Transfer Agent M/ s Big share services private Limited for assistance in this regard.

The Results shall be declared on or after the AGM of the company and shall be deemed to be passed on the date of AGM. The results along with the Scrutinizer's Report shall be placed on the website of the Company https://viratcraneindustries.com/within 2 days of passing of the resolutions at the Annual General Meeting of the Company and shall be communicated to BSE Limited

Place: Guntur Date: 30.08.2024 For and on behalf. M/s. Virat Craneindustries Limited Sd/-CS. Adi Venkata Rama .R (Company Secretary & Compliance Officer) (Membership No. ACS 46744)





#### **PROCEDURE FOR REMOTE E- VOTING**

The e-Voting process to be followed by the shareholdersto cast their votes:

Pursuant to Provisions of Section 108 of the CompaniesAct, 2013 and Rule 20 of Companies (Management andAdministration) Rules, 2014, the Company is pleased tooffer e-voting facility to the members to cast their voteselectronically on all resolutions set forth in the Noticeconvening the 32<sup>nd</sup> Annual General Meeting to be held onFriday, 27<sup>th</sup> September, 2024, at 11.15 AM.

The Company has entered into an arrangement withCentral Depositary Services Limited (CDSL) for facilitating remote e-voting for AGM. The instructions for remote e-voting are as under:

- (i) Shareholders who have already voted prior to the meeting date would not be entitled to vote at the meeting venue.
- (ii) 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.

(iii) 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.

Information regarding the E-Voting:

The shareholders should log on to the e-voting website www.evotingindia.com The E-Voting Event Number and period of E-voting are set out below:

**EVSN** (e-voting Sequence Number) : **382** Commencement Of E-voting: Tuesday24<sup>th</sup> September 2024 at 9.00 A.M. End Of E-voting : Thursday, 26<sup>th</sup> September, 2024 at 5.00P.M.During this period shareholders' of the Company, holding shares either in physical form or in dematerialized form, as on the cut-off date (record date) of 20th September, 2024 may cast their vote electronically. The e-voting module shall be disabled by CDSL for voting thereafter.





#### Steps & Instructions For E-voting: The Instructions for Shareholders Voting Electronically Are asunder:

1. 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	<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 URL for users to login to Easi / Easiest arehttps://web.cdslindia.com/myeasi/home/login or visit www.cdslindia.com and click on Login icon and select New System Myeasi.</li> <li>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 BIGSHARE the e-Voting service provider and you will be re-directed to i-Vote website for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting &amp; voting during the meeting. Additionally, there is also links provided to access the system of all e-Voting Service Providers i.e. BIGSHARE, so that the user can visit the e-Voting service providers' website directly.</li> <li>If the user is not registered for Easi/Easiest, option to register is available at https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasi/Registration/EasiRegistration</li> <li>Alternatively, the user can directly access e-Voting page by providing Demat Account Number and PAN No. from a link www.cdslindia.com home page. The system will authenticate the user by sending OTP on registered Mobile &amp; 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. Click on BIGSHARE and you will be re-directed to i-Votewebsite for casting your vote during the remote e-voting period.</li> </ol>
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: https://eservices.nsdl.com 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 BIGSHARE and you will be re-directed to i-Vote website for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting.

CRANE	VIRAT CRANE INDUSTRIES LIMITED
	<ol> <li>If the user is 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</li> </ol>
	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. 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 BIGSHARE and you will be redirected to i-Vote 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 suc- cessful 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 helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.comor 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



- (2) Login method for e-Voting for shareholder other than individual shareholders holding shares in Demat mode & physical mode is given below:
- You are requested to launch the URL on internet browser: https://ivote.bigshareonline.com
- Click on "LOGIN" button under the 'INVESTOR LOGIN' section to Login on E-Voting Platform.
- Please enter you 'USER ID' (User id description is given below) and 'PASSWORD' which is shared separately on you register email id.
  - o Shareholders holding shares in CDSL Demat account should enter 16 Digit Beneficiary ID as user id.
  - o Shareholders holding shares in NSDL Demat account should enter 8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digit Client ID as user id.
  - o Shareholders holding shares in physical form should enter Event No + Folio Number registered with the Company as user id.

Note if you have not received any user id or password please email from your registered email id or contact I-vote helpdesk team. (Email id and contact number are mentioned in helpdesk section).

• Click on I AM NOT A ROBOT (CAPTCHA)option and login.

**NOTE:** If Shareholdersare holding shares in Demat form and have registered on to e-Voting system of https://ivote.bigshareonline.com and/or voted on an earlier event of any company then they can use their existing user id and password to login.

- If you have forgotten the password: Click on 'LOGIN' under 'INVESTOR LOGIN' tab and then Click on 'Forgot your password?
- Enter "User ID" and "Registered email ID" Click on I AM NOT A ROBOT (CAPTCHA) option and click on 'Reset'.

(In case a shareholder is having valid email address, Password will be sent to his / her registered e-mail address).

Voting method for shareholders on i-Vote E-voting portal:

- After successfullogin, Bigshare E-voting systempage will appear.
- Click on "VIEW EVENT DETAILS (CURRENT)" under 'EVENTS' option on investor portal.
- Select event for which you are desire to vote under the dropdown option.
- Click on "VOTE NOW" option which isappearing on the right hand side top corner of the page.
- Cast your vote by selecting an appropriate option "INFAVOUR", "NOT IN FAVOUR" or "AB-STAIN" and click on "SUBMIT VOTE". A confirmation box will be displayed. Click "OK" to confirm, else "CANCEL" to modify. Once you confirm, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.
  - Once you confirm the vote you will receive confirmation message on display screen and also





you will receive an email on your registered email id. During the voting period, members can login any number of times till they have voted on the resolution(s). Once vote on a resolution is casted, it cannot be changed subsequently.

- Shareholder can "CHANGE PASSWORD" or "VIEW/UPDATE PROFILE" under "PROFILE" option on investor portal.
- 3. Custodian registration process for i-Vote E-Voting Website:
- You are requested to launch the URL on internet browser: https://ivote.bigshareonline.com
- Click on "REGISTER" under "CUSTODIAN LOGIN", to register yourself on Bigsharei-Vote e-Voting Platform.
- Enter all required details and submit.
- After Successful registration, message will be displayed with "User id and password will be sent via email on your registered email id".

**NOTE:** If Custodian have registered on to e-Voting system of https://ivote.bigshareonline.com and/ or voted on an earlier event of any company then they can use their existing user id and password to login.

- If you have forgotten the password: Click on 'LOGIN' under 'CUSTODIAN LOGIN' tab and further Click on 'Forgot your password?
- Enter "User ID" and "Registered email ID" Click on IAM NOTA ROBOT (CAPTCHA) option and click on 'RESET.

(In case a custodian is having valid email address, Password will be sent to his / her registered e-mail address).

#### Voting method for Custodian on i-Vote E-voting portal:

After successful login, Bigshare E-voting system page will appear.

#### **Investor Mapping:**

- First you need to map the investor with your user ID under "DOCUMENTS" option on custodian portal.
  - Click on "DOCUMENT TYPE" dropdown option and select document type power of attorney (POA).
  - Click on upload document "CHOOSE FILE" and upload power of attorney (POA) or board resolution for respective investor and click on "UPLOAD".

**Note:** The power of attorney (POA) or board resolution has to be named as the "InvestorID.pdf" (Mention Demat account number as Investor ID.)

• Your investor is now mapped and you can check the file status on display.







#### Investor vote File Upload:

- To cast your vote select "VOTE FILE UPLOAD" option from left hand side menu on custodian portal.
- Select the Event under dropdown option.
- Download sample voting file and enter relevant details as required and upload the same file under upload document option by clicking on "UPLOAD". Confirmation message will be displayed on the screen and also you can check the file status on display (Once vote on a resolution is casted, it cannot be changed subsequently).
- Custodian can "CHANGE PASSWORD" or "VIEW/UPDATE PROFILE" under "PROFILE" option on custodian portal.

#### Helpdesk for queries regarding e-voting:

Login type	Helpdesk details
Shareholder's other than individual shareholders holding shares in Demat mode & Physical mode.	In case shareholders/ investor have any queries regard- ing E-voting, you may refer the Frequently Asked Ques- tions ('FAQs') and i-Vote e-Voting module available at https://ivote.bigshareonline.com, under download sec- tion or you can email us to ivote@bigshareonline.com or call us at: 1800 22 54 22.

#### 4. Procedure for joining the AGM/EGM through VC/ OAVM:

For shareholder other than individual shareholders holding shares in Demat mode & physical mode is given below:

- The Members may attend the AGM through VC/ OAVM at https: ivote.bigshareonline.comunder Investor login by using the e-voting credentials (i.e., User ID and Password).
- After successful login, Bigshare E-voting system page will appear.
- Click on "VIEW EVENT DETAILS (CURRENT)" under 'EVENTS' option on investor portal.
- Select event for which you are desire to attend the AGM/EGM under the dropdown option.
- For joining virtual meeting, you need to click on "VC/OAVM" link placed beside of "VIDEO CONFERENCE LINK" option.
- Members attending the AGM/EGM through VC/ OAVM will be counted for the purpose of reckoning the quorum under Section 103 of the Companies Act, 2013.

#### The instructions for Members for e-voting on the day of the AGM/EGM are as under:-

 The Members can join the AGM/EGM in the VC/ OAVM mode 15 minutes before the scheduled time of the commencement of the meeting. The procedure for e-voting on the day of the AGM/ EGM is same as the instructions mentioned above for remote e-voting.





- Only those members/shareholders, who will be present in the AGM/EGM 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/EGM.
- Members who have voted through Remote-Voting will be eligible to attend the EGM. However, they will not be eligible to vote at the AGM/EGM.

Helpdesk for queries regarding virtual meeting:

In case shareholders/ investor have any queries regarding virtual meeting, you may refer the Frequently Asked Questions ('FAQs') available at https://ivote.bigshareonline.com, under download section or you can email us to ivote@bigshareonline.com or call us at: 1800 22 54 22.





#### **Explanatory Statement:**

## Annexure - A

Details of Directors seeking appointment / re-appointment

[In pursuance of Regulation 36 (3) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and Secretarial Standards -2 (SS-2)]

Particulars	Information	
Name	Smt.Himaja.M	Sri Ragav Kaliappan
DIN	06505782	02185155
Date of Birth	02-08-1982	19-04-1966
Date of appointment/ reappointment	27-09-2024	29-08-2024
Appointment/Re-appointment	Re-Appointment	Appointment
Designation	Non Executive- Director	Non Executive Independent Director
Qualifications	Graduation	Post Graduate Diploma in Advertising and Public Relations and Bachelor of Arts in Sociology.
Brief resume and justification for Appointment /reappointment and expertise in specific functional areas and nature of expertise.the skills and capabilities required for the role and the manner in which the proposed person meets such requirements.	She has good knowledge and experience in the area of Management, Human resources and Other fields of business.	He has profound knowledge and experienlce in the area of Management,Human resources and Administartion
Remuneration proposed tobe paid	Sitting Fees as decided by the Nomination and Remuneration committee	Sitting Fees as decided by the Nomination and Remuneration committee
Remuneration last drawn (FY2023-24)	Nil	Nil
As a Member in other listedcompanies committees	1.Crane Industries limited	Nil
As a Chairman in otherlisted companiescommittees	Nil	Nil

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Number of meetings of the Board attended during the financial year 2023-24	13	Nil
Listed entities from which the person has resigned in the past three years	Nil	Nil
Number of shares held	10,17,102	Nil
Relationship with other directors	Except independent directors all the directors of the company are relatives.	Nil
Terms and Conditions of Appointment / Re-appointment	As per the Initial Appointment.	As per the above said explanatory statement
Information as required under Circular No.Lf ST/COMP/ 14/2018-19 dated June 20, 2018 issued by the BSE.	Smt. Himaja.M is not debarred from holding office of a Director by virtue of any SEBI Order or any other such authority.	Sri Ragav Kaliappan is not debarred from holding office of a Director by virtue of any SEBI Order or any other such authority.





## EXPLANATORY STATEMENT PURSUANT TO U/S 102(1) OF THE COMPANIES ACT 2013:

#### Item No: 3

The candidature for appointment of Sri Ragav Kaliappan (Din: 02185155) as a Non-Executive independent director of the company was recommended by nomination and remuneration committee as he holds Post Graduate Diploma in Advertising and Public Relations and Bachelor of Arts on Sociologyand has exceptional knowledge in business fields of Management, Human resources and Administartionetc, for more than 25 years. Hence upon recommendation of nomination and remuneration committee the board considered and approved his candidature for independent director designation in the company as the board believes that his experience and knowledge would help the business growth in the future.

Accordingly, the board proposed appointment of Sri Ragav Kaliappan (Din:02185155) as a Non-Executive independent director of the company not liable to retire by rotation and to hold for the five years on the board of the company with effective from 29-8-2024 to 28-8-2029. Sri Ragav Kaliappan (Din:02185155) is not disqualified from being appointed as a director in terms of section 164 of the act and has given his consent to act as director of the company. the company has received a notice in writing from a member along with the deposit of a requisite amount under section 160 of the act proposing the candidature of Sri Ragav Kaliappan (Din:02185155) for the office of independent director of the company and the company has received a declaration from Sri Ragav Kaliappan (Din:02185155) that he meets the criteria of independence as prescribed both under sub section (6) of section 149 of the act under regulation 16(1)((b)of SEBI (listing obligations and disclosure requirements).in the opinion of the board, Sri Ragav Kaliappan (Din:02185155)) fulfills the conditions for his appointment as a Non-Executive independent director as specified in the act read with the rules made there under and the listing regulations Sri Ragav Kaliappan (Din:02185155) is independent of the management.

# The following Statement sets out all material facts relating to Item No(s). 4 mentioned in the accompanying Notice.

#### Context and Statutory provisions for Item Nos. 4:

Regulation 23(4) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended ("SEBI Listing Regulations") provides that all material related party transactions and subsequent material modifications as defined by the audit committee under sub-regulation (2) of Regulation 23 shall require prior approval of the shareholders through resolution and no related party shall vote to approve such resolutions whether the entity is a related party to the particular transaction or not. A transaction with a related party shall be considered material, if the transaction(s) to be entered into individually or taken together with previous transactions during a financial year, exceeds Rs. 1,000 crores or 10% of the annual consolidated turnover of the listed entity as per the last audited financial statements of the listed entity, whichever is lower.

Regulation 2(1)(zc) of SEBI Listing Regulations defines "related party transaction" to mean a transaction



involving a transfer of resources, services or obligations between (i) a listed entity or any of its subsidiaries on one hand and a related party of the listed entity or any of its subsidiaries on the other hand or (ii) a listed entity or any of its subsidiaries on one hand, and any other person or entity on the other hand, the purpose and effect of which is to benefit a related party of the listed entity or any of its subsidiaries, with effect from April 1, 2023, regardless of whether a price is charged and a "transaction" with a related party shall be construed to include a single transaction or a group of transactions in a contract. The details of the aforesaid transactions are captured under "Annexure 1" of this Notice which are in the ordinary course of business and on arm's length basis and are in accordance with Related Party Transactions Policy of the Company. These transactions are undertaken for smooth business operations and overall growth of the business of the Company.

The value of such transaction(s) (individually or taken together with previous transactions) during the tenure of the resolution, may/would exceed Rs. 1,000 crores or 10% the annual consolidated turnover of the Company as per the last audited financial statements of the Company i.e. for FY 23-24, whichever is lower, and hence, approval of the shareholders of the Company by way of an ordinary resolution mentioned at Item No 4 is being sought.

All the Independent Directors The Audit Committee of the Company, and the Board of Directors, have, based on relevant details provided by the management, at their respective meetings held on May 30<sup>th</sup>, 2024, reviewed and approved the said transaction(s), while noting that such transactions shall be on arms' length basis and in the ordinary course of business and are in accordance with Related Party Transactions Policy of the Company.

The Board accordingly recommends the resolutions set out at Item 4 of this Notice for approval by the Members by way of an ordinary resolution.

It is in the above context that the Resolutions No 4 is proposed for the approval of the Shareholders of the Company.

The details as required under Regulation 23(4) of the SEBI Listing Regulations read with SEBI Circular bearing reference no. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD1/CIR/P/2021/662 dated November 22, 2021 ("SEBI Circular") are as below:

Particulars	Item No.4
Name of the related party.	Sri Murari Traders (A Partnership Firm)
Nature of Relationship	All the partners of the above partnership firm are members of promoter and promoter group and director/ s of the company.
Name of Director(s) or Key Managerial Personnel who is related, if any.	<ol> <li>Smt. Grandhi Lakshmi Hymavathi-Promoter</li> <li>Smt. Manepalli Himja-Promoter and Non-executive Director</li> </ol>





	<ol> <li>Smt.Kothuri Narasimha Rangavalli- Promoter group</li> <li>Smt. Chakka Vijaya Lakshmi-Promoter Group and all the above persons are relatives of the Managing Director of the company.</li> </ol>
Type, material terms and particulars of transaction	The transactions involves: Sale, Purchase, Supply of goods / materials. Availing/ rendering of services. Receipt & Payment of Interest on Loans & Advances. Corporate guarantee Commission/ Royalty Investments, borrowings, lending, corporate guarantees. Other recurring transactions for furtherance of business.
Tenure	10 years
Value of the transaction (Rs)	Not exceeding Rs. 100 crores (whether by way of an individual transaction or transactions taken together or series of transactions or otherwise)
Any other information that may be relevant	With the increased volume of business, the Company may enter into various transactions in the nature of purchase and sale of goods, receipt and rendering of services and other transactions, with Sri Murari Traders, a partnership firm, therefore a related party of the Company.

The indicative base price/current contracted price and the formula for variation in the price if any: It cannot be ascertained at this moment, it depends on the purchase during said period. Other conditions as the Audit Committee may deem fit: NIL

Manner of determining the pricing: All the proposed transaction(s) would be carried out as part of business requirement of the Company and are ensured to be on arm's length basis. Whether all factors relevant to the contract have been considered, if not, the details of factors not considered with the rationale for not considering those factors: All factors have been considered. Any other information relevant or important for the Board to take a decision on the proposed transaction: NIL

Members may note that these Related Party Transaction(s)/ contract(s)/ arrangement(s), placed for members' approval, shall, at all times, be subject to prior approval of the Audit Committee of the Company and shall continue to be in the ordinary course of business and at arm's length and have a significant role in the Company's operations.

In view of the above, the Board of Directors recommends passing the resolution stated in the accompanying Notice as an Ordinary Resolution. Any subsequent material modifications in the proposed transactions, as may be defined by the Audit Committee as a part of Company's Policy on Related Party Transactions, shall be placed before the members for approval, in terms of Regulation 23(4) of The SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.