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# NOTICE OF 70<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING



## **Dawood Lawrencepur Limited**

Dawood Center, M.T. Khan Road, Karachi- 75530

## Notice of 70th Annual General Meeting

Notice is hereby given that 70th Annual General Meeting of the shareholders of Dawood Lawrencepur Limited (the "Company") will be held on Wednesday, May 20, 2020 at 11:00 a.m. at The Dawood Foundation Business Hub, Ground Floor, Dawood Centre, M.T. Khan Road, Karachi to transact the following business:

#### **ORDINARY BUSINESS:**

- To receive, consider and adopt the Audited Unconsolidated and Consolidated Financial Statements of the Company for the year ended December 31, 2019 together with the Auditors' and Directors' Reports thereon and the Review Report of the Chairman
- To appoint Auditors and to fix their remuneration. The members are hereby notified that
  the Board and the Audit Committee has recommended the reappointment of Messrs. A.
  F. Ferguson & Co. (Chartered Accountants), as auditors of the Company.

By Order of the Board

Imran Chagani Company Secretary

Karachi, Dated: April 16, 2020

Notes:

#### 1. Coronavirus contingency planning for Annual General Meeting of shareholders:

Due to current COVID-19 situation, the Government has suspended large public gatherings at one place. Additionally, the Securities and Exchange Commission of Pakistan (SECP) in terms of its Circular No.5 of 2020 issued on March 17, 2020 and Pakistan Stock Exchange Limited (PSX) through its notice Ref: PSX/N-372 dated March 19, 2020 has advised companies to modify their usual planning for general meetings for the safety and wellbeing of shareholders and the public at large.

Considering the SECP's directives, the Company intends to convene this AGM with minimal physical interaction of shareholders while ensuring compliance with the quorum requirements and requests the members to consolidate their attendance and voting at the AGM through proxies.

The Company, furthermore, has made arrangements to ensure that all participants, including shareholders, can now participate in the AGM proceedings via video link. For this, members are required to email their Name, Folio Number, Cell No., and Number of Shares held in their name with subject "Registration for Dawood Lawrencepur Limited AGM" along with valid copy of CNIC (both sides) at info.reon@dawoodhercules.com. Video link and login credentials will be shared with only those members whose emails, containing all the required particulars, are received at least 24 hours before the time of AGM.

Shareholders can also provide their comments and questions for the agenda items of the AGM at the email address info.reon@dawoodhercules.com.

Members are therefore, encouraged to attend the AGM through video link or by consolidating their attendance through proxies.

#### 2. Placement of Financial Statements

The Company has placed the Audited Annual Financial Statements together with Chairman's Review Report, Directors' and Auditors' Report thereon for the year ended December 31, 2019 on its website: www.dawoodlawrencepur.com.

#### 3. Closure of Share Transfer Books:

The Share Transfer Books of the Company will remain closed from May 14, 2020 to May 20, 2020 (both days inclusive). Transfers received in order at the office of the Company's Share Registrar, Messrs. CDC Share Registrar Services Limited, CDC House, 99-B, Block 'B', S.M.C.H.S., Main Shahra-e-Faisal, Karachi-74400, by close of business on May 13, 2020, will be considered in time to attend and vote at the Annual General Meeting (AGM).

#### 4. Participation in the Annual General Meeting:

All members, entitled to attend and vote at the meeting, are entitled to appoint another person in writing as their proxy to attend and vote on their behalf. A proxy need not be a member of the Company. A corporate entity, being member, may appoint any person, regardless whether they are a member or not, as its proxy. In case of corporate entities, a resolution of the board of directors / power of attorney with specimen signature of the person nominated to represent and vote on behalf of the corporate entity shall be submitted to the Company along with a completed proxy form. The proxy holders are required to produce their original valid CNICs or original passports at the time of the meeting.

In order to be effective, duly completed and signed proxy forms must be received at the Company's Registered Office at least 48 hours before the time of the meeting.

CDC account holders will further have to follow the under mentioned guidelines as laid down by the Securities and Exchange Commission of Pakistan.

#### A. For Attending the Meeting

- a. In case of individuals, the account holders or sub-account holders whose registration details are uploaded as per the Regulations shall authenticate his/her original valid CNIC or the original passport at the time of attending the meeting.
- b. In case of corporate entity, the board of directors' resolution/power of attorney with specimen signature of the nominee shall be produced (unless it has been provided earlier) at the time of the meeting.

#### B. For Appointing Proxies

- In case of individuals, the account holders or sub-account holders whose registration details are uploaded as per the Regulations shall submit the proxy form as per above requirements.
- b. Attested copies of valid CNIC or the passport of the beneficial owners and the proxy shall be furnished with the proxy form.
- The proxy shall produce original valid CNIC or original passport at the time of the meeting.
- d. In case of corporate entity, the board of directors' resolution / power of attorney with specimen signature shall be submitted (unless it has been provided earlier) along with proxy form to the Company.
- e. Proxy form will be witnessed by two persons whose names, addresses and valid CNIC numbers shall be mentioned on the form.

#### 5. Computerized National Identity Card (CNIC) / National Tax Number (NTN):

All those individual members holding physical shares who have not yet recorded their CNIC No. are once again reminded to immediately submit the copy of their CNIC to Company's Share Registrar, Messrs. CDC Share Registrar Services Limited, CDC House, 99-B, Block 'B', S.M.C.H.S., Main Shahra-e-Faisal, Karachi-74400. Members while sending CNIC must quote their respective folio numbers. The corporate members having CDC accounts are required to have their NTN updated with their respective participants, whereas corporate entities having physical shares should send a copy of their NTN certificates to Company's Share Registrar. The corporate members while sending NTN or NTN certificates, as the case may be, must quote the company name and their respective folio numbers.

#### 6. Withholding Tax on Dividend

Pursuant to the Finance Act, 2019, effective July 01, 2019, the rate of deduction of income tax under Section 150 of the Income Tax Ordinance, 2001, from payment of dividend to a NON-FILER of income tax return is prescribed as 30% and for FILER of tax returns as 15%. List of filer is available at Federal Board of Revenue's (FBR) website: http://www.fbr.gov.pk. Members are therefore advised to update their tax FILER status latest by May 13, 2020.

Further, according to clarification received from FBR, withholding tax will be determined separately on 'Filer/Non-Filer' status of Principal shareholder as well as joint-holder(s) based on their shareholding proportions, in case of joint accounts.

In this regard all shareholders who hold shares jointly are requested to provide shareholding proportions of Principal shareholder and Joint-holder(s) in respect of shares held by them to our Share Registrar, in writing as follows:

		Principal Shareholder		Joint Holder(s)	
Folio/CDC A/c No.	Total Number of Shares	Name and CNIC No.	Shareholding Proportion No. of Shares)	Name and CNIC No.	Shareholding Proportion No. of Shares)

The required information must reach our Share Registrar by the close of business on May 13, 2020; otherwise it will be assumed that the shares are equally held by Principal shareholder and Join-holder(s).

The Corporate shareholders having CDC accounts are required to have their National Tax Numbers (NTN) updated with their respective participants, whereas corporate physical shareholders should send a copy of their NTN certificate to the Company or Share Registrar. The shareholders while sending NTN or NTN Certificates, as the case may be, must quote company name and their respective folio numbers.

The information received within the above specified time would enable the Company to deduct income tax at the applicable rates from the payment of dividend if announced by the Company.

Members seeking exemption from deduction of income tax or deduction at a reduced rate under the relevant provisions of the Income Tax Ordinance, 2001, are requested to submit a valid tax certificate or necessary documentary evidence, as the case may be, latest by May 13, 2020.

For any query/problem/information, the investors may contact the Share Registrar at info@cdcsrsl.com

#### 7. Payment of Cash Dividend Electronically

Under second proviso to Section 242 of the Companies Act, 2017, listed companies are required to pay declared cash dividends only through electronic mode directly into the bank accounts designated by the entitled shareholders.

Accordingly, the shareholders of the Company are requested to provide the following information for payment of cash dividend to be declared by the Company through electronic mode directly in the bank account designated by you.

Title of Bank Account	
Account Number	
IBAN Number	
Bank's Name	
Branch Name and Address	
Cell Number of Shareholder	
Landline number of Shareholder	
Email of Shareholder	

The shareholders are also required to intimate the changes, if any in the above-mentioned information to the Company and the Share Registrar as soon as these occur. In case of shares held electronically, then the above electronic credit mandate form must be submitted directly to shareholder(s)' broker/participant/CDC account services.

#### 8. Unclaimed Dividend

Shareholders, who by any reason, could not claim their dividends/shares, if any, are advised to contact our Share Registrar, Messrs. CDC Share Registrar Services Limited, CDC House, 99-B, Block 'B', S.M.C.H.S., Main Shahra-e-Faisal, Karachi-74400, to collect / enquire about their unclaimed dividend/shares, if any.

In compliance with Section 244 of the Companies Act, 2017, after having completed the stipulated procedure, all such dividend outstanding for a period of 3 years or more from the date due and payable shall be deposited to the Federal Government in case of unclaimed dividend and in case of shares, shall be delivered to the SECP.

#### 9. Deposit of Physical Shares into CDC Accounts

As per Section 72 of the Companies Act, 2017 every existing company shall be required to replace its physical shares with book-entry form in a manner as may be specified and from the date notified by the Commission, within a period not exceeding four years from the commencement of the Companies Act, 2017 i.e. May 31, 2017.

The shareholder having physical shareholding may open CDC sub-account with any of the brokers or investor's account directly with the CDC to place their physical shares into scrip-less form. This will facilitate them in many ways including safe custody and sale of shares, anytime they want as the trading of physical shares is not permitted as per existing Regulations of the Pakistan Stock Exchange limited.

#### Transmission of Annual Accounts, Notices of Meetings, Auditor's Report and Directors' Report through CD, DVD or USB

Pursuant to S.R.O 470(I)/2016 dated May 31, 2016, the shareholders of the Company have accorded approval in general meeting for transmission of annual reports including annual audited accounts, notices of annual general meetings and other information contained therein of the Company through CD or DVD or USB instead of transmitting the same in hard copies. The shareholders who wish to receive hard copy of the aforesaid documents may send to the Company Secretary / Share Registrar, the Standard Request Form provided in the annual report and also available on the website of the Company and the Company will supply hard copies of the aforesaid document to the shareholders on demand, free of cost, within one week of such demand. The shareholders who intend to receive the annual report including the notice of meeting through e-mail are requested to provide their written consent on the Standard Request Form provided in the annual report and also available on the Company's website: www.dawoodlawrencepur.com.

# UPDATE UNDER CLAUSE 4(2) OF THE COMPANIES (INVESTMENT IN ASSOCIATED COMPANIES OR ASSOCIATED UNDERTAKINGS) REGULATIONS, 2017, WITH RESPECT TO THE SPECIAL RESOLUTION PASSED AT THE EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING HELD ON JULY 12, 2019

 A second unsecured Subordinated Loan Facility of up to PKR 1 billion for Tenaga Generasi Limited.

Total investment approved	PKR 1 billion.	
Amount of investment made to date	PKR 137 million.	
Reasons for deviations from the approved	There is no deviation as the investment	
timeline of investment, where investment	can be made in one year time from July	
decision was to be implemented in	12, 2019.	
specified time; and		
Material change in financial statements of	No material change as the investment	
associated company or associated	was approved only on July 12, 2019.	
undertaking since date of the resolution		
passed for approval of investment		

 Issuance of a Corporate Guarantee in favour of Allied Bank Limited, as a security against Running Finance (RF) / Money Market Loan (MML) of Rs. 500,000,000 to be obtained by Tenaga Generasi Limited.

Total investment approved	Corporate Guarantee of PKR 500 million.	
Amount of investment made to date	Nil.	
Reasons for deviations from the approved	There is no deviation as the Corporate	
timeline of investment, where investment	Guarantee can be issued in one year time	
decision was to be implemented in	from July 12, 2019.	
specified time; and		
Material change in financial statements of	No material change as the issuance of the	
associated company or associated	Corporate Guarantee was approved only	
undertaking since date of the resolution	on July 12, 2019.	
passed for approval of investment		

### **Proxy Form**

I/We	of
, being member of Dawood Lawrencepu	r Limited and holder of
Ordinary Shares, as per:	
Share Register Folio No	
CDC Participant ID No Su	b A/c No
hereby appoint	of as my/our proxy to
attend, speak, and vote for me/us and	I on my/our behalf, at the Annual General Meeting
(AGM) of the Company to be held on W	ednesday, May 20, 2020 at 11:00 a.m. at The Dawood
	Dawood Centre, M.T. Khan Road, Karachi, and at any
adjournment thereof.	,
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Signed this day of	2020
WITNESSES:	
1. Signature:	
Name:	Signature on
Address:	Revenue Stamps
	of Rupees Five
CNIC No. or	
Passport No	Signature should agree with
	the specimen signature with
2. Signature:	the Company
Name:	
Address:	
CNIC No. or	
Passport No	

#### IMPORTANT:

- This Proxy Form, duly completed, must be deposited at the Company's Registered Office, not less than forty eight (48) hours before AGM.
- CDC shareholders and their proxies are each requested to attach and attested photocopy of their valid Computerized National Identity Card (CNIC) or Passport with this proxy form before submission to the Company.
- All proxies attending the AGM are requested to bring their original CNIC/Passport for identification.

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# نمائندگی کا فارم

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ابصورت دیگرمحتر مرمحتر مه	- ساكن		
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			ى شناختى كار دْنمبر ما:
			ن سنا می ۵ ارد برریا. پورٹ نمبر: ————

#### ورف:

- تمام نام درگیاں ای صورت میں موثر ہوں گی جب پرائسی فارم بنام کمپنی کے رجمٹر ڈ آفس میں اجلاس کے مقررہ وقت ہے ۴۸ گھنٹے بل موصول ہوں۔
- سی ڈی سی شیم بولڈرز اوران کے نمائندوں نے فروافر وافرواورخواست ہے کہ وہ اپنے کمپیوٹرائز ڈقو می شاختی کارڈ کی تصدیق شدہ فقل پاپسپورٹ بنمائندگی فارم واخل کرنے نے آبل اس کے ساتھ فسلک کریں۔ تمام پراکسی ہولڈرزا پی شاخت کے لئے اجلاس کے وقت اپنااصل شاختی کارڈیا پاسپورٹ شرور بیش کریں۔

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