

Date: 06th September, 2025

The Listing Department National Stock Exchange of India Limited Exchange Plaza, Plot No. C/1, G-Block, Bandra Kurla Complex, Mumbai-400051

Dear Sir/ Madam,

Ref: Sumit Woods Limited Symbol: SUMIT

#### Sub: Notice of the 29th Annual General Meeting('AGM') of the Company for FY 2024-25.

Pursuant to Regulation 30 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, attached herewith is the Notice and the Explanatory Statement of the 29th Annual General Meeting of the Company scheduled to be held on Monday, September 29, 2025 at 03:00 p.m. (IST) through Video Conference ("VC") / Other Audio Visual Means ("OAVM") to transact the business set out in the Notice of the AGM.

In terms 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 the SEBI Listing Regulations, the Company is providing remote e-voting facility to its Shareholders before AGM to cast their votes on all resolutions set out in the Notice of the AGM. Additionally, the Company is providing the facility of voting through the e-voting system during the AGM ("e-voting"). The e-Voting instructions is set out in the AGM Notice.

The Annual Report for the financial year 2024-25 is also available on the website of the Company at <a href="https://www.sumitwoods.com/investors.php">https://www.sumitwoods.com/investors.php</a>

Further in compliance with Regulation 36 of SEBI (LODR), a letter is being sent to Members whose email address is not available /registered with the Company/Registrar and Share Transfer Agent/ Depository Participant(s) providing the weblink where the Annual Report for the Financial Year 2024-25 and the Notice of 29th AGM can be accessed on the Company's website.

We request you to kindly take the above information on record.

This is for your information and records.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

Sumit Woods Limited



Rekha Bagda Company Secretary & Compliance Officer



### NOTICE OF TWENTY NINTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE MEMBERS OF SUMIT WOODS LIMITED

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the Twenty Ninth Annual General Meeting of the Members of **Sumit Woods Limited ("Company")** will be held on Monday, September 29, 2025, at 3.00 p.m. (IST) through Video Conferencing ('VC') / Other Audio Visual Means ('OAVM') in accordance with the relevant circulars issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Securities and Exchange Board of India, to transact the following business:

#### **ORDINARY BUSINESS:**

1. TO RECEIVE, CONSIDER AND ADOPT THE STANDALONE AND CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF THE COMPANY FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2025 TOGETHER WITH THE REPORTS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND AUDITORS THEREON:

To consider and if thought fit, to pass the following resolutions as **Ordinary Resolution**:

"RESOLVED THAT the audited standalone financial statements of the Company for the financial year ended 31st March, 2025 together with the Reports of the Board of Directors and Auditors thereon, be and are hereby approved and adopted."

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the audited consolidated financial statements of the Company for the financial year ended 31st March, 2025 and the Reports of the Auditors thereon, be and are hereby approved and adopted."

2. TO APPOINT A DIRECTOR IN PLACE OF MR. SUBODH RAMAKANT NEMLEKAR (DIN: 00043795), WHO RETIRES BY ROTATION AND BEING ELIGIBLE, OFFERS HIMSELF FOR RE-APPOINTMENT:

To consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Section 152 of the Companies Act, 2013 and rules made thereunder, and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 (including any statutory modification(s), amendment(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof for the time being in force), Mr. Subodh Ramakant Nemlekar (DIN: 00043795), who retires by rotation at this Annual General Meeting and being eligible, seeks re-appointment, be and is hereby re-appointed as a Director of the Company liable to retire by rotation."

#### **SPECIAL BUSINESS:**

3. TO APPOINT M/S. AVS & ASSOCIATES, PRACTICING COMPANY SECRETARIES, AS THE SECRETARIAL AUDITORS OF THE COMPANY

To consider and if thought fit, pass the following resolution as an **Ordinary Resolution**:

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to Section 204 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013, read with the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014, Regulation 24A of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof, for

the time being in force), and based on the recommendation of the Audit Committee and the Board of Directors of the Company, M/s. AVS & Associates, Practicing Company Secretaries (CP No.: 16806 & Peer Review Certificate No.: 1451/2021), be and are hereby appointed as the Secretarial Auditors of the Company, for a term of five consecutive years from financial year 2025-26 to financial year 2029-30, on such annual remuneration plus applicable taxes and reimbursement of out-of-pocket expenses as shall be fixed by the Board of Directors of the Company in consultation with the Secretarial Auditors.

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Board of Directors and/or the Company Secretary of the Company, be and are hereby authorised to settle any question, difficulty, or doubt, that may arise in giving effect to this resolution and to do all such acts, deeds, and things as may be necessary, expedient, and desirable for the purpose of giving effect to this resolution and for matters concerned or incidental thereto."

#### Regd. Office:

B - 1101, Express Zone, Diagonally Opp. to Oberoi Mall, W.E. Highway, Malad (East), Mumbai – 400097

Date: 11th August, 2025

Place: Mumbai

By Order of the Board of Directors for **Sumit Woods Limited** 

Sd/-Bhushan Nemlekar CFO& Whole-Time Director

DIN: 00043824



#### **Notes:**

- 1. Pursuant to the General Circular No. 09/2024 dated September 19, 2024, issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) and circular issued by SEBI vide circular no. SEBI/ HO/ CFD/ CFDPoD-2/ P/ CIR/ 2024/ 133 dated October 3, 2024 ("SEBI Circular") and other applicable circulars and notifications issued (including any statutory modifications or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force and as amended from time to time), companies are allowed to hold EGM/AGM through Video Conferencing (VC) or other audio visual means (OAVM), without the physical presence of members at a common venue. In compliance with the said Circulars, EGM/AGM shall be conducted through VC / OAVM. The proceedings of the AGM shall be deemed to be conducted at the Registered Office of the Company at B 1101, Express Zone, Diagonally Opp. to Oberoi Mall, W.E. Highway, Malad (East), Mumbai 400097.
- 2. Pursuant to the Circular No. 14/2020 dated April 08, 2020, issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs, the facility to appoint proxy to attend and cast vote for the members is not available for this AGM. However, the Body Corporates are entitled to appoint authorised representatives to attend the AGM through VC/OAVM and participate there at and cast their votes through e-voting.
- 3. The Members can join the AGM through 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 EGM/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 EGM/AGM without restriction on account of first come first served basis.
- 4. Explanatory Statement pursuant to Section 102(1) of the Companies Act, 2013, relating to the Special Business to be transacted at the AGM and the relevant details of director seeking reappointment as required under Regulation 36(3) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, and as required under Secretarial Standards -2 on General Meetings issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India is annexed thereto.
- 5. 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. 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) the Secret arial Standard on General Meetings (SS-2) issued by the ICSI and Regulation 44 of SEBI (Listing Obligations & Disclosure Requirements) Regulations 2015 (as amended), and the Circulars issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs from time to time 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 e-voting on the date of the AGM will be provided by NSDL.

- 7. In line with the Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) Circular No. 17/2020 dated April 13, 2020, the Notice calling the AGM has been uploaded on the website of the Company at <a href="http://sumitwoods.com/investors.php">http://sumitwoods.com/investors.php</a>. The Notice can also be accessed from the website of the Stock Exchange i.e. National Stock Exchange of India Limited at <a href="http://www.nseindia.com">www.nseindia.com</a> and the AGM Notice is also available on the website of NSDL (agency for providing the Remote e-Voting facility) i.e. <a href="https://www.evoting.nsdl.com">www.evoting.nsdl.com</a>.
- 8. AGM has been convened through VC/OAVM in compliance with applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 read with MCA Circular issued from time to time.

#### **SCRUTINIZER**

- i. Mr. Vijay Yadav, Practicing Company Secretary (Membership No. FCS 11990) has been appointed as the Scrutinizer at the Board meeting held on May 28<sup>th</sup>, 2025 for overseeing remote e-voting process in a fair and transparent manner.
- ii. The Scrutinizer shall submit his report to the Chairman. The results declared along with the report of the Scrutinizer will be placed on the website of the Company at www.sumitwoods.com and on the website of NSDL at www.evoting.nsdl.com within two working days of passing the resolutions at the AGM. The results will also be uploaded on the NSE-NEAPS Portal.
- iii. Subject to receipt of requisite number of votes, the Resolutions shall be deemed to be passed on the date of the Annual General Meeting.

### THE INSTRUCTIONS FOR MEMBERS FOR REMOTE E-VOTING AND JOINING GENERAL MEETING ARE AS UNDER:-

The remote e-voting period begins on Friday, 26<sup>th</sup> September, 2025 at 09:00 A.M. and ends on Sunday, 28<sup>th</sup> September, 2025 at 05:00 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. Monday, 22<sup>nd</sup> September, 2025, 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 Monday, 22nd September, 2025.

#### 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:



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.

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. upon logging in, you will be able to see e-Voting option. Click on e-Voting option, you will be redirected to NSDL/CDSL Depository site after successful authentication, wherein you can see e-Voting feature. Click on company name or e-Voting service provider 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.

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 Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with NSDL	Members facing any technical issue in login can contact NSDL helpdesk by sending a request at <a href="mailto:evoting@nsdl.com">evoting@nsdl.com</a> or call at 022 - 4886 7000
Individual Shareholders holding securities	Members facing any technical issue in login can contact CDSL
in demat mode with CDSL	helpdesk by sending a request at
	helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com or contact at toll free no.
	1800-21-09911

- 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: <a href="https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/">https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/</a> either on a Personal Computer or on a mobile.
  - 2. Once the home page of e-Voting system is launched, click on the icon "Login" which is available under 'Shareholder/Member' section.
  - 3. 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 shares i.e. Demat (NSDL	Your User ID is:
or CDSL) or Physical	
a) For Members who hold shares in demat	8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digit Client
account with NSDL.	ID
	For example if your DP ID is IN300*** and
	Client ID is 12***** then your user ID is
	IN300***12******.
b) For Members who hold shares in demat	16 Digit Beneficiary ID
account with CDSL.	For example if your Beneficiary ID is
	12*********** then your user ID is
	12*********
c) For Members holding shares in Physical	EVEN Number followed by Folio Number
Form.	registered with the company
	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:
  - a) Click on "Forgot User Details/Password?" (If you are holding shares in your demat account with NSDL or CDSL) option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com.
  - b) Physical User Reset Password?" (If you are holding shares in physical mode) option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com.
  - c) If you are still unable to get the password by aforesaid two options, you can send a request at <a href="mailto:evoting@nsdl.com">evoting@nsdl.com</a> mentioning your demat account number/folio number, your PAN, your name and your registered address etc.
  - d) 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.

#### How to 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.
- 2. 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.
- 4. 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 on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.

#### **General Guidelines for shareholders**

- 1. 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 vijay.yadav@avsassociates.co.in 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.
- 2. 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 or send a request to Sagar S. Gudhate, 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:

- 1. 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@sumitwoods.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 cs@sumitwoods.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.
- 3. Alternatively shareholder/members may send a request to evoting@nsdl.com for procuring user id and password for e-voting 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.

- 2. 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.
- 4. 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.
- 3. 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.
- 5. 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@sumitwoods.com. The same will be replied by the company suitably.
- 6. a) Shareholders who would like to like to speak/ express their views/have questions need to register their request in advance latest by (Friday) 26th September, 2025 by sending their request from their registered email address mentioning their name, DP ID and Client ID number/ folio number and mobile number, by sending an email to the Company at cs@sumitwoods.com. The same will be replied by the company suitably. Only those members who are registered as speaker will be allowed to express their views or ask questions at the AGM. The Company reserves the right to restrict the number of speakers as well as the speaking time depending upon the availability of time at the AGM.
  - b) Shareholders will get confirmation on first cum first basis depending upon the provision made by the client.



# EXPLANATORY STATEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 102 OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013 AND REGULATION 36 (5) OF SEBI (LISTING OBLIGATIONS AND DISCLOSURE REQUIREMENTS REGULATIONS, 2015

As required under Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act") and Regulation 36 (5) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("Listing Regulations"), the following Explanatory Statement sets out all material facts relating to the Business mentioned under Item No. 3 of the accompanying Notice.

#### **ITEM NO. 3:**

Pursuant to Section 204 of the Act, the Company has to annex to its Board's Report a Secretarial Audit Report given by a Practicing Company Secretary in the format as may be prescribed. Rule 9 of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules 2014 prescribes Form MR-3 for the said Secretarial Audit Report. Further, Section 179 of the Act read with Rule 8 of the Companies (Meetings of Board and its Powers) Rules, 2014 provide that the appointment of Secretarial Auditor shall be made by the Board at the meeting of the Board. Furthermore, SEBI vide its notification dated December 12, 2024 amended Regulation 24A of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements), Regulations, 2015 (the Listing Regulations); the Amended regulation read with the SEBI circular no. SEBI/HO/CFD/CFDPoD-2/CIR/P/2024/185 dated December 31, 2024 (the Circular) have inter-alia prescribed the term of appointment/re-appointment, eligibility, qualifications and disqualifications of Secretarial Auditor of a Listed Company. As per the amended Regulation 24A of the Listing Regulations, the Company is required to undertake Secretarial Audit by a Secretarial Auditor who shall be a Peer Reviewed Company Secretary and annex a Secretarial Audit Report in such form as specified by SEBI, with the Annual Report of the Company. Pursuant to the amended Regulation 24A of the Listing Regulations, w.e.f. April 01, 2025, every Listed Company on the recommendation of the Board of Directors shall appoint or re-appoint (i) an Individual as Secretarial Auditor for not more than one term of five consecutive years or (ii) a Secretarial Audit firm as Secretarial Auditor for not more than two terms of five consecutive years with the approval of its shareholders in its Annual General Meeting.

In accordance with the above, the Board of Directors at its meeting held on May 28, 2025 considered, approved and recommended to the Shareholders of the Company for their approval, the appointment of M/s. AVS & Associates, a firm of Company Secretaries in practice, as Secretarial Auditors of the Company for a term of 5 consecutive Years, to conduct Secretarial Audit of five consecutive financial years starting from FY 2025-2026 till FY 2029-2030 and issue (i) the Secretarial Audit Report under Section 204 of the Act for the Term and (ii) the Secretarial Audit Reports under Regulation 24A(1)(a) of the Listing Regulations for the Term. M/s. AVS & Associates have consented to the said appointment and confirmed that their appointment, if made, would be within the limit specified by the Institute of Companies Secretaries of India. They have further confirmed that they are not disqualified to be appointed as Secretarial Auditors in term of provisions of the Companies Act, 2013, the Companies Secretaries Act, 1980 and Rules and Regulations made thereunder and the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements), Regulations, 2015 and the Circular.

#### Brief profile of M/s. AVS & Associates, Company Secretaries in practice as under:

M/s. AVS & Associates, Practicing Company Secretaries is a Peer Reviewed Firm (Peer Review Certificate No. 1451/2021), with the philosophy of building a Team of Professionals who can provide good quality services in the field of Company Law & other Corporate Laws. The core areas of their work are Company Law matters, Securities Laws matters, Merger & Amalgamation of Companies, Secretarial Audits for Listed/Public Companies, Securities Law Matters, Foreign Exchange Management Act (FEMA) and other Corporate Laws related matters.

M/s. AVS & Associates are eligible to be appointed as Secretarial Auditors of the Company and are not disqualified in terms of SEBI Listing Regulations read with SEBI Circular dated December 31, 2024.

#### **Other disclosures:**

No order has been passed by ICSI/SEBI/MCA/any other competent authority/Court, both in India or outside India, in past 5 years against the proposed secretarial auditor. M/s. AVS & Associates did not have any association with the Company, its holding or subsidiary companies or any of the Promoter or Promoter Group entities during the last three financial years. The Board after taking into account the qualification and experience of M/s. AVS & Associates and the certificate submitted by them, is of the opinion that they are qualified to be appointed as the Secretarial Auditors of the Company in accordance with the Listing Regulations and the Circular, the qualification and experience of M/s. AVS & Associates is commensurate with the size and requirements of the Company and have accordingly recommended their appointment as the Secretarial Auditors for the term, as set out in the proposed resolution, to the members of the Company. While recommending M/s. AVS & Associates for appointment, the Audit Committee and the Board evaluated various factors, including the firm's capability to handle a diverse and complex business environment, its existing experience in the Company's business segments, its industry standing, the clients it serves, and its technical expertise. M/s. AVS & Associates is found to be well-equipped to manage the scale, diversity, and complexity associated with the Secretarial Audit of the Company.

As per the proposed Terms and conditions for appointment, they shall be paid a remuneration amounting to Rs. 1,60,000 (Rupees One Lakh Sixty Thousand Only) for the purpose of Secretarial Audit for FY 2025-2026, and the remuneration to be paid to the Secretarial Auditor for remaining financial years (2026-27 to 2029-2030) for issuing the Secretarial Audit Report shall be determined by the Board of Directors of the Company. In addition to the remuneration, the Secretarial Auditor shall be entitled to receive the out-of-pocket expenses as may be incurred by them during the course of the Audit or issuance of report.

The remuneration proposed to be paid to the new Auditor is broadly in line with the earlier fee structure. Accordingly, there is no material change in the payment of remuneration, and the revision, if any, is within normal parameters considering industry practices and the scope of audit work.

The consent cum certificate and Peer Review Certificate received from M/s. AVS & Associates shall be available for inspection by the members in electronic form up to the date of Annual General Meeting. The members seeking to inspect these documents may send an email request to cs@sumitwoods.com.

None of the Directors, Key Managerial Personnel of the Company and their relatives, are concerned or interested, financially or otherwise, in this item.



The Board recommends the Ordinary Resolution as set out in Item No. 3 of this Notice for approval of the Members.

#### Regd. Office:

B - 1101, Express Zone, Diagonally Opp. to Oberoi Mall, W.E. Highway, Malad (East), Mumbai – 400097

Date: 11<sup>th</sup> August, 2025

Place: Mumbai

By Order of the Board of Directors for Sumit Woods Limited

> Sd/-Bhushan Nemlekar CFO& Whole-Time Director DIN: 00043824

# DETAILS OF DIRECTORS PROPOSED TO BE APPOINTED/RE-APPOINTED AS REQUIRED UNDER REGULATION 36 OF THE SEBI (LISTING OBLIGATIONS AND DISCLOSURE REQUIREMENTS) REGULATIONS, 2015 UNDER SECRETARIAL STANDARD-2.

Name of the Director	Mr. Subodh Nemlekar
Director Identification Number	00043795
Date of Birth	24/11/1951
Nationality	Indian
Date of Appointment on Board	09/01/1997
Shareholding	55,09,064 Shares
Expertise in specific functional areas	Mr. Subodh R. Nemlekar is a Co-Founder and Non-Executive Director of our Company. He has experience in construction industry for last 40 plus years. He worked earlier in the Vigilance branch – (RPF Dept) Western Railway, Churchgate for 21 years. He then took voluntary retirement to pursue his career in the Construction & Development Industry. Mr. Subodh Nemlekar is deeply involved in marketing, public relations, business development activities and promotion of Sumit Group.
Names of listed entities in which the person also	Nil
holds the directorship	
Memberships/Chairmanships	No
Of Committees of other Public	
Companies (includes only	
Audit Committees	
and Shareholders/ Investors'	
Grievance Committee)	