

Vivro Financial Services Private Ltd.

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March 14, 2018

BSE Limited Department of Corporate Services – CRD, PJ Towers, Dalal Street, Mumbai 400 001 Scrip Code: 532742 Security Id: PAUSHAKLTD

Dear Sir/Madam,

Ref: Buy-back of Equity Shares of Paushak Limited ("Company")

### Sub: Filing of copy of Special Resolution and Public Announcement pursuant to the provisions of SEBI (Buy-Back of Securities) Regulations, 1998 ("Buy-back Regulations")

This is to inform you that in compliance with Article 8A of Articles of Association of the Company, Section 68, 69 and 70 of the Companies Act, 2013 and rules framed thereunder, to the extent applicable and SEBI (Buy-back of Securities) Regulations, 1998, the Board of Directors of the Company had approved the Buy-back of Equity Shares subject to approval of Shareholders, on January 24, 2018.

Further, the Shareholders of the Company have, by way of a special resolution through postal ballot (including e-voting), approved Buy-back of up to 1,25,000 Equity shares of Rs. 10/- each at a price of up to Rs. 1,700/- per equity share through Tender Offer Route, the results of which was declared on March 12, 2018.

The Buy-back Committee of the Company in its meeting held on March 12, 2018, had unanimously approved and finalised the proposal for buy-back of up to 1,25,000 (One Lac Twenty Five Thousand) Equity Shares of the Company at a price of Rs. 1,700/- (Rupees One Thousand Seven Hundred Only) per Equity Share payable in cash for a total consideration not exceeding Rs. 21,25,00,000/- (Rupees Twenty One Crore Twenty Five Lac Only) excluding Transaction Costs and have fixed Friday, March 23, 2018 as record date for the purpose of determining the equity shareholder(s) of the Company eligible to tender Equity Share(s) in Buy-back Offer.

Further, in compliance with Regulation 8 of Buy-back Regulations, the Company has published the Public Announcement dated March 13, 2018 in Business Standard - English (All Edition), Business Standard - Hindi (All Edition) and Loksatta Jansatta- Gujarati (Regional Edition) on March 14, 2018.

The copy of Special Resolution and Public Announcement published in Business Standard - English (Mumbai Edition) and Business Standard - Hindi (Mumbai Edition) on March 14, 2018 are enclosed herewith for your record.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

For, Vivro Financial Services Private Limited

Name: Vivek Vaishnav Designation: Director

Encl.: As stated above.



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### PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT FOR THE ATTENTION OF EQUITY SHAREHOLDERS / BENEFICIAL OWNERS OF THE EQUITY SHARES OF PAUSHAK LIMITED ("COMPANY") FOR BUY-BACK OF EQUITY SHARES THROUGH THE TENDER OFFER ROUTE AS PRESCRIBED UNDER THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE BOARD OF INDIA (BUY BACK OF SECURITIES) REGULATIONS, 1998, AS AMENDED.

This public announcement ("Public Announcement") is being made in accordance with the provisions of Regulation 8(1) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Buy Back of Securities) Regulations, 1998, as amended ("Buy-back Regulations") and contains necessary disclosures including as specified in Part A of Schedule II to the Buy-back Regulations.

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CASH OFFER FOR BUY-BACK OF UP TO 1,25,000 (ONE LAC TWENTY FIVE THOUSAND) FULLY PAID UP EQUITY SHARES OF THE COMPANY HAVING FACE VALUE OF ₹ 10/- (RUPEES TEN ONLY) EACH AT A PRICE OF ₹ 1,700/- (RUPEES ONE THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED ONLY) PER EQUITY SHARE FOR A TOTAL CONSIDERATION NOT EXCEEDING ₹ 21,25,00,000/- (RUPEES TWENTY ONE CRORE TWENTY FIVE LAC ONLY) FROM THE EQUITY SHAREHOLDERS / BENEFICIAL OWNERS OF THE EQUITY SHARES OF THE COMPANY ON A PROPORTIONATE BASIS THROUGH THE TENDER OFFER ROUTE AS PRESCRIBED UNDER THE BUY-BACK **REGULATIONS USING STOCK EXCHANGE MECHANISM.** 

#### DETAILS OF THE BUY-BACK OFFER AND OFFER PRICE

- In accordance with Article 8A of the Articles of Association of the Company and provisions of Section 1.1. 68, 69, 70 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013, as amended from time to time ("the Act") and applicable rules made thereunder including the Companies (Share Capital and Debentures) Rules, 2014, if and to the extent applicable and in compliance with the Buy-back Regulations, the Board of Directors of the Company (herein referred to as the "Board" which term shall be deemed to include any committee constituted by Board to exercise its powers) at their meeting held on Wednesday, 24th January, 2018, ("Board Meeting") had approved the buy-back of 1,25,000 (One Lac Twenty Five Thousand) fully paid-up equity shares having face value of ₹ 10/- (Rupees Ten Only) each ("Equity Share(s)") (representing 3.90% of the total paid-up equity share capital of the Company) at a price not exceeding ₹ 1,700/- (Rupees One Thousand Seven Hundred Only) per Equity Share ("Maximum Buy-back Price"), payable in cash for a total consideration not exceeding ₹ 21,25,00,000/- (Rupees Twenty One Crore Twenty Five Lac Only) excluding transaction costs viz. fees, brokerage, applicable taxes such as securities transaction tax, goods and services tax, stamp duty, etc. ("Transaction Costs") from the equity shareholders / beneficial owners of the Equity Shares of the Company on a proportionate basis through the "Tender Offer" route as prescribed under the Buy-back Regulations (hereinafter referred to as the "Buy-back Offer"), representing 23.88% of the total paid-up equity share capital and free reserves (including securities premium account) of the Company as per audited standalone financial statements for the nine months period ended 31st December, 2017, subject to approval of members of the Company by way of special resolution through postal ballot and subject to receipt of such approvals permissions and sanctions of statutory regulatory or governmental authorities, as may be required, under applicable laws including the Securities and Exchange Board of India ("SEBI") and the stock exchange on which the Equity Shares of the Company is currently listed namely BSE Limited ("BSE"/"Stock Exchange") and subject to such conditions and modifications, if any, as may be prescribed or imposed by such authorities while granting such approvals, permissions and sanctions, which may be agreed by the Board of the Company. At the Board Meeting, the Board had constituted a committee consisting of Mr. Vijay Gandhi (Chairman), Mr. Atul Patel (Member) and Mr. Abhijit Joshi (Member) ("Buyback Committee") to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things as they may in their absolute discretion deem necessary, expedient or proper with regard to the implementation of the Buy-back Offer.
- 1.2 The members of the Company approved the Buy-back Offer by way of a special resolution through the postal ballot, the results of which were announced on Monday, 12th March, 2018. Further, the members of the Company have authorized the Board, inter alia, to finalize the final terms of Buy-back Offer, fix record date, determine entitlement ratio and such other matters as may be necessary in connection with the buy-back of Equity Shares with a power to delegate all or any of these powers to any committee of the Board or to any other director(s) or executive(s) or officer(s) of the Company.
- The Buy-back Committee at its meeting held on Monday, 12th March, 2018, had unanimously approved and finalised the proposal for buy-back of up to 1,25,000 (One Lac Twenty Five Thousand) Equity Shares of the Company at a price of ₹ 1,700/- (Rupees One Thousand Seven Hundred Only) per Equity Share ("Buy-back Price") payable in cash for a total consideration not exceeding ₹21,25,00,000/- (Rupees Twenty One Crore Twenty Five Lac Only) ("Buy-back Size") excluding Transaction Costs and have fixed Friday 23rd March, 2018 as record date ("Record Date") for the purpose of determining the equity shareholder(s) of the Company eligible to tender Equity Share(s) in Buy-back Offer ("Eligible Shareholder(s)").

The Equity Shares of the Company is listed on BSE with scrip code: 532742 and scrip ID: PAUSHAKLTD. In terms of Buv-back Regulations, under the Tender Offer route, promoters and members of promoter group 1.5.

- of the company ("Promoters and Members of Promoter Group") have the option to participate in the Buyback Offer. In this regard, the details of the Promoters and Members of Promoter Group who have expressed their intention to participate and details of their intended participation, in the Buy-back Offer have been given in paragraph 7 below. The Promoters and Members of Promoter Group are already having control over the affairs of the Company and therefore any further increase in voting rights of the Promoters and Members of Promoter Group, consequent to Buy-back Offer will not result in any change in control over the affairs of the Company and shall be in compliance with the provisions of SEBI (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeover) Regulations, 2011.
- The aggregate paid-up share capital and free reserves (including securities premium account) of the Company as on 31st December, 2017 is ₹ 8,898.20 Lac. In accordance with Section 68(2)(c) of the Act, the funds deployed for the Buy-back Offer shall not exceed 25% of the aggregate paid-up share capital and free reserves (including securities premium account) of the Company under members approval route. Accordingly, the Company has proposed to utilise an aggregate amount not exceeding ₹ 21,25,00,000/-(Rupees Twenty One Crore Twenty Five Lac Only), excluding the Transaction Costs which is within the limit of maximum amount permissible for Buy-back Offer as aforesaid and represents 23.88% of the aggregate paid-up share capital and free reserves (including securities premium account) of the Company as per audited standalone financial statements for the nine months period ended 31st December, 2017.
- 1.7. Further, under the Act, the number of Equity Shares that can be bought back during a financial year shall not exceed 25% of the total Equity Shares of the Company. Accordingly, the maximum number of Equity Shares that can be bought back during a financial year cannot exceed 8,01,778 (Eight Lac One Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy Eight) Equity Shares, i.e., 25% of 32,07,114 (Thirty Two Lac Seven Thousand One Hundred Fourteen) Equity Shares. Since the Company is proposing to buy-back up to 1.25.000 (One Lac Twenty Five Thousand) Equity Shares, the same is within the aforementioned limit.
- The buy-back of Equity Shares may be subject to taxation in India and in the country of residence of the Eligible Shareholder(s). In due course, Eligible Shareholder(s) will receive a letter of offer, which will contain a note on taxation. However, in view of the particularized nature of tax consequences, Eligible Shareholder(s) are required to consult their tax advisor for the applicable tax provisions including the treatment that may be given by their respective tax officers in their case and the appropriate course of action that they should take.
- 1.9 A copy of this Public Announcement will be available on SEBI's website at www.sebi.gov.in as well as on Company's website at www.paushak.com.

#### 2. NECESSITY FOR THE BUY-BACK

The Buy-back Offer through Tender Offer route is being implemented for keeping the Company's desire to enhance long term shareholder value and improve the Company's return on equity by means of optimum anital allocation. Therefore, the Board cons idered the accumulated free reserv vell as the cash and

k) Arogyavardhini Society Intention of the Promoters and Members of Promoter Group to tender Equity Shares in the Buy-back Offer 7.3 In terms of the Buy-back Regulations, under Tender Offer route, the Promoters and Members of the Promoter Group have the option to participate in the Buy-back Offer. In this regard, the Promoters and Members of Promoter Group as listed herein below have expressed their intention to tender up to following number of Equity Shares in the Buy-back Offer:

| Sr. No. | Particulars                 | Equity Shares held on<br>24 <sup>th</sup> January, 2018 | Maximum No. of Equity Shares<br>which may be tendered |
|---------|-----------------------------|---|---|
| 1       | Chirayu Ramanbhai Amin      | 77,259  | 77,259  |
| 2       | Chirayu Ramanbhai Amin HUF* | 16,423  | 16,423  |
| 3       | Udit Chirayu Amin           | 26,997  | 26,997  |
| 4       | Nirayu Private Limited      | 10,64,610   | 10,64,610   |
| 5       | Alembic Limited             | 6,10,615  | 6,10,615  |
| 6       | Shreno Limited              | 2,37,369  | 2,37,369  |
| 7       | Malika Chirayu Amin         | 39,273  | 39,273  |
| 8       | Pranav Chirayu Amin         | 29,599  | 29,599  |
| 9       | Shaunak Chirayu Amin        | 26,999  | 26,999  |
| 10      | Ujjwal Vidyalaya            | 5,447   | 5,447   |
| 11      | Arogyavardhini Society      | 3,365   | 3,365   |
| 12      | Vidyanidhi Trust            | 123   | 123   |
| TOTAL   |                             | 21,38,079   | 21,38,079   |

\* Equity Shares held in the name of Chirayu Ramanbhai Amin in representative capacity of Karta of Chirayu Ramanbhai Amin HUF.

Further details of price and date of acquisition(s) of Equity Shares that the Promoters and Members of Promoter Group intend to tender are as under

#### a) Chirayu Ramanbhai Amin

| Sr. No. | Date of Acquisition            | No. of<br>Equity Shares | Face Value<br>(₹) | Issue / Acquisition<br>price per Share (₹) | Nature of<br>Transaction |
|---------|--------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|--|--------------------------|
| 1       | 1 <sup>st</sup> April, 1999    | 76,160                  | 10/-              | 20.01 <sup>1</sup>                         | Opening Balance 1        |
| 2       | 5 <sup>th</sup> November, 2005 | 1,099                   | 10/-              | N.A.                                       | Refer Note 2             |
| TOTAL   |                                | 77,259                  |                   |  |                          |

Represents average cost of acquisition of equity shares held on 1st April, 1999. Since specific details of acquisition of equity shares prior to 1st April, 1999 is not available, aggregate holding as on 1st April, 1999 is provided.

Shares allotted pursuant to the Scheme of Arrangement (Merger) between Darshak Limited and Paushak Limited having an average cost of acquisition of ₹ 153.47.

#### b) Chiravu Ramanbhai Amin HUF

| Sr. No.   | Date of Acquisition            | No. of<br>Equity Shares | Face Value<br>(₹) | Issue / Acquisition<br>price per Share (₹) | Nature of<br>Transaction |  |
|---|--------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|--|--------------------------|--|
| 1   | 1 <sup>st</sup> April, 1999    | 2,800                   | 10/-              | 5.04 <sup>1</sup>                          | Opening Balance 1        |  |
| 2   | 5 <sup>th</sup> November, 2005 | 665                     | 10/-              | N.A.                                       | Refer Note 2             |  |
| 3   | 30th September, 2010           | 12,958                  | 10/-              | N.A.                                       | Refer Note 3             |  |
| TOTAL   |                                | 16,423                  |                   |  |                          |  |
| Represents average cost of acquisition of equity shares held on 1st April, 1999. Since specific details of acquisition of equity shares |                                |                         |                   |  |                          |  |

prior to 1st April, 1999 is not available, aggregate holding as on 1st April, 1999 is provided. <sup>2</sup> Shares allotted pursuant to the Scheme of Arrangement (Merger) between Darshak Limited and Paushak Limited having an average cost of acquisition of ₹ 157.12

<sup>3</sup> Received upon dissolution of R. B. Amin HUF

#### c) Udit Chiravu Amin

| Sr. No. | Date of Acquisition            | No. of<br>Equity Shares | Face Value<br>(₹) | Issue / Acquisition<br>price per Share (₹) | Nature of<br>Transaction     |
|---------|--------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|--|------------------------------|
| 1       | 1 <sup>st</sup> April, 1999    | 26,400                  | 10/-              | 20.03 <sup>1</sup>                         | Opening Balance <sup>1</sup> |
| 2       | 5 <sup>th</sup> November, 2005 | 597                     | 10/-              | N.A.                                       | Refer Note 2                 |
| TOTAL   |                                | 26,997                  |                   |  |                              |

Represents average cost of acquisition of equity shares held on 1st April, 1999. Since specific details of acquisition of equity shares prior to 1st April, 1999 is not available, aggregate holding as on 1st April, 1999 is provided

cost of acquisition of ₹ 241.30

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| Sr. No. | Date of Acquisition             | No. of        | Face Value | Issue / Acquisition | Nature of         |
|---------|---------------------------------|---------------|------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| 51. NO. | Date of Acquisition             | Equity Shares | (₹)        | price per Share (₹) | Transaction       |
| 1       | 1 <sup>st</sup> April, 1999     | 1,66,420      | 10/-       | 12.28 <sup>1</sup>  | Opening Balance 1 |
| 2       | 5th November, 2005              | 1,875         | 10/-       | N.A.                | Refer Note 2      |
| 3       | 11 <sup>th</sup> February, 2013 | 1,000         | 10/-       | 75.30               | Purchase          |
| 4       | 12 <sup>th</sup> February, 2013 | 2,240         | 10/-       | 75.30               | Purchase          |
| 5       | 12th December, 2017             | 8,93,075      | 10/-       | N.A.                | Refer Note 3      |
| TOTAL   |                                 | 10,64,610     |            |                     |                   |

<sup>1</sup> Represents average cost of acquisition of equity shares held on 1st April, 1999. Since specific details of acquisition of equity shares prior to 1st April, 1999 is not available, aggregate holding as on 1st April, 1999 is provided.

<sup>2</sup> Shares allotted pursuant to the Scheme of Arrangement (Merger) between Darshak Limited and Paushak Limited having an average cost of acquisition of ₹ 159.43.

| e) Alemb |                              |                         |                   |  |                          |
|----------|------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|--|--------------------------|
| Sr. No.  | Date of Acquisition          | No. of<br>Equity Shares | Face Value<br>(₹) | Issue / Acquisition<br>price per Share (₹) | Nature of<br>Transaction |
| 1        | 1 <sup>st</sup> April, 1999  | 5,15,051                | 10/-              | 32.90 <sup>1</sup>                         | Opening Balance 1        |
| 2        | 5th November, 2005           | 60,035                  | 10/-              | N.A.                                       | Refer Note 2             |
| 3        | 18 <sup>th</sup> March, 2009 | 3,555                   | 10/-              | 36.53                                      | Purchase                 |
| 4        | 19 <sup>th</sup> March, 2009 | 10,855                  | 10/-              | 38.42                                      | Purchase                 |
| 5        | 23 <sup>rd</sup> March, 2009 | 3,500                   | 10/-              | 39.50                                      | Purchase                 |
| 6        | 25 <sup>th</sup> March, 2009 | 1,500                   | 10/-              | 39.86                                      | Purchase                 |
| 7        | 26 <sup>th</sup> March, 2009 | 1,871                   | 10/-              | 38.61                                      | Purchase                 |
| 8        | 27 <sup>th</sup> March, 2009 | 390                     | 10/-              | 39.05                                      | Purchase                 |
| 9        | 28 <sup>th</sup> March, 2009 | 2,341                   | 10/-              | 40.07                                      | Purchase                 |
| 10       | 2 <sup>nd</sup> April, 2009  | 802                     | 10/-              | 38.96                                      | Purchase                 |

| Sr. No. | Date of Acquisition         | No. of<br>Equity Shares | Face Value<br>(₹) | Issue / Acquisition price per Share (₹) | Nature of<br>Transaction |
|---------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|---|--------------------------|
| 1       | 1 <sup>st</sup> April, 1999 | 500                     | 10/-              | N.A. 1                                  | Opening Balance 1        |
| 2       | 5th November, 2005          | 2,865                   | 10/-              | N.A.                                    | Refer Note 2             |
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<sup>1</sup> Since specific details of acquisition of equity shares prior to 1<sup>st</sup> April, 1999 is not available, aggregate holding as on 1<sup>st</sup> April, 1999 is provided. These shares were received as donation in the year 1981.

<sup>2</sup> Shares allotted pursuant to the Scheme of Arrangement (Merger) between Darshak Limited and Paushak Limited against shares originally received as donation in the year 1981.

#### I) Vidyanidhi Trust

| Sr. No. | Date of Acquisition            | No. of<br>Equity Shares |      | Issue / Acquisition<br>price per Share (₹) | Nature of<br>Transaction |
|---------|--------------------------------|-------------------------|------|--|--------------------------|
| 1       | 5 <sup>th</sup> November, 2005 | 123                     | 10/- | N.A.                                       | Refer Note 1             |
| TOTAL   |                                | 123                     |      |  |                          |

<sup>1</sup> Shares transferred to Vidyanidhi Trust pursuant to the Scheme of Arrangement (Merger) between Darshak Limited and Paushak ted against shares originally received as donatior

#### 8. NO DEFAULTS

The Company confirms that there are no defaults made or subsisting in the repayment of deposits or interest payment thereon, redemption of debentures or interest payment thereon, redemption of preference shares or payment of dividend due to any shareholder or repayment of term loans or interest payable thereon to any inancial institution or banking company.

#### 9. CONFIRMATION THAT THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS HAVE MADE FULL ENQUIRY INTO THE AFFAIRS AND PROSPECTS OF THE COMPANY AND THAT THEY HAVE FORMED THE OPINION TO THE EFFECT THAT THE COMPANY, AFTER BUY-BACK OFFER WILL CONTINUE TO BE ABLE TO MEET ITS LIABILITIES AND WILL NOT BE RENDERED INSOLVENT

The Board of Directors of the Company have made full enquiry into the affairs and prospects of the Company and taking into account all the liabilities including prospective and contingent liabilities payable as if the Company were being wound up under the provisions of Act, the Board of Directors have formed an opinion:

- i. that immediately following the date of the Board Meeting held on Wednesday, 24th January, 2018 and the date on which the members' resolution will be passed and the date of the Letter of Offer, there will be no grounds on which the Company can be found unable to pay its debts; and
- ii. that as regards the Company's prospects for the year immediately following the date of the Board Meeting held on Wednesday, 24th January, 2018 as well as the year immediately following the date on which the members' resolution will be passed approving the Buy-back Offer and the date of the Letter of Offer and having regard to the Board's intentions with respect to the management of the Company's business during that year and to the amount and character of the financial resources, which will, in the Board's view, be available to the Company during that year, the Company will be able to meet its liabilities as and when they fall due and will not be rendered insolvent within a period of one year from the date of the Board Meeting held on Wednesday, 24th January, 2018 as well as the year immediately following the date on which the members' resolution will be passed approving the Buy-back Offer and the date of the Letter of Offer.

#### **10.REPORT ADDRESSED TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS BY THE COMPANY AUDITORS**

The text of the report dated 24th January, 2018 received from Maloo Bhatt & Co., Chartered Accountants, the statutory auditors of the Company, addressed to the Board of Directors of the Company is reproduced below:

#### Quote

Independent Auditor's Report on Buy-back of Equity Shares pursuant to the requirement of Clause (xi) of Part A Schedule II to the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Buy Back of Securities) Regulations 1998, as amended

#### 24th January, 2018

To. Board of Directors Paushak Limited Alembic Road, Vadodara - 390 003

1. This Report is issued in accordance with the terms of our service scope letter dated 19th January, 2018.

2. In connection with the proposal of Paushak Limited ("Company") to buy-back its equity shares in pursuance of the provisions of Section 68, 69 and 70 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("Act") and Securities and Exchange Board of India (Buy Back of Securities) Regulations, 1998, as amended ("Buy-back Regulations"), and in terms of the resolution passed by the Board of Directors of the Company in their meeting held on 24th January, 2018 ("Board Meeting"), which is subject to the approval of the members of the Company, we have been engaged by the Company to perform a reasonable or limited assurance as applicable on the reporting criteria, specified in paragraph 5 of this report.

#### Board of Directors Responsibility

- 3. The preparation of the statement of determination of the permissible capital payment (including premium) towards buy-back of Equity Shares ("Statement"), as set out in Annexure A hereto, initialed by us for identification purpose only, is the responsibility of the Board of Directors of the Company. including the preparation and maintenance of all accounting and other relevant supporting records and documents. This responsibility includes the design, implementation and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and presentation of the Statement and applying an appropriate basis of preparation and making estimates that are reasonable in the circumstances.
- 4. The Board of Directors are responsible to make a full inquiry into the affairs and prospects of the Company and to form an opinion that the Company will not be rendered insolvent within a period of one year from the date of the Board Meeting, the date on which the members' resolution will be passed and the date of the Letter of Offer

### Auditor's Responsibility

- 5. Pursuant to the requirements of the Buy-back Regulations, it is our responsibility to provide reasonable assurance on the following point (i) and to provide limited assurance on the following point (ii) ("Reporting Criteria"):
- (i) Whether the amount of capital payment for the buy-back is within the permissible limit computed in accordance with the provisions of Section 68 of the Act; and
- (ii) Whether the Board of Directors has formed the opinion, as specified in Clause (x) of Part A of Schedule

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| 3       | 18 <sup>th</sup> March, 2009 | 3,555                   | 10/-              | 36.53                                      | Purchase                 |
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| 9       | 28 <sup>th</sup> March. 2009 | 2.341                   | 10/-              | 40.07                                      | Purchase                 |

cash equivalent / liquidity reflected in the audited standalone financial statements for the nine months period ended 31st December, 2017 and decided to allocate a sum not exceeding ₹ 21,25,00,000/- (Rupees Twenty One Crore Twenty Five Lac Only) for distributing to the members holding Equity Shares of the Company on the Record Date, through the Buy-back Offer. The buy-back would lead to reduction in outstanding number of Equity Shares and may consequently increase earnings per share over a period of time.

#### MAXIMUM AMOUNT REQUIRED UNDER THE BUY-BACK AND ITS PERCENTAGE OF THE TOTAL PAID-UP 3. CAPITAL AND FREE RESERVES

The maximum amount required under the buy-back will not exceed ₹ 21,25,00,000/- (Rupees Twenty One Crore Twenty Five Lac Only), excluding Transaction Costs representing up to 23.88% of the total paid-up capital and free reserves (including securities premium account) as per the audited standalone financial statements of the Company for the nine months period ended 31st December, 2017.

#### MAXIMUM PRICE AT WHICH EQUITY SHARES ARE PROPOSED TO BE BOUGHT BACK AND THE BASIS OF ABBIVING AT THE BUY-BACK PRICE

The Equity Shares are to be bought back at a price of ₹ 1,700/- (Rupees One Thousand Seven Hundred Only) per Equity Share.

The Buy-back Price of ₹ 1,700/- (Rupees One Thousand Seven Hundred Only) per Equity Share of the Company represents

i) premium of 78.96% over the volume weighted average price of the Equity Shares on BSE for 3 months preceding the date of intimation to consider the proposal of the Buy-back Offer in the Board Meeting; ii) premium of 35.24% over the volume weighted average price of the Equity Shares on BSE for 2 weeks preceding the date of intimation to consider the proposal of the Buy-back Offer in the Board Meeting; and (iii) premium of 28,77% over the closing market price of the Equity Shares on BSE as on the date of intimation to consider the proposal of the Buy-back Offer in the Board Meeting.

MAXIMUM NUMBER OF EQUITY SHARES THAT THE COMPANY PROPOSES TO BUY-BACK 5

The Company proposes to buy-back 1,25,000 (One Lac Twenty Five Thousand) fully paid-up Equity Shares of the Company representing 3.90% of the total paid-up equity share capital of the Company.

#### METHOD TO BE ADOPTED FOR THE BUY-BACK

- As required under the Buy-back Regulations, Equity Shares to be bought back under Tender Offer are divided into two categories: (i) Reserved category for small shareholders; and (ii) General category for all other equity shareholders. Please refer paragraph 11 below for further details.
- 6.2. The Buy-back Offer will be undertaken on a proportionate basis from the equity shareholders/ beneficial owners of Equity Shares of the Company as on the Record Date through the Tender Offer process prescribed under Regulation 4(1)(a) of the Buy-back Regulations. Additionally, the Buy-back Offer shall be, subject to applicable laws, implemented by tendering of Equity Shares by Eligible Shareholders and settlement of the same through the stock exchange mechanism as specified by SEBI in its circular bearing reference number CIR/CFD/POLICYCELL/1/2015 dated April 13, 2015 read with the circular bearing reference number CFD/ DCR2/CIR/P/2016/131 dated December 09. 2016. as amended from time to time ("SEBI Circulars").
- AGGREGATE SHAREHOLDING OF THE PROMOTERS AND OF THE DIRECTORS OF THE PROMOTER COMPANIES HOLDING SHARES IN THE COMPANY AND OF PERSONS WHO ARE IN CONTROL OF THE COMPANY AS ON THE DATE OF THE POSTAL BALLOT NOTICE
- The aggregate shareholding of the Promoters and Members of Promoter Group, the directors of the promoter companies holding Equity Shares in the Company and persons acting in concert as on the date of the Postal Ballot Notice i.e. 24th January, 2018 is as follows:

| Category of Member  | No. of Equity Shares Held | % of Existing Equity Share Capital |
|---|---------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Promoters and Members of Promoter Group   | 21,38,749                 | 66.68                              |
| Directors of the promoter companies*  | -                         | -                                  |
| Persons acting in concert*  | -                         | -                                  |
| Total of Promoters and Members of<br>Promoter Group, directors of the promoter<br>companies and persons acting in concert | 21,38,749                 | 66.68                              |

\*There are no promoter companies of, and persons acting in concert in, the Company

7.2. Aggregate number of Equity Shares purchased or sold as well as minimum and maximum price at which such purchases and sales were made along with relevant dates by persons mentioned under paragraph 7.1 above for a period of six months preceding the date of the Board Meeting at which the Buy-back was approved / the date of the Postal Ballot notice i.e. 24th January, 2018

No person mentioned under paragraph 7.1 above has purchased or sold any equity shares during the period of six months preceding the date of the Board Meeting at which the buy-back was approved / the date of the Postal Ballot notice i.e. 24th January, 2018

| TOTAL |                              | 6,10,615 |      |       |          |
|-------|------------------------------|----------|------|-------|----------|
| 17    | 8 <sup>th</sup> May, 2009    | 1,225    | 10/- | 40.11 | Purchase |
| 16    | 6 <sup>th</sup> May, 2009    | 6,096    | 10/- | 40.24 | Purchase |
| 15    | 30 <sup>th</sup> April, 2009 | 536      | 10/- | 40.30 | Purchase |
| 14    | 23 <sup>rd</sup> April, 2009 | 640      | 10/- | 37.69 | Purchase |
| 13    | 22 <sup>nd</sup> April, 2009 | 285      | 10/- | 35.33 | Purchase |
| 12    | 10 <sup>th</sup> April, 2009 | 834      | 10/- | 37.86 | Purchase |
| 11    | 6 <sup>th</sup> April, 2009  | 1,099    | 10/- | 38.88 | Purchase |

Represents average cost of acquisition of equity shares held on 1st April, 1999. Since specific details of acquisition of equity shares prior to 1st April, 1999 is not available, aggregate holding as on 1st April, 1999 is provided.

Shares allotted pursuant to the Scheme of Arrangement (Merger) between Darshak Limited and Paushak Limited having an average cost of acquisition of ₹ 161 88

#### f) Shreno Limited

| Sr. No. | Date of Acquisition           | No. of<br>Equity Shares | Face Value<br>(₹) | Issue / Acquisition<br>price per Share (₹) | Nature of<br>Transaction |
|---------|-------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|--|--------------------------|
| 1       | 31 <sup>st</sup> August, 2006 | 2,37,369                | 10/-              | N.A.                                       | Refer Note 1             |
| TOTAL   |                               | 2,37,369                |                   |  |                          |

<sup>1</sup> Shares transferred to Shreno Limited pursuant to the scheme of amalgamation of erstwhile Shreno Limited with Alembic Glass Industries Limited whose name was changed to Shreno Limited pursuant to the said scheme, having an average cost of acquis tion of ₹ ,39 66

#### a) Malika Chiravu Amin

| Sr. No. | Date of Acquisition         | No. of<br>Equity Shares | Face Value<br>(₹) | Issue / Acquisition price per Share (₹) | Nature of<br>Transaction |
|---------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|---|--------------------------|
| 1       | 1 <sup>st</sup> April, 1999 | 38,000                  | 10/-              | 20.01 <sup>1</sup>                      | Opening Balance 1        |
| 2       | 5th November, 2005          | 1,273                   | 10/-              | N.A.                                    | Refer Note 2             |
| TOTAL   |                             | 39,273                  |                   |   |                          |

Represents average cost of acquisition of equity shares held on 1st April, 1999. Since specific details of acquisition of equity shares prior to 1st April, 1999 is not available, apprepate holding as on 1st April, 1999 is provided.

Shares allotted pursuant to the Scheme of Arrangement (Merger) between Darshak Limited and Paushak Limited having an average cost of acquisition of ₹ 156.76.

#### h) Pranav Chiravu Amin

|       | Date of Acquisition            | No. of<br>Equity Shares | Face Value<br>(₹) | Issue / Acquisition<br>price per Share (₹) | Nature of<br>Transaction     |
|-------|--------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|--|------------------------------|
| 1     | 1 <sup>st</sup> April, 1999    | 29,000                  | 10/-              | 20.03 <sup>1</sup>                         | Opening Balance <sup>1</sup> |
| 2     | 5 <sup>th</sup> November, 2005 | 599                     | 10/-              | N.A.                                       | Refer Note 2                 |
| TOTAL |                                | 29,599                  |                   |  |                              |

Represents average cost of acquisition of equity shares held on 1st April, 1999. Since specific details of acquisition of equity shares prior to 1st April, 1999 is not available, aggregate holding as on 1st April, 1999 is provided.

<sup>2</sup> Shares allotted pursuant to the Scheme of Arrangement (Merger) between Darshak Limited and Paushak Limited having an average cost of acquisition of ₹ 190 65

#### Shaunak Chirayu Amin

| Sr. No. | Date of Acquisition            | No. of<br>Equity Shares | Face Value<br>(₹) | Issue / Acquisition<br>price per Share (₹) | Nature of<br>Transaction     |
|---------|--------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|--|------------------------------|
| 1       | 1 <sup>st</sup> April, 1999    | 26,400                  | 10/-              | 20.03 <sup>1</sup>                         | Opening Balance <sup>1</sup> |
| 2       | 5 <sup>th</sup> November, 2005 | 599                     | 10/-              | N.A.                                       | Refer Note 2                 |
| TOTAL   |                                | 26,999                  |                   |  |                              |

<sup>1</sup> Represents average cost of acquisition of equity shares held on 1<sup>st</sup> April, 1999. Since specific details of acquisition of equity shares prior to 1<sup>st</sup> April, 1999 is not available, aggregate holding as on 1<sup>st</sup> April, 1999 is provided.

<sup>2</sup> Shares allotted pursuant to the Scheme of Arrangement (Merger) between Darshak Limited and Paushak Limited having an average cost of acquisition of ₹ 156.79.

#### j) Ujjwal Vidyalaya

| Sr. No. | Date of Acquisition        | No. of<br>Equity Shares | Face Value<br>(₹) | Issue / Acquisition<br>price per Share (₹) | Nature of<br>Transaction |
|---------|----------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|--|--------------------------|
| 1       | 5th November, 2005         | 8,780                   | 10/-              | N.A. 1                                     | Refer Note 1             |
| 2       | 9 <sup>th</sup> June, 2010 | (3,333)                 | 10/-              | N.A. <sup>2</sup>                          | Inter-se Transfer        |
| TOTAL   |                            | 5,447                   |                   |  |                          |

Since specific details of acquisition of equity shares prior to 1st April, 1999 is not available, aggregate holding as on 1st April, 1999 is provided. These shares were transferred to Ujjwal Vidyalaya pursuant to the Scheme of Arrangement (Merger) between Darshak Place: Vadodara Limited and Paushak Limited against shares originally held prior to 1999. Date : 24th January, 2018

<sup>2</sup> No sale price is mentioned, since the same is not required to be provided.

- If to the Buy-dack Regulations, on reasonable grounds that the Company having regard to its state of affairs will not be rendered insolvent within a period of one year from the date of the Board Meeting, the date on which the members' resolution will be passed and the date of the Letter of Offer.
- 6. The Statement has been prepared based on the audited standalone financial statements for the nine months period ended 31st December, 2017 of the Company.
- 7. We conducted our examination of the Statement in accordance with the Guidance Note on Reports or Certificates for Special Purposes issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India. The Guidance Note requires that we comply with the ethical requirements of the Code of Ethics issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India.
- 8. We have complied with the relevant applicable requirements of the Standard on Quality Control (SQC) 1, Quality Control for Firms that Perform Audits and Reviews of Historical Financial Information, and Other Assurance and Related Services Engagements.
- 9. A reasonable or limited assurance engagement involves performing procedures to obtain sufficient appropriate evidence on the Reporting Criteria mentioned in paragraph 5 above. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks associated with the Reporting Criteria. We have performed, inter alia, the following procedures in relation to the Statement:
- i) We have inquired into the state of affairs of the Company in relation to its audited standalone financial statements for the nine months period ended 31st December, 2017:
- ii) Examined authorization for buy-back from the Articles of Association of the Company;
- iii) Examined that the amount of capital payment for the buy-back as detailed in Annexure A is within permissible limit computed in accordance with section 68 of the Act;
- iv) Examined that the ratio of aggregate of secured and unsecured debts owed by the Company is not more than twice the paid-up capital and its free reserve after such buy-back;
- v) Examined that all subscribed equity shares proposed for buy-back are fully paid-up;
- vi) Examined resolution passed in the meeting of the Board of Directors approving the buy-back; and
- vii) Examined Directors' declarations for the purpose of buy-back and solvency of the Company.

#### Opinion

- 10. Based on our examination as above and the information and explanations given to us, in our opinion
- a) that the proposed amount of capital payment of ₹ 21.25.00.000/- (Rupees Twenty One Crore Twenty Five Lac Only) for the buy-back of 1,25,000 equity shares in guestion does not exceed the permissible capital payment which is ₹ 22.24.54.990/- (Rupees Twenty Two Crore Twenty Four Lac Fifty Four Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety Only), as determined in the statement of determination of the permissible capital payment towards buy-back of equity shares, as stated in Annexure A, is properly determined in accordance with Section 68 of the Act; and
- b) that the Board of Directors in their meeting held on 24th January, 2018 have formed the opinion, as specified in clause (x) of Part A of Schedule II of the Buy-back Regulations, on reasonable grounds, that the Company will not, having regard to its state of affairs, be rendered insolvent within a period of one year from the date of the Board Meeting, the date on which the members' resolution will be passed and the date of the Letter of Offer.

#### Restriction on Use

This report is addressed to and provided to the Board of Directors of the Company pursuant to the requirements of the Buy-back Regulations solely to enable them to include it (a) in the explanatory statement to be included in the notice to be circulated to the members seeking their assent for buy-back, (b) in the Public Announcement to be made to the members of the Company. (c) in the Draft Letter of Offer and Letter of Offer to be filed with the Securities and Exchange Board of India, the Stock Exchange, the Registrar of Companies as required by the Buy-back Regulations and should not be used by any other person or for any other purpose. Accordingly, we do not accept or assume any liability or any duty of care for any other purpose or to any other person to whom this report is shown or into whose hands it may come without our prior consent in writing.

| F | For Maloo Bhatt & Co. |
|---|-----------------------|
| ( | Chartered Accountants |
| F | R No. 129572W         |
| S | Sd/-                  |
| ( | CA. Yash Bhatt        |
| F | Partner               |
| ſ | VI No. 117745         |
|   | Continued.            |

Annexure A

Statement of determination of the permissible capital payment (including premium) towards buy-back of equity shares ("Statement") in accordance with Section 68(2) of the Companies Act. 2013

|     | Particulars  | Amount in<br>₹ Lac | Amount in<br>₹ Lac |
|-----|--|--------------------|--------------------|
| A   | Total paid-up share capital and free reserves as at 31st December, 2017, based   |                    |                    |
|     | on the audited standalone financial statements of the Company as at and for the nine months period ended 31st December, 2017 |                    |                    |
| a   | Total paid-up share capital  |                    | 320.71             |
|     | Free reserves, comprising of   |                    |                    |
|     | - Securities premium account   | 782.64             |                    |
|     | - General reserve  | 3,876.44           |                    |
|     | - Surplus in the statement of profit and loss  | 3,918.41           |                    |
| b   | Total free reserves  |                    | 8,577.49           |
|     | Total paid-up share capital and free reserves (a+b)  |                    | 8,898.20           |
| В   | The amount of maximum permissible capital payment (including premium)  |                    |                    |
|     | towards the buy-back being lower of;   |                    |                    |
|     | (a) 25% of total paid-up share capital and free reserves as at 31st December, 2017   |                    | 2,224.55           |
|     | (b) Maximum amount approved by the Board of Directors at their meeting held on $24^{\mbox{th}}$ January, 2018                |                    | 2,125.00           |
| For | and on behalf of the Board of Directors of   |                    |                    |

Paushak Limited

Sd/-

#### Charandeep Singh Saluja **Company Secretary**

Place: Vadodara

Date: 24th January, 2018

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#### 11. RECORD DATE AND SHAREHOLDERS' ENTITLEMENT

- 11.1. As required under the Buy-back Regulations, the Board has fixed Friday, 23rd March, 2018 as the Record Date for the purpose of determining the entitlement and the names of the equity shareholders who are eligible to participate in the Buy-back Offer. Accordingly, all persons holding Equity Shares of Company as on the Record Date are Eligible Shareholders and are eligible to participate in the Buy-back Offer
- 11.2 In due course. Eligible Shareholders will receive a letter of offer along with a Tender/Offer Form indicating the entitlement of the equity shareholder for participating in the Buy-back Offer
- 11.3 The Equity Shares to be bought back as part of the Buy-back Offer are divided in two categories: a. Reserved category for small shareholders; and b. General category for all other equity shareholders.
- 11.4 As defined in the Buy-back Regulations, a "small shareholder" is a shareholder who holds Equity Shares having market value, on the basis of closing price on BSE as on the Record Date, of not more than ₹ 2,00,000/- (Rupees Two Lac only).
- 11.5 In accordance with Regulation 6 of the Buy-back Regulations, 15% of the number of Equity Shares which the Company proposes to buy-back or number of Equity Shares entitled as per the shareholding of small shareholders, whichever is higher, shall be reserved for the small shareholders as part of this Buv-back Offer.
- 11.6. On the basis of the shareholding on the Record Date, the Company will determine the entitlement of each shareholder, including small shareholders, to tender the Equity Shares in the Buy-back Offer. This entitlement for each shareholder will be calculated based on the number of Equity Shares held by the respective shareholder on the Record Date and the ratio of the buy-back applicable in the category to which such shareholder belongs. The final number of Equity Shares that the Company will purchase from each Eligible Shareholder will be based on the total number of Equity Shares tendered. Accordingly, the Company may not purchase all of the Equity Shares tendered by Eligible Shareholders.
- 11.7. After accepting the Equity Shares tendered on the basis of entitlement, the Equity Shares left to be bought back, if any, in one category shall first be accepted, in proportion to the Equity Shares tendered over and above their entitlement in the Buy-back Offer by Eligible Shareholders in that category and thereafter from Eligible Shareholders who have tendered over and above their entitlement in other category.
- 11.8 The participation of the Eligible Shareholders in the Buy-back Offer is voluntary. Eligible Shareholders may also tender a part of their entitlement Fligible Shareholders also have the option of tendering additional shares (over and above their entitlement) and participate in the shortfall created due to non-participation of some other Eligible Shareholders, if any, If the buy-back entitlement for any shareholder is not a round number, then the fractional entitlement shall be ignored for computation of Buy-back Offer entitlement to tender Equity Shares in the Buy-back Offer
- 11.9 In order to ensure that the same shareholder with multiple demat accounts / folios do not receive a higher entitlement under the small shareholder category, the Company will club together the Equity Shares held by such shareholders with a common PAN for determining the category (reserved category for small shareholders or general category) and entitlement under the Buy-back Offer. In case of joint shareholding, the Company will club together the Equity Shares held in cases where the sequence of the PANs of the joint shareholders is identical. In case of Eligible Shareholders holding Equity Shares in physical form, where the sequence of PANs is identical and where the PANs of all joint shareholders are not available, the Company will check the sequence of the names of the joint holders and club together the Equity Shares held in such cases where the sequence of the PANs and name of joint shareholders are identical. The shareholding of institutional investors like mutual funds pension funds / trusts insurance companies etc with a common PAN will not be clubbed together for determining the category and will be considered separately where these Equity Shares are held for different schemes and have a different demat account nomenclature based on information prepared by the Registrar as per the shareholder records received from the depositories.
- 10The maximum tender under the Buy-back Offer by any Eligible Shareholder cannot exceed the number of Equity Shares held by such Eligible Shareholder as on the Record Date. The Equity Shares tendered as per the entitlement by Eligible Shareholders holding Equity Shares of the Company as well as additional shares tendered, if any, will be accepted as per the procedure laid down in Buy-back Regulations. The settlement of the tenders under the Buy-back Offer will be done using the "Mechanism for acquisition of shares through Stock Exchange" notified by SEBI Circulars, as may be amended from time to time and other relevant rules and regulations.
- 11.11The buy-back of Equity Shares from non-resident members, overseas corporate bodies ("OCBs") and foreign institutional investors ("FIIs"), foreign portfolio investors ("FPIs") and members of foreign nationality, if any, etc. shall be subject to such approvals as are required including approvals from the Reserve Bank of India under the Foreign Exchange Management Act, 1999 and the rules, regulations framed there under, if any.
- 11.12Detailed instructions for participation in the Buy-back Offer as well as the relevant time table will be included in the Letter of Offer which will be sent in due course to the Eligible Shareholders.

#### 12. PROCESS AND METHODOLOGY FOR THE BUY-BACK

12.1. The Buy-back Offer is open to all Eligible Shareholders / beneficial owners of the Company, holding Equity Shares either in physical and/ or demat form as on the Record Date.

- 12.2 The Buy-back Offer will be implemented using the "Mechanism for acquisition of shares through Stock Exchange" as mentioned in SEBI Circulars and following the procedure prescribed in the Act and the Buyback Regulations and as may be determined by the Board (including any person authorized by the Board to complete the formalities of the Buy-back Offer) and on such terms and conditions as may be permitted 13.3 under law from time to time.
- 12.3 For the purpose of this Buy-back Offer, BSE will be the designated stock exchange. In this regard, the Company will request BSE to provide the facility of acquisition window to facilitate placing of sell orders by Eligible Shareholders who wish to tender Equity Shares in the Buy-back Offer. The details of the platform will be as specified by BSE from time to time.
- 12.4 For implementation of the Buy-back Offer, the Company has appointed Pravin Ratilal Share And Stock Brokers Limited as the registered broker to the Company ("Company's Broker") who will facilitate the process of tendering Equity Shares through Stock Exchange Mechanism for the Buy-back Offer and through whom the purchases and settlements on account of the Buy-back Offer would be made by the Company. The contact details of the Company's Broker are as follows:

Name: Pravin Ratilal Share And Stock Brokers Limited

Address: Sakar - 1, 5th Floor, East Wing, Opp. Gandhigram Railway Station, Ahmedabad, Gujarat - 380007, India. Contact Person: Mr. Phaneesh Kumar Tel: +91 79 6630 2792; +91 79 2655 3792 Email: info@prssb.com | Website: www.prssb.com SEBI Registration Number: BSE - INB010758937 | NSE - INB230758933 Corporate Identity Number: U67120GJ1994PLC022117

12.5. During the tendering period, the order for selling the Equity Shares will be placed in the acquisition window by Eligible Shareholders through their respective stock brokers ("Shareholder Broker") during normal trading hours of the secondary market. The Company's Broker may also process the orders received from the Elioible Shareholders. The Shareholder Broker can enter orders for demat as well as physical shares.

### 12.6 Procedure to be followed by Eligible Shareholders holding Equity Shares in dematerialised form

- 12.6.1 Eligible Shareholders who desire to tender the Equity Shares held by them in the dematerialised form under Buy-back Offer would have to do so through their respective Shareholder Broker by giving details of Equity 13.8 Shares they intend to tender under the Buy-back Offer.
- 12.6.2 The Shareholder Broker would be required to transfer the tendered Equity Shares to a special account of the Indian Clearing Corporation Limited ("Clearing Corporation") specifically created for the purpose of 13.9 Buy-back Offer ("Special Account") by using settlement number through the early pay in mechanism of depositories and the same shall be validated at the time of order entry. The details of settlement number and the Special Account for the Buy-back Offer shall be informed in the issue opening circular that will be issued by BSE or Clearing Corporation prior to placing of bids by the Shareholder Broker.
- 12.6.3 For custodian participant, orders for demat Equity Shares early pay-in is mandatory prior to confirmation of order by the custodian. The custodian shall either confirm or reject the orders not later than the close of trading hours on the last day of the tendering period. Thereafter, all unconfirmed orders shall be deemed to be rejected. For all confirmed custodian participant orders, order modification shall revoke the custodian confirmation and the revised order shall be sent to the custodian again for confirmation.
- 12.6.4 Upon placing the order, the Shareholder Broker shall provide transaction registration slip ("TRS") generated 14. by the exchange bidding system to the Eligible Shareholders. TRS will contain the details of order submitted like Bid ID No., DP ID, Client ID, number of Equity Shares tendered, etc.

#### Procedure to be followed by Eligible Shareholders holding Equity Shares in physical form: 12.7

- 12.7.1 Eligible Shareholders who are holding Equity Shares in physical form and intend to participate in the Buyback Offer will be required to approach their Shareholder Broker along with the complete set of documents for verification procedures to be carried out including the (i) tender form duly signed (by all shareholders in case Equity Shares are held in joint names) in the same order in which they hold Equity Shares (ii) original share certificate(s), (iii) valid Form SH 4 (share transfer form) duly filled and signed by the Eligible Shareholders (by all shareholders in same order as registered with the Company) and duly witnessed at the appropriate place authorizing the transfer in favour of the Company. (iv) Affidavit made on appropriate non judicial stamp paper duly verified before a Notary confirming their signature, an original unsigned cancelled cheque and banker's attestation of the Eligible Shareholders signature and address. (v) self-attested copy of the Eligible Shareholders' PAN Card and (vi) any other relevant documents such as power of attorney. corporate authorization (including board resolution / specimen signature), notarized copy of death certificate and succession certificate or probated will, if the original shareholder has deceased, etc., as applicable. In addition, if the address of the Eligible Shareholder has undergone a change from the address registered in the register of members of the Company, the Eligible Shareholder would be required to submit a self-attested copy of address proof consisting of any one of the following documents, viz. valid aadhar card, voter identity card or passport. In the event, any of the above referred details are not provided, then the Company may decide the validity of such bid / Tender Form in consultation with the Registrar and the Manager.
- 12.7.2 Based on these documents, the concerned Shareholder Broker shall place a bid on behalf of the Fligible Shareholders holding physical shares and who wish to tender Equity Shares in the Buy-back Offer, using the acquisition window of BSE. Upon placing the bid, the Shareholder Broker shall provide a TRS generated by the stock exchange bidding system to the shareholder. TBS will contain the details of order submitted such as the folio no., certificate no., distinctive no., number of Equity Shares tendered etc.
- 12.7.3 The Shareholder Broker/Eligible Shareholder who placed bid for physical shares, has to deliver the original share certificate(s) and documents (as mentioned in paragraph 12.7.1 above) along with TRS generated by exchange bidding system upon placing of bid, either by registered post or courier or hand delivery to the Begistrar to the Buy-back Offer i.e. Link Intime India Private Limited ("Registrar") (at the address mentioned at paragraph 15 below or the collection centre of the Begistrar details of which will be included in the Letter of Offer) within 2 (two) days of bidding by Shareholder Broker. The envelope should be super scribed as "Paushak Limited Buyback 2018". One copy of the TRS will be retained by Registrar and they will provide an acknowledgement of the same to the Shareholder Broker / Fligible Shareholder
- 12.7.4 Eligible Shareholders holding physical Equity Shares should note that physical Equity Shares will not be 17. LEGAL ADVISOR TO THE COMPANY accepted unless the complete set of documents are submitted. Acceptance of the physical Equity Shares for the Buy-back Offer shall be subject to verification as per the Buy-back Regulations and any further directions issued in this regard. The Registrar will verify such bids based on the documents submitted on a daily basis and till such time BSE shall display such bids as 'unconfirmed physical bids'. Once the Registrar confirms the bids, it will be treated as 'confirmed bids'.
- 12.8 Modification / cancellation of orders will be allowed during the tendering period of the Buy-back Offer. 12.9 The cumulative quantity tendered shall be made available on BSE's website at www.bseindia.com throughout
- the trading sessions and will be updated at specific intervals during the tendering period.

#### 13. METHOD OF SETTLEMENT

- 13.1. Upon finalization of the basis of acceptance as per Buy-back Regulations, the settlement of trades shall be carried out in the manner similar to settlement of trades in secondary market and as intimated by the Clearing Corporation from time to time.
- 13.2 The Company will transfer the consideration pertaining to the Buy-back Offer to the Clearing Corporation's bank account through the Company's Broker as per secondary market mechanism and the prescribed schedule. For demat Equity Shares accepted under the Buy-back Offer, the Clearing Corporation will make direct funds pay-out to respective Eligible Shareholders. If Eligible Shareholders' bank account details are not

available or if the funds transfer instruction is rejected by Reserve Bank of India or relevant bank due to any reason, then the amount payable to the Eligible Shareholders will be transferred to the concerned Shareholder Broker for onward transfer to such Fligible Shareholder holding Equity Shares in dematerialized form

- In case of certain client types viz. NRI, foreign clients etc. (where there are specific RBI and other regulatory requirements pertaining to funds pay-out) who do not opt to settle through custodians, the funds pay-out would be given to their respective Shareholder Broker's settlement accounts for releasing the same to the respective Eligible Shareholder's account. For this purpose, the client type details would be collected from the Depositories, whereas funds pay-out pertaining to the bids settled through custodians will be transferred to the settlement bank account of the custodian, each in accordance with the applicable mechanism prescribed by the designated stock exchange and the Clearing Corporation from time to time.
- For the Eligible Shareholders holding Equity Shares in physical form, the funds pay-out would be given to 13.4 their respective Shareholder Broker's settlement accounts for releasing the same to the respective Eligible Shareholder's account
- 13.5 The Equity Shares bought back in dematerialized form would be transferred directly to the escrow demat account of the Company ("Company Demat Escrow Account") provided it is indicated by the Company's Broker or it will be transferred by the Company's Broker to the Company Demat Escrow Account on receipt of the Equity Shares from the clearing and settlement mechanism of designated stock exchange.
- 13.6 Excess Equity Shares or unaccepted Equity Shares, in dematerialised form, if any, tendered by the Eligible Shareholders would be transferred by the Clearing Corporation directly to the respective Eligible Shareholder's depository participant ("DP") account. If the securities transfer instruction is rejected in the Depository system, due to any issue then such securities will be transferred to the Shareholder Broker's depository pool account for onward transfer to the respective Eligible Shareholder. The shareholders of the demat Equity Shares will have to ensure that they keep the DP account active and unblocked to receive credit in case of return of demat Equity Shares, due to rejection or due to non-acceptance in the Buy-back Offer.
- Any excess Equity Shares, in physical form, pursuant to proportionate acceptance / rejection will be returned back to the Eligible Shareholders directly by the Registrar. The Company is authorized to split the share certificate and issue new consolidated share certificate for the unaccepted Equity Shares, in case the Equity Shares accepted by the Company are less than the Equity Shares tendered in the Buy-back by Eligible Shareholders holding Equity Shares in the physical form.
- The Shareholder Broker would issue contract note for the Equity Shares accepted under the Buy-back Offer. The Company's Broker would also issue a contract note to the Company for the Equity Shares accepted under the Buy-back Offer.
- Eligible Shareholders who intend to participate in the Buy-back Offer should consult their respective Shareholder Broker for payment to them of any cost, applicable taxes, charges and expenses (including brokerage) that may be levied by the Shareholder Broker upon the selling Eligible Shareholder for tendering Equity Shares in the Buy-back Offer (secondary market transaction) The Manager to the Buy-back Offer and Company accepts no responsibility to bear or pay any additional cost applicable taxes, charges and expenses (including brokerage) levied by the Shareholder Broker and such costs will be incurred solely by the Eligible Shareholders.
- 13.10 The Equity Shares lying to the credit of the Company Demat Escrow Account and the Equity Shares bought back and accepted in physical form will be extinguished in the manner and following the procedure prescribed in the Buy-back Regulations.

#### COMPLIANCE OFFICER

Investors may contact the compliance officer to the Buy-back Offer for any clarifications or to address their grievances, if any, during office hours i.e. 10.00 a.m. to 5.00 p.m. on all working days except Saturday, Sunday and public holidays, at the following address:

Mr. Charandeep Singh Saluja Company Secretary & Compliance Officer

### Paushak Limited

Alembic Road, Vadodara - 390 003, Gujarat, India. Email: paushak.investors@alembic.co.in | Tel: +91 265 2280550

### **REGISTRAR TO THE BUY-BACK / INVESTOR SERVICE CENTRE**

In case of any gueries, the Eligible Shareholders / beneficial owner of Equity Shares may contact the Registrar to the Buy-back Offer during office hours i.e. 10.00 a.m. to 5.00 p.m. on all working days except Saturday, Sunday and public holidays, at the following address:

## LINKIntime Link Intime India Private Limited C-101, 1st Floor, 247 Park, Lal Bahadur Shastri Marg, Vikhroli (West),

Mumbai - 400 083, Maharashtra, India. Tel: +91 22 4918 6200 | Fax: +91 22 4918 6195 Email: paushak.buyback2018@linkintime.co.in Website: www.linkintime.co.in Contact Person: Mr. Sumeet Deshnande SEBI Registration Number: INB000004058 | Validity: Permanent CIN: U67190MH1999PTC118368

16. MANAGER TO THE BUY-BACK

VIVRO

Vivro Financial Services Private Limited 607, 608 Marathon Icon, Opp. Peninsula Corporate Park, Off Ganpatrao Kadam Marg, Veer Santaji Lane, Lower Parel, Mumbai - 400 013, Maharashtra, India. Contact Person: Mr. Harish Patel / Mr. Sagar Jatakiya Email: investors@vivro.net | Website: www.vivro.net Tel: +91 22 6666 8040/41/42 | Fax: +91 22 6666 8047 SEBI Registration Number: INM000010122 | Validity: Permanent CIN: U67120GJ1996PTC029182

### Bathiya Legal

909, Hubtown Solaris, N. S. Phadke Road, Near East - West Flyover, Andheri (East), Mumbai - 400069, Maharashtra, India Tel: +91 22 6133 8050

#### 18. DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITY

As per Regulation 19(1)(a) of the Buy-back Regulations, the Board of Directors of the Company accepts responsibility for the information contained in this Public Announcement and confirms that such document contains true, factual and material information and does not contain any misleading information.

#### For and on behalf of the Board of Directors of Paushak Limited

| Sd/-                   | Sd/-                | Sd/-                          |
|------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------------|
| Chirayu Ramanbhai Amin | Abhijit Joshi       | Charandeep Singh Saluja       |
| Chairman               | Whole-time Director | Compliance Officer            |
| DIN: 00242549          | DIN: 06568584       | ICSI Membership No. ACS 28061 |
| Date: 13th March, 2018 |                     |                               |
| Place: Vadodara        |                     |                               |



### CERTIFIED TRUE COPY OF THE SPECIAL RESOLUTION PASSED BY THE SHAREHOLDERS OF THE COMPANY THROUGH POSTAL BALLOT/E-VOTING ON MONDAY, THE 12<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, 2018.

### APPROVAL FOR BUY-BACK OF EQUITY SHARES OF THE COMPANY:

"RESOLVED THAT in accordance with Article 8A of the Articles of Association of the Company and the provisions of sections 68, 69, 70 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 as amended from time to time ("the Act") and applicable rules made thereunder including the Companies (Share Capital and Debentures) Rules, 2014, if and to the extent applicable and in compliance with the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Buy Back of Securities) Regulations, 1998, as amended from time to time ("Buy-back Regulations") and further subject to such other approvals, permissions and sanctions as may be necessary and subject to such conditions and modifications, if any, as may be prescribed or imposed by the appropriate authorities while granting such approvals, permissions and sanctions, which may be agreed by the Board of Directors of the Company (herein referred to as the "Board" which term shall be deemed to include any committee which the Board may constitute to exercise its powers, including the powers conferred by this resolution), the consent of the members of the Company be and is hereby accorded for the buyback of 1,25,000 (One Lac Twenty Five Thousand) fully paid-up equity shares of the Company having face value of ₹10/- (Rupees Ten Only) each ("Equity **Share(s)**") (representing 3.90% of the total paid-up equity share capital of the Company) at a price not exceeding ₹1,700/- (Rupees One Thousand Seven Hundred only) ("Maximum Buy-back Price") per Equity Share payable in cash for a total consideration not exceeding ₹21,25,00,000/- (Rupees Twenty One Crore Twenty Five Lac Only), excluding transaction costs viz. fees, brokerage, applicable taxes such as securities transaction tax, goods and service tax, stamp duty, etc., ("Transaction Costs") (hereinafter referred to as "Maximum Buyback Size"), which is within 25% of the total paid-up capital and free reserves (including securities premium account) as per the audited standalone financial statements of the Company for the nine months period ended 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2017, through the "Tender Offer" route as prescribed under the Buy-back Regulations (hereinafter referred to as "Buy-back Offer"), on a proportionate basis, from the equity shareholders / beneficial owners of the equity shares of the Company as on the record date to be decided at a later stage including those who are promoters and members of promoter group.

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** at the Maximum Buy-back Price of ₹1,700/-(Rupees One Thousand Seven Hundred only) per Equity Share and for the Maximum Buy-back Size up to ₹21,25,00,000/- (Rupees Twenty One Crore Twenty Five Lac Only), the indicative number of equity shares that can be bought back would be 1,25,000 (One Lac Twenty Five Thousand) fully paid-up equity shares representing 3.90% of the total issued and paid-up equity share capital of the Company; and in the event the final buy-back price is lower than ₹1,700/- (Rupees One Thousand Seven Hundred Only) per Equity Share, the indicative number of shares and percentage thereof may go up accordingly.

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**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** as required under Regulation 6 of the Buy-back Regulations, the Company shall buy-back the equity shares from the equity shareholders on a proportionate basis under the Tender Offer, provided 15% of the number of equity shares which the Company proposes to buy-back or number of equity shares entitled as per the shareholding of small shareholders as on record date, whichever is higher, shall be reserved for small shareholders in accordance with the provisions of the Buy-back Regulations.

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Company shall earmark adequate sources of funds for the purpose of the Buy-back Offer and the amount required by the Company for the Buy-back Offer is intended to be met out of the Company's free reserves and / or current surplus and / or cash and cash equivalents and / or internal accruals and / or liquid resources and/or such other permissible sources of funds (and not from any borrowed funds) of the Company as the Board or a duly authorized representative thereof may decide from time to time.

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Company shall implement the Buy-back Offer using the "Mechanism for acquisition of shares through Stock Exchange" as notified by SEBI vide circular No. CIR/CFD/POLICYCELL/1/2015 dated April 13, 2015 read with SEBI circular CFD/DCR2/CIR/P/2016/131 dated December 9, 2016, as amended from time to time and the Company shall approach BSE Limited to act as the designated stock exchange for the proposed Buy-back Offer.

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Buy-back Offer would be subject to the condition of maintaining minimum public shareholding requirements as specified in Regulation 38 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements), Regulations 2015, as amended (**"Listing Regulations"**).

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Board be and is hereby authorized to do or to delegate all or any of the powers, including but not limited to the powers herein conferred to any committee thereof or other director(s) or executive(s) / officer(s) of the Company, either jointly and / or severally, as may be necessary, expedient or proper with regard to the implementation of the Buy-back Offer including:

- 1. fixing the specific buy-back price and number of equity shares within the Maximum Buy-back Size and other related particulars before making the Public Announcement for Buy-back Offer.
- the finalization of the terms of the Buy-back Offer, sign the public announcement, draft letter of offer, letter of offer, post Buy-back Offer announcement and addendum/corrigenda thereto, all the forms, documents, applications, undertakings and such other documents as may be required in connection with the Buy-back Offer;
- 3. the appointment of legal advisors, broker, registrar, advertising agency, printers, escrow agents, and other advisors, consultants or representatives for the Buy-back Offer as may be required or deemed fit;

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- fix up the remuneration including commission, brokerage, fees, charges etc. and terms & conditions for the appointments referred to in point 3 above;
- 5. fix record date in accordance with the Buy-back Regulations for determining the eligible shareholders from whom the buy-back of Equity Shares shall be made;
- 6. to prepare, modify, make alterations, additions, deletions, variations, amendments or correction to and approve / file the final public announcement, draft letter of offer and final letter of offer, filing of declaration of solvency, certificate of extinguishment of equity shares and, extinguishment of equity shares in dematerialized form and also physical destruction of share certificates and all other documents / acts required to be filed / done in connection with the Buy-back Offer with Securities and Exchange Board of India ("SEBI"), Stock Exchange, Registrar of Companies Gujarat ("ROC"), National Securities Depository Limited, Central Depository Services (India) Limited together referred as ("Depositories") and other appropriate authorities;
- make all the applications to the appropriate authorities for their requisite approvals;
- open, operate and close all the necessary accounts such as broking account, escrow account, special account(s) and any other bank account(s) and depository account for the purpose of the Buy-back Offer and authorize persons to operate the said accounts;
- 9. arrange for bank guarantees as may be necessary for the Buy-back Offer in accordance with applicable laws;
- 10.decide source of funds for paying the consideration to the equity shareholders who have tendered their equity shares in the Buy-back Offer;
- 11.settle all such questions, difficulties or doubts that may arise in relation to the implementation of the Buy-back Offer; and
- 12.make any alteration(s), modification(s), to the terms and conditions of the Buy-back Offer in accordance with the statutory requirements and as it may deem necessary.

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** nothing contained herein above shall confer any right on the part of any shareholder to offer or any obligation on the part of the Company or the Board to buy-back any equity shares and / or impair any power of the Company or the Board to terminate any process in relation to such Buy-back Offer as permissible by law.

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the buy-back of equity shares from non-resident shareholders, overseas corporate bodies, shareholders of foreign nationality, etc. shall be subject to such approval, if and to the extent necessary or required from concerned authorities including approvals from the Reserve Bank of India under the Foreign Exchange Management Act, 1999 and relevant rules and regulations framed thereunder, if any.

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**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** all acts, deeds, matters and things, either verbal or written or otherwise, already done by the Company and / or by any of its directors and / or officers and / or representatives for and in the name of the Company in regard to Buy-back Offer be and are hereby ratified and approved."

For Paushak Limited Charandeep Singh Saluja Company Secretary



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