



Indian Metals & Ferro Alloys Limited

(CIN: L27101OR1961PLC000428)

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Notice of Annual General Meeting

NOTICE is hereby given that the 61st Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the members of INDIAN METALS & FERRO ALLOYS LIMITED will be held on Wednesday, the 26th July, 2023 at 11.00AM, Indian Standard Time ("IST") through Video Conferencing/Other Audio Visual Means ("VC/OAVM") to transact following business:

Ordinary Business:

1. To receive, consider and adopt the Audited Financial Statement including Consolidated Financial Statement of the Company for the year ended 31st March, 2023 together with the Reports of the Directors and the Auditors thereon.
2. To confirm the payment of Interim Dividend and to declare Final Dividend on equity shares for the Financial Year 2022-23.

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass with or without modification(s), the following resolution as an **Ordinary Resolution:**

"**RESOLVED THAT** interim dividend for the year ended 31st March 2023 at the rate of ₹ 5/- (Rupees Five only) per equity share on 5,39,54,106 equity shares of face value of ₹ 10/- each paid to the members whose name appeared on the Register of Members on 4th November, 2022 be and is hereby approved and confirmed."

"**RESOLVED THAT** pursuant to recommendations made by the Board of Directors of the Company, a final dividend of ₹ 5/- (Rupees Five only) per equity share on 5,39,54,106 equity shares of face value of ₹ 10/- each be declared for the year ended 31st March, 2023 and the said dividend be paid to all members whose names appear on the Register of Members as on 22nd July, 2023."

3. To appoint a Director in place of Mr Chitta Ranjan Ray (holding DIN: 00241059) who retires by rotation and, being eligible, offers himself for re-appointment.

Special Business:

4 Ratification of Cost Auditors' Remuneration

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass with or without modification(s), the following resolution as an **Ordinary Resolution:**

"**RESOLVED THAT** pursuant to the provisions of Section 148 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 and the rules made thereunder (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force) the appointment of M/s S.S. Sonthalia & Co, Cost Accountants (Firm Registration No : 000167) as Cost Auditor of the Company for Financial Year 2023-24 on a remuneration of ₹ 95,000/- (Rupees Ninety Five Thousand only) plus out of pocket expenses, if any, and applicable taxes be and is hereby ratified."

By Order of the Board of Directors
For Indian Metals & Ferro Alloys Limited

Sd/-
(Prem Khandelwal)
CFO & Company Secretary

Place: Bhubaneswar
Date : 30th May, 2023
Registered office:
IMFA Building, Bomikhal Rasulggarh,
Bhubaneswar - 751010, Odisha
Email: investor-relation@imfa.in

Important Notes:

1. The Explanatory Statement pursuant to Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act") setting out material facts concerning the business under Item Nos. 4 of the accompanying Notice, is annexed hereto. The Board of Directors of the Company at its meeting held on 30th May, 2023 considered that the special business under Item Nos. 4 being considered unavoidable, be transacted at the 61st AGM of the Company.
2. **General instructions for accessing and participating in the 61st AGM through VC/OAVM Facility and voting through electronic means including remote e-Voting**
 - a. The Ministry of Corporate Affairs ("MCA") inter-alia vide its General Circular Nos. 14/ 2020 dated April 8, 2020 and 17/2020 dated April 13, 2020, followed by General Circular Nos. 20/2020 dated May 5, 2020, and subsequent circulars issued in this regard, the latest being 10/2022 dated December 28, 2022 (collectively referred to as "**MCA Circulars**") has permitted the holding of the annual general meeting through Video Conferencing ("**VC**") or through other audio-visual means ("**OAVM**"), **without the physical presence of the Members at a common venue**. The deemed venue for the 61st AGM shall be the Registered Office of the Company. In compliance with the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 ("**the Act**"), SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("**Listing Regulations**") and MCA Circulars, the 61st Annual General Meeting ("**Meeting**" or "**AGM**") of the Company is being held through VC / OAVM on Wednesday, July 26, 2023, at 11:00 a.m. (IST).
 - b. **PURSUANT TO THE CIRCULAR NO. 14/2020 DATED 08TH APRIL, 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 61ST AGM. HOWEVER, THE BODY CORPORATES ARE ENTITLED TO APPOINT AUTHORISED REPRESENTATIVES TO ATTEND THE 61ST AGM THROUGH VC/OAVM AND PARTICIPATE THERE AT AND CAST THEIR VOTES THROUGH E-VOTING.**
 - c. In line with the MCA Circulars and SEBI Circular, the Notice of the AGM will be available on the website of the Company at www.imfa.in, on the website of BSE Limited and National Stock Exchange of India Limited at www.bseindia.com and www.nseindia.com respectively.
 - d. AGM Notice is also available on the website of NSDL (agency for providing the Remote e-Voting facility) i.e. www.evoting.nsdl.com.
 - e. Since the AGM will be held through VC/OAVM Facility, the Route Map is not annexed in this Notice.
 - f. National Securities Depositories Limited ("NSDL") will be providing facility for voting through remote e-Voting, for participation in the AGM through VC/OAVM Facility and e-Voting during the 61st AGM.
 - g. Members may join the AGM through VC/OAVM Facility by following the procedure as mentioned below which shall be kept open for the Members **from 10:30 A.M. IST i.e. 30 minutes before the time** scheduled to start the AGM and the Company may close the window for joining the VC/OAVM Facility 15 minutes after the scheduled time to start the AGM.

- h. Members may note that the VC/OAVM Facility, provided by NSDL, allows participation of at least 1,000 Members on a first-come-first-served basis. The large shareholders (i.e. 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. can attend the AGM without any restriction on account of first-come-first-served principle.
- i. Attendance of the Members participating in the AGM through VC/OAVM Facility shall be counted for the purpose of reckoning the quorum under Section 103 of the Act.
- j. Pursuant to the provisions of Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 (as amended) and Regulation 44 of SEBI (Listing Obligations & Disclosure Requirements) Regulations 2015 (as amended), and the Circulars issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs dated 08th April, 2020, 13th April, 2020 and 05th May, 2020 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 venue voting on the date of the 61st AGM will be provided by NSDL.

3. INSTRUCTIONS FOR MEMBERS FOR REMOTE E-VOTING AND JOINING ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING ARE AS UNDER:-

- a. **The remote e-voting period begins on 22nd July, 2023 at 9 A.M. and ends on 25th July, 2023 at 5.00 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. 19th July, 2023, 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 19th July, 2023. Once the vote on a resolution is cast by the Member, the Member shall not be allowed to change it subsequently.**
- b. A person who is not a Member as on the cut-off date should treat this Notice of 61st AGM for information purpose only.

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 9th December, 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:

Type of shareholders	Login Method
Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with NSDL.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Existing IDEAS user can visit the e-Services website of NSDL Viz. https://eservices.nsd.com either on a Personal Computer or on a mobile. On the e-Services home page click on the "Beneficial Owner" icon under "Login" which is available under 'IDEAS' section, this will prompt you to enter your existing User ID and Password. After successful authentication, you will be able to see e-Voting services under Value added services. Click on "Access to e-Voting" under e-Voting services and you will be able to see e-Voting page. Click on company name or e-Voting service provider i.e. NSDL and you will be re-directed to e-Voting website of NSDL for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting. If you are not registered for IDEAS e-Services, option to register is available at https://eservices.nsd.com. Select "Register Online for IDEAS Portal" or click at https://eservices.nsd.com/SecureWeb/IdeasDirectReg.jsp. Visit the e-Voting website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the following URL: https://www.evoting.nsd.com/ either on a Personal Computer or on a mobile. Once the home page of e-Voting system is launched, click on the icon "Login" which is available under 'Shareholder/Member' section. A new screen will open. You will have to enter your User ID (i.e. your sixteen digit demat account number hold with NSDL), Password/OTP and a Verification Code as shown on the screen. After successful authentication, you will be redirected to NSDL Depository site wherein you can see e-Voting page. Click on company name or e-Voting service provider 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. Shareholders/Members can also download NSDL Mobile App "NSDL Speede" facility by scanning the QR code mentioned below for seamless voting experience. <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center;"> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div> </div>
Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with CDSL	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Users who have opted for CDSL Easi / Easiest facility, can login through their existing user id and password. Option will be made available to reach e-Voting page without any further authentication. The users to login Easi /Easiest are requested to visit CDSL website www.cdslindia.com and click on login icon & New System Myeasi Tab and then use your existing my easi username & password. 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. 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. 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 e-voting 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	<p>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.</p>

Important note: Members who are unable to retrieve User ID/Password are advised to use Forget User ID and Forget Password option available at above mentioned 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 evoting@nsdl.co.in or call at 022 - 4886 7000 and 022 - 2499 7000
Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with CDSL	Members facing any technical issue in login can contact CDSL helpdesk by sending a request at helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com or contact at toll free no. 1800 22 55 33

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: <https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/> 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 or CDSL) or Physical	Your User ID is:
a) For Members who hold shares in demat account with NSDL.	8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digit Client 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 account with CDSL.	16 Digit Beneficiary ID For example if your Beneficiary ID is 12***** then your user ID is 12*****
c) For Members holding shares in Physical Form.	EVEN Number followed by Folio Number 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 use 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 evoting@nsdl.co.in 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.
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 vote 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 sourjya_biswajit@yahoo.com with a copy marked to evoting@nsdl.co.in. 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 log in.
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 and 022 - 2499 7000 or send a request to Ms. Pallavi Mhatre at evoting@nsdl.co.in.

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.

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 investor-relation@imfa.in.
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 investor-relation@imfa.in. 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.co.in for procuring user id and password for e-voting by providing above mentioned documents.
4. In terms of SEBI circular dated 9th December, 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.
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. Members can submit questions in advance with regard to the financial statements or any other agenda matter to be placed at the 61st AGM, from their registered email address, mentioning their name, DP ID and Client ID number/folio number and mobile number, to reach the Company's email address investor-relation@imfa.in on or before 19th July, 2023. Such questions by the Members shall be taken up during the meeting and replied by the Company suitably.

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.
6. Members who would like to ask questions pertaining to agenda items to be placed at 61st AGM as a Speaker at the Meeting may pre-register themselves by sending a request from their registered e-mail address mentioning their names, DP ID and Client ID/ folio number, PAN and mobile number at secretarial@imfa.in between Wednesday, 19th July 2023 (9.00 a.m. IST) and Friday, 21st July 2023 (5.00 p.m. IST). Only those Members who have pre-registered themselves as a Speaker will be allowed to ask questions during the AGM. The Company reserves the right to restrict the number of Speakers depending on the availability of time for the AGM and other situational factors.
7. The Company reserves the right to restrict the number of questions as appropriate, for smooth conduct of the AGM.

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 link" placed under **"Join General meeting"** menu against company name. You are requested to click on VC/OAVM link placed under Join General 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.
8. Members who need assistance before or during the AGM, can contact Ms. Pallavi Mhatre, Senior Manager, NSDL at evoting@nsdl.co.in or call 022 - 4886 7000 and 022 - 2499 7000.
4. **OTHER GUIDELINES FOR MEMBERS**
 - a. The voting rights of Members shall be in proportion to their share in the paid up equity share capital of the Company as on the cut-off date of 19th July, 2023.
 - b. Any person, who acquires shares of the Company and becomes Member of the Company after the Company sends the Notice of the AGM by email and holds shares as on the cut-off date i.e. 19th July, 2023, may obtain the User ID and password by sending a request to the Company's email address investor-relation@imfa.in. However, if you are already registered with NSDL for remote e-Voting then you can use your existing user ID and password for casting your vote. If you forgot your password, you can reset your password by using "Forgot User Details/Password?" or "Physical User Reset Password?" option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com.

- c. A person, whose name is recorded in the Register of Members or in the Register of Beneficial Owners maintained by the depositories as on the cut-off date only shall be entitled to avail the facility of remote e-Voting or casting vote through e-Voting system during the meeting.
- d. Mr Sourjya Prakash Mohapatra, Chartered Accountant (Membership Number 052805) has been appointed as the Scrutinizer to scrutinize the remote e-Voting process and casting vote through the e-Voting system during the meeting in a fair and transparent manner.
- e. During the 61st AGM, the Chairman shall, after response to the questions raised by the Members in advance at the 61st AGM, formally propose to the Members participating through VC/OAVM Facility to vote on the resolutions as set out in the Notice of the 61st AGM and announce the start of the casting of vote through the e-Voting system. After the Members participating through VC/OAVM Facility, eligible and interested to cast votes, have cast the votes, the e-Voting will be closed with the formal announcement of closure of the 61st AGM.
- f. The Scrutinizer shall after the conclusion of e-Voting at the 61st AGM, first download the votes cast at the AGM and thereafter unblock the votes cast through remote e-Voting and shall make a consolidated scrutinizer's report of the total votes cast in favour or against, invalid votes, if any, and whether the resolution has been carried or not, and such Report shall then be sent to the Chairman or a person authorized by him, within two working days from the conclusion of the 61st AGM, who shall then countersign and declare the result of the voting forthwith.
- g. The Results declared along with the report of the Scrutinizer shall be placed on the website of the Company at www.imfa.in and on the website of NSDL at www.evoting.nsdl.com immediately after the declaration of Results by the Chairman or a person authorized by him. The results shall also be immediately forwarded to the BSE and NSE.
5. Pursuant to the MCA Circulars and SEBI Circular, Notice of the 61st AGM and the Annual Report for the FY 22-23 including therein the Audited Financial Statements, are being sent only by email to the Members. Therefore, those Members, whose email address is not registered with the Company or with their respective Depository Participant/s, and who wish to receive the Notice of the 61st AGM and the Annual Report for the FY 22-23 and all other communication sent by the Company, from time to time, can get their email address registered by following the steps as given below:-
- For Members holding shares in physical form, please send scan copy of a signed request letter mentioning your folio number, complete address, email address to be registered along with scanned self attested copy of the PAN and any document (such as Driving Licence, Passport, Bank Statement, AADHAR) supporting the registered address of the Member, by email to the Company's email address investor-relation@imfa.in.
 - For the Members holding shares in demat form, please update your email address through your respective Depository Participant/s.
6. The Notice of the 61st AGM and the Annual Report for the Financial year 2022-23 including therein the Audited Financial Statements for the Financial year 2022-23, will be available on the website of the Company at www.imfa.in and the website of BSE Limited and National Stock Exchange of India Limited at www.bseindia.com and www.nseindia.com respectively. The Notice of 61st AGM will also be available on the website of NSDL at www.evoting.nsdl.com.
7. The Register of Members and the Share Transfer books of the Company will remain closed from 24th July, 2023 to 26th July, 2023, both days inclusive, for annual closing and determining the entitlement of the Members to the Final Dividend for FY23.
8. The Board of Directors has recommended Final Dividend of ₹ 5/- per Equity Share of ₹ 10.00 each for the year ended 31st March 2023 that is proposed to be paid on and from 27th July 2023, subject to the approval of the shareholders at the 61st AGM. During the Financial year 2023, Interim Dividend of ₹ 5/- per equity share was paid to the shareholders as per their shareholding in the Company as on 4th November 2022 (Record Date).
9. Pursuant to the amendments in the Income Tax Act, dividend income is taxable in the hands of the shareholders from 1st April 2020 and the Company is required to deduct tax at source ("TDS") from dividend paid to the Members at prescribed rates in the Income Tax Act, 1961 ("the IT Act"). In general, to enable compliance with TDS requirements, Members are requested to complete and / or update their Residential Status, PAN, Category as per the IT Act with their Depository Participants or in case shares are held in physical form, with the Company by sending email to the Company's email address at investor-relation@imfa.in.

10. The dividend/s, if any, approved by the Members or declared by the Board of Directors of the Company from time to time, will be paid as per the mandate registered with the Company or with their respective Depository Participants.
11. Pursuant to the provisions of Section 124 of the Act, Investor Education and Protection Fund Authority (Accounting, Audit, Transfer and Refund) Rules, 2016 ("IEPF Rules") read with the relevant circulars and amendments thereto, the amount of dividend remaining unpaid or unclaimed for a period of seven years from the due date is required to be transferred to the Investor Education and Protection Fund ("IEPF"), constituted by the Central Government. The Company had, accordingly, transferred ₹ 4,52,630 being the unpaid and unclaimed dividend amount pertaining to Dividend 2014-2015, during the financial year 2022-23, to the IEPF.
- The Company has been sending reminders to Members having unpaid/ unclaimed dividends before transfer of such dividend(s) to IEPF. Details of the unpaid/ unclaimed dividend are also uploaded on the website of the Company at www.imfa.in. Members who have not encashed Dividend 2016-2017 or any subsequent dividend declared by the Company, are advised to write to the Company immediately.
12. Pursuant to the provisions of IEPF Rules, all shares in respect of which dividend has not been paid or claimed for seven consecutive years shall be transferred by the Company to the designated Demat Account of the IEPF Authority ("IEPF Account") within a period of thirty days of such shares becoming due to be transferred to the IEPF Account. Accordingly, 41,101 Equity Shares of ₹ 10/- each on which the dividend remained unpaid or unclaimed for seven consecutive years, were transferred during the financial year 2022-23, to the IEPF Account, after following the prescribed procedure.
- Further, Members who have not claimed / encashed their dividends in the last seven consecutive years from 2017 are advised to claim the same. In case valid claim is not received, the Company will proceed to transfer the respective shares to the IEPF Account in accordance with the procedure prescribed under the IEPF Rules.
13. To prevent fraudulent transactions, Members are advised to exercise due diligence and notify the Company of any change in address or demise of any Member as soon as possible. Members are also advised to not leave their demat account(s) dormant for long. Periodic statement of holdings should be obtained from the concerned Depository Participant and holdings should be verified from time to time.
14. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) has mandated the submission of Permanent Account Number (PAN) by every participant in securities market. Members holding shares in electronic form are therefore, requested to submit the PAN to their Depository Participants with whom they are maintaining their demat accounts. Members holding shares in physical form can submit their PAN details to the Company.
15. In terms of the Listing Regulations, securities of listed companies can only be transferred in dematerialized form with effect from 1st April, 2019. In view of the above, Members are advised to dematerialize shares held by them in physical form.
16. Electronic copy of all the documents referred to in the accompanying Notice of the 61st AGM and the Explanatory Statement shall be available for inspection in the Investor Section of the website of the Company at www.imfa.in.
17. The Register of Directors and Key Managerial Personnel and their shareholding, maintained under section 170 of the Act and the Register of Contracts and Arrangements in which Directors are Interested, maintained under Section 189 of the Act, will be available electronically for inspection by the Members during the AGM. Members seeking to inspect such documents can send an e-mail to secretarial@imfa.in.
18. All document referred to in accompanying Notice & Explanatory Statement shall be available for inspection electronically. Members seeking to inspect such documents can send email to secretarial@imfa.in.
19. Details as required in sub-regulation (3) of Regulation 36 of the Listing Regulations and Secretarial Standard on General Meeting (SS-2) of ICSI, in respect of the Directors seeking appointment/ re-appointment at the 61st AGM, forms integral part of the Notice of the 61st AGM. Requisite declarations have been received from the Directors for seeking appointment/ re-appointment.
20. As per SEBI Circular No. SEBI/HO/MIRSD/MIRSD_RTAMB/P/CIR/2021/655 dated 3rd November, 2021 and SEBI/HO/MIRSD-Pod-1/P/CIR/2023/37 dated 16th March 2023 shareholders holding shares in physical forms are required to furnish KYC details in prescribed formats viz; Forms ISR-1, ISR-2, ISR-3, SH-13, SH-14. These forms are available on the Company website <https://www.imfa.in/investor-information/others.htm>. The Physical Folios wherein any one of the cited details/documents (i.e PAN, Bank Details, Nomination) are not available on or after 30th September, 2023, shall be frozen as per SEBI circular.
21. Shareholders are further advised to submit the physical share certificates for dematerialization at the earliest to avoid freezing of shares due to KYC non-compliance.

Explanatory Statement Pursuant to section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Pursuant to Regulation 36 (3) of the Listing Regulations

Item No. 4

Based on the recommendation of the Audit Committee the Board of Directors of the Company at their Meeting held on 30th May 2023 have appointed M/s S.S. Sonthalia & Co, as Cost Auditor of the Company for Financial Year 2023-24 on a remuneration of ₹ 95,000/- (Rupees Ninety Five Thousand only) plus out of pocket expenses and applicable taxes. In terms of Section 148(3) of the Companies Act, 2013 the remuneration has to be ratified by the members. It is, therefore, necessary for the members to pass an Ordinary Resolution under Section 148 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 as set out at Item No. 4 of the Notice.

None of the Directors and Key Managerial Personnel of the Company and their relatives is concerned or interested, financially or otherwise, in the resolution set out at Item No. 4.

The Board recommends the Ordinary Resolution set out in Item No. 4 for approval of the Members.

By Order of the Board of Directors
For Indian Metals & Ferro Alloys Limited

Place: Bhubaneswar
Date : 30th May, 2023
Registered office:
IMFA Building, Bomikhal Rasulgarh,
Bhubaneswar - 751010, Odisha
Email: investor-relation@imfa.in

Sd/-
(Prem Khandelwal)
CFO & Company Secretary

Annexure to Notice

INFORMATION PURSUANT TO REGULATION 36(3) OF SEBI (LISTING OBLIGATIONS AND DISCLOSURE REQUIREMENTS) REGULATIONS, 2015 AND APPLICABLE SECRETARIAL STANDARD ON DIRECTORS RECOMMENDED FOR RE-APPOINTMENT THROUGH AGM

1. Mr Chitta Ranjan Ray, (DIN: 00241059), Whole-time Director

Father's Name	Late Hem Chandra Ray
Date of Birth, Nationality, Age	19 th December, 1944, Indian, 79
Qualifications	B.Sc., AMIE (1)
Expertise in specific functional areas	Vast and rich experience in the field of ferro alloys, mining, power and corporate management.
Directorships held in other Companies	None
Member of Committees of the Board	1. Stakeholders Relationship Committee 2. Finance Committee 3. Corporate Social Responsibility Committee 4. Risk Management Committee
Member of Committees in other Companies	None
Key Terms and conditions of re-appointment and remuneration proposed to be paid	As per Item No. 5 of postal ballot resolution dated 4 th September, 2021
(i) Date of first appointment on Board (ii) Last drawn remuneration (iii) Number of Board Meeting attended during the year	(i) 31 st January, 2013 (ii) ₹ 82.19 Lakh during FY 2022-23 (iii) 4 (Four) Board Meetings attended during FY 2022-23.
Shares held in the Company	92
Relationships between Directors inter-se, Manager and other Key Managerial Personnel	None