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Dalal Street, Mumbai 400 001	Block, Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra (East), Mumbai - 400 051
Scrip Code: 542752	Symbol: AFFLE

#### Sub: Notice of Extra-ordinary General Meeting on March 24, 2021

Dear Sir/ Madam,

In furtherance to our communication dated February 27, 2021 with regard to approval of the Board of Directors ('Board') for raising of funds and pursuant to Regulation 29 and 30 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, please find enclosed a copy of the Notice together with explanatory statement thereto for the Extra-Ordinary General Meeting ('EGM') of the Company scheduled to be held on <u>Wednesday, March 24, 2021 at 10:00 A.M. (IST)</u> through Video Conferencing/ Other Audio Visual Means ('VC/OAVM') in compliance with various circulars issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs and the Securities and Exchange Board of India.

Notice of EGM is being sent to all the shareholders of the Company whose email addresses are registered with the Company or Depository Participant(s) as the requirement of sending physical copy of the notice to shareholders has been dispensed with. Notice of EGM is also made available on the Company's website at <u>https://www.affle.com</u>.

The cut-off date, to determine the shareholders who shall be entitled to vote on the resolutions as mentioned in the Notice of EGM is March 17, 2021. E-voting instructions are part of the Notice of EGM.

Submitted for your information and records.

Thanking you,

For Affle (India) Limited

Parmita Choudhury Company Secretary & Compliance Officer

Affle (India) Limited

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Notice is hereby given that an Extra Ordinary General Meeting (EGM) of the shareholders of Affle (India) Limited (the "Company") will be held on Wednesday, March 24, 2021 at 10:00 A.M (IST) through Video Conferencing (VC) or Other Audio Visual Means (OAVM):

**ITEM NO.1** 

#### SPECIAL BUSINESS

# To approve raising of funds and issuance of securities by the Company

To consider, and if thought fit, to pass the following resolution(s) as a **Special Resolution**:

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to and in accordance with the applicable provisions of Sections 23, 42, 62, 179 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 and the rules framed thereunder, including the Companies (Prospectus and Allotment of Securities) Rules, 2014 and the Companies (Share Capital and Debentures) Rules, 2014, including any amendment(s) thereto or reenactment(s) thereof for the time being in force (collectively, the "Companies Act"), all other applicable laws, rules and regulations, the Foreign Exchange Management Act, 1999, and the rules and regulations made thereunder, including the Foreign Exchange Management (Non-Debt Instruments) Rules, 2019, each as amended from time to time (collectively, "FEMA"), the relevant provisions of the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company, applicable provisions of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018, as amended (the "SEBI ICDR Regulations"), the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended, the listing agreements entered into by the Company with the BSE Limited ("BSE"), National Stock Exchange of India Limited ("NSE", and together with BSE, the "Stock Exchanges") where the equity shares of the Company of face value of ₹10 each ("Equity Shares") are listed and such other statutes, clarifications, rules, regulations, circulars, notifications, guidelines, if any, as may be applicable, as amended from time to time issued by the Government of India ("Government of India"), the Ministry of Corporate Affairs ("MCA"), the Reserve Bank of India ("RBI"), BSE, NSE, the Registrar of Companies, Maharashtra at Mumbai ("RoC"), the Securities and Exchange Board of India ("SEBI") and any other appropriate governmental or regulatory authority and subject to all other approval(s), consent(s), permission(s) and / or sanction(s) as may be required from various regulatory and statutory authorities, including the Government of India, the RBI, SEBI, MCA, RoC and the Stock Exchanges (hereinafter referred to as "Appropriate Authorities"), and subject to such terms, conditions and modifications as may be prescribed by any of the Appropriate Authorities while granting such approval(s), consent(s), permission(s) and/ or sanction(s), which may be agreed to by the Board of Directors of the Company (hereinafter referred to as the "Board", which term shall be deemed to mean and include any duly constituted committee thereof for the time being exercising the powers conferred by the Board), the approval of the members of the Company be and is hereby accorded to create, offer, issue and allot (including with provisions on firm and/or competitive basis, or such part of issue and for such categories of persons as may be permitted) such number of Equity Shares and/ or other securities convertible into or exchangeable into Equity Shares (including warrants or otherwise) (the "Securities") for cash, for an aggregate amount up to Rs.1,080 crores (Rupees One Thousand and

Eighty crores), inclusive of such premium as maybe fixed on the Securities, by way of private placement through one or more qualified institutions placement ("QIP") in accordance with Chapter VI of the SEBI ICDR Regulations, to eligible "qualified institutional buyers" as defined in Regulation 2(1)(ss) of the SEBI ICDR Regulations ("QIBs") or by way of preferential issue in accordance with Chapter V of the SEBI ICDR Regulations, or through any other permissible mode or any combination thereof of any of the above (the "Issue"), subject to applicable laws, through placement documents, private placement offer cum application letters and/ or such other documents/ writings/ circulars/ memoranda, on such terms and conditions considering the prevailing market conditions and other relevant factors wherever necessary, including securities premium, at such price or prices, (whether at prevailing market price(s) or at permissible discount or premium to market price(s) in terms of applicable regulations) and on such terms and conditions as the Board may determine in consultation with the book running lead manager(s) to be appointed for the Issue ("Lead Manager(s)"), including, without limitation, the total number of Securities to be issued, face value, fixing book closure terms if any, as the Board may in its absolute discretion decide, in each case subject to applicable law and on such terms and conditions as may be determined and deemed fit and appropriate by the Board, at the time of such issue and allotment considering the prevailing market conditions and other relevant factors in consultation with the Lead Manager(s) so as to enable the Company to list the Securities issued, on the Stock Exchanges.

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** in the event that Securities are offered to QIBs through a QIP, the following shall apply:

- 1. the Securities, or any combination thereof as may be decided by the Board and subject to applicable laws, will be allotted within 365 days from the date of passing of the special resolution of the shareholders of the Company or such other time as may be allowed under the SEBI ICDR Regulations, at a price which is not less than the price determined in accordance with Regulation 176(1) of the SEBI ICDR Regulations (the "**QIP Floor Price**"), with the authority to the Board to offer a discount of not more than 5% (five percent) on the QIP Floor Price or such other discount as may be permitted under SEBI ICDR Regulations to the QIP Floor Price;
- 2. the "*relevant date*" for the purpose of pricing of any Equity Shares to be issued, shall be the date of the meeting in which the Board or the committee of directors authorized by the Board decides to open the proposed QIP;
- 3. in case of allotment of eligible convertible securities, the "*relevant date*" for the purpose of pricing of such convertible securities shall be the date of the meeting in which the Board or the committee of directors authorized by the Board decides to open the proposed QIP, or the date on which the holders of the eligible convertible securities are entitled to apply for Equity Shares;
- 4. no single allottee shall be allotted more than 50% of the QIP size and the minimum number of allottees shall be in accordance with the SEBI ICDR Regulations; and
- 5. the Equity Shares and/ or other securities convertible into or exchangeable into Equity Shares (including warrants or otherwise) allotted in a QIP shall not be eligible for sale by the respective allottees, for a period of one year from the date of allotment, except on a recognized stock exchange or except as may be permitted from time to time by the SEBI ICDR Regulations.

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT**, in pursuance of the resolutions above:

- 1. the Securities to be so created, offered, issued and allotted, shall be subject to the provisions of the memorandum and articles of association of the Company; and
- 2. the Equity Shares created, offered, issue or allotted by the Company shall rank *pari passu* in all respects with the existing Equity Shares of the Company, in all respects.

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** for the purpose of giving effect to the above resolutions, the Board or a committee thereof be and is hereby authorised on behalf of the Company to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things including but not limited to finalization and approval of preliminary placement documents and placement documents, private placement offer-cum-application letters, determining the form and manner of the Issue, including the number of Securities to be allotted, issue price, date of the opening and closing of the Issue, or execution of various transaction documents, as the Board may in its absolute discretion deem fit and to settle all questions, difficulties or doubts that may arise in regard to the issue, offer or allotment of Equity Shares and/ or other securities convertible into or exchangeable into Equity Shares (including warrants or otherwise) and utilization of the proceeds as it may in its absolute discretion deem fit.

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** for the purpose of giving effect to the above, the Board, or a duly authorized committee, in consultation with the Lead Manager(s), advisors and/or other intermediaries as may be appointed in relation to the Issue, is authorized to take all actions and do all such acts, deeds, matters and things as it may, in its absolute discretion, deem necessary, desirable or expedient for the Issue and listing thereof with the Stock Exchanges or otherwise as may be required in relation to the Issue and to resolve and settle all questions and difficulties that may arise in the Issue, including finalization of the number of Securities to be issued in each tranche thereof, form, terms and timing of the Issue, utilization of Issue proceeds, to enter into and execute (and amend from time to time, as may be deemed appropriate by the Board in its sole discretion (subject to the conditions set forth in the resolutions herein), all such arrangements/ agreements with any Lead Managers, placement agents, managers, underwriters, lawyers, advisors, guarantors, depositories, custodians, registrars and all such agencies and intermediaries as may be involved or concerned in the Issue, including any amendments or supplements thereto, as necessary or appropriate and to remunerate all such agencies including by way of payment of commissions, brokerage, fees or the like and also to reimburse them out of pocket expenses incurred by them, and to finalize, approve and issue any document(s) or agreements including, but not limited, to placement documents, and filing such documents (in draft or final form) with any Indian or foreign regulatory authority or Stock Exchanges, sign all deeds, documents and writings, settle all questions, difficulties or doubts that may arise in regard to the Issue and other related, incidental or ancillary matters as the Board may deem fit at its absolute discretion, to make such other applications to concerned statutory or regulatory authorities as may be required in relation to the Issue and to agree to such conditions or modifications that may be imposed by any relevant authority or that may otherwise be deemed fit or proper by the Board or a duly authorised committee and to do all acts, deeds, matters and things in connection therewith and incidental thereto as the Board or a duly authorised committee in its absolute discretion deems fit and to settle any questions, difficulties or doubts that may arise in relation to the any of the aforesaid or otherwise in relation to the Issue.

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** in respect of the Issue, the Board or any duly authorised committee be and is hereby authorised to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things as it may in its sole and absolute discretion consider necessary, desirable or appropriate, including submitting the relevant application to the Stock Exchange(s) for obtaining in-principle approvals, listing of the Securities, filing of requisite documents/making declarations with the MCA, RoC, RBI, SEBI and any other statutory/regulatory authority(ies), and any other deed(s), document(s), declaration(s) as may be required under the applicable laws.

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Board or a duly authorised committee thereof be and is hereby authorised to delegate all or any of the powers herein conferred to any Director(s) or Officer(s) of the Company and to generally do all such acts, deeds, matters and things as may be required in connection with the aforesaid resolutions, including making necessary filings with the Stock Exchange(s) and statutory/ regulatory authorities and execution of any deeds and documents for and on behalf of the Company and to represent the Company before any governmental authorities, to give effect to this resolution."

# By Order of the Board of Directors For Affle (India) Limited

Parmita Choudhury Company Secretary & Compliance Officer Membership No. A26261

Date: February 27, 2021 Place: Gurugram

#### NOTES:

- 1. Explanatory Statement pursuant to Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013 ('Act'), as amended read with Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements), Regulations, 2015, as amended ('SEBI LODR Regulations'), which sets out details relating to Special Business (being considered unavoidable by the Board of Directors) at the meeting, is annexed hereto and forms part of the notice.
- 2. In view of the massive outbreak of the COVID-19 pandemic and the social distancing norms to be followed in the Country, the Ministry of Corporate Affairs ('MCA') has vide its General Circular No. 14/2020 dated April 08, 2020, Circular No.17/2020 dated April 13, 2020, Circular No.22/2020 dated June 15, 2020, Circular No.33/2020 dated September 28, 2020 and No. 39/2020 dated December 31, 2020 ('MCA Circulars') and SEBI has via circular no. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD1/CIR/P/2020/79 dated May 12, 2020 and SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD2/CIR/P/2021/11 dated January 15, 2021 (collectively referred to as 'SEBI Circulars') has permitted the holding of the EGM through Video Conferencing ('VC') / Other Audio Visual Means ('OAVM') facility without the physical presence of the Members at a common venue. In compliance with the provisions of the Act, the SEBI LODR Regulations and MCA Circulars, the EGM of the Company is being held through VC/OAVM facility.
- 3. The EGM is being held pursuant to the MCA Circulars through VC / OAVM facility, therefore physical attendance of Members has been dispensed with. Accordingly, the facility for appointment of proxies by the Members will not be available for the EGM and hence, the Proxy Form and Attendance Slip are not annexed to this Notice.

However, Corporate Members intending to authorize their representatives to attend & vote at the EGM through VC / OAVM facility on its behalf are requested to send duly certified copy of the relevant Board resolution to the Scrutinizer/Company.

- 4. The attendance of the Members attending the EGM through VC/OAVM facility shall be counted for the purpose of reckoning the quorum under Section 103 of the Companies Act, 2013.
- 5. Documents, if any referred to in the accompanying Notice and the Explanatory Statement can be obtained for inspection by writing to the Company at its email ID <u>compliance@affle.com</u> till the date of EGM.
- 6. Pursuant to Section 101 of the Act read with relevant Rules made thereunder, Companies can serve communications through electronic mode to those Members who have registered their e-mail address either with the Company or with the Depository Participants ('DP'). Members who hold shares in physical and have not registered their e-mail can now register the same by sending an email to Company Secretary and Compliance Officer of the Company at <u>compliance@affle.com</u>. Members holding Shares in demat form are requested to register their e-mail address with their DP only. The registered e-mail address will be used for sending future communications.
- 7. In compliance with the aforesaid MCA Circulars the Notice of EGM along with login details for joining the EGM through VC / OAVM facility including e-voting are being sent only through electronic mode to those Members whose e-mail address are registered with the Company or DP or RTA. Members may note that this Notice of EGM will also be available on Company's website (<u>https://www.affle.com</u>), Stock Exchange's website (<u>https://www.bseindia.com</u> and <u>https://www.nseindia.com</u>) and National Securities Depository Limited ('NSDL') website (<u>https://www.evoting.nsdl.com</u>).
- 8. The Notice of EGM will be sent to those Members / beneficial owners whose name will appear in the Register of Members / list of beneficiaries received from the Depositories as on February 26, 2021.
- 9. Members desiring any information/clarification on any matter to be placed at the EGM are requested to write to the Company at <u>compliance@affle.com</u> at least seven days in advance to enable the management to keep information ready at the EGM. Members desiring to seek information/clarification during the EGM can use the chat box facility provided by NSDL for the same.
- 10. 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 their PAN to their Depository Participants with whom they are maintaining their demat accounts. Members holding shares in physical form, if any, can submit their PAN to the RTA viz. 'KFin Technologies Private Limited.'
- 11. SEBI has mandated that securities of listed companies can be transferred only in dematerialized form w.e.f. April 1, 2019. Accordingly, the Company has stopped accepting any fresh lodgment of transfer of shares in physical form. In view of the above and to avail various benefits of dematerialization, Members are requested to dematerialize the shares held by them in physical form.
- 12. Members holding shares in single name and physical form are advised to make nomination in respect of their shareholding in the Company by submitting Form No. SH-13 in terms of Section 72 of the Act to the RTA. Members holding shares in electronic form may submit the same to their respective DP. Members who require communication in physical form in addition to e-communication or have any other queries, may write to the RTA or Company at its Registered Office address.
- 13. Non-Resident Indian Members are requested to inform RTA, immediately of:
  - a) Change in their residential status on return to India for permanent settlement;
  - b) Particulars of their bank account maintained in India with complete name, branch, account number, account type and address of the Bank with pin code number.

- 14. All correspondence including share transfer documents should be addressed to the RTA of the Company viz. KFin Technologies Private Limited, Selenium Tower B, Plot 31-32, Gachibowli, Financial District, Nanakramguda, Hyderabad 500032, email at <u>einward.ris@kfintech.com</u> or call KFin's toll free no. 1800-3454-001.
- 15. To comply with the provisions of Section 108 of the Act and the Rules framed thereunder, Regulation 44 of the SEBI LODR Regulations, Secretarial Standard 2 issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India and MCA Circulars, the Members are provided with the facility to cast their vote electronically through remote e-voting (prior to EGM) and e-voting (during the EGM) services provided by NSDL on all resolutions set forth in this Notice.
- 16. Only those Members who will be present in the EGM through VC / OAVM facility and have not cast 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 during the EGM.

The instructions for joining the EGM through VC / OAVM facility, remote e-voting and e-voting during the EGM are provided in the Notice of EGM under Note No. 17.

#### 17. INSTRUCTIONS FOR E-VOTING AND JOINING THE EGM ARE AS FOLLOWS:

#### A. INSTRUCTIONS FOR REMOTE E-VOTING PRIOR TO THE EGM

- i. The remote e-voting period commences on Sunday, March 21, 2021 (9:00 a.m. IST) and ends on Tuesday, March 23, 2021 (5:00 p.m. IST). During this period, Members holding shares either in physical form or in dematerialized form as on Wednesday, March 17, 2021 i.e. cut-off date, may cast their vote electronically. A person, whose name appears in the Register of Members or in the Register of Beneficial Owners maintained by the Depositories as on the cut-off date, shall be entitled to avail the facility of remote e-voting. The remote e-voting module shall be disabled by NSDL for voting thereafter.
- ii. The voting rights of Members shall be in proportion to their shares in the paid-up equity share capital of the Company as on the cut-off date. A person who is not a Member as on the cut-off date should treat this Notice for information purpose only.
- iii. Any person, who acquire shares and become Member of the Company after the date of electronic dispatch of the Notice and holding shares as on the cut-off date i.e. March 17, 2021, may obtain the login ID and password by sending a request at <u>evoting@nsdl.co.in</u>. However, if he/she is already registered with NSDL for remote e-voting then he/ she can use his/her existing User ID and password to cast the vote.
- iv. The details of the process and manner for remote e-voting are explained herein below:

Step 1: Log-in to NSDL e-voting system at https://www.evoting.nsdl.com

Step 2: Cast your vote electronically on NSDL e-voting system.

Details on Step 1 are mentioned below:

#### 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: <u>https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/</u> 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 'Shareholders' section.
- 3. A new screen will open. You will have to enter your User ID, your Password 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

<u>https://eservices.nsdl.com/</u> 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. Your password details are given below:
  - a) If you are already registered for e-Voting, then you can user your existing password to login and cast your vote.
  - b) If you are using NSDL e-Voting system for the first time, you will need to retrieve the 'initial password' which was communicated to you. Once you retrieve your 'initial password', you need to enter the 'initial password' and the system will force you to change your password.
  - c) How to retrieve your 'initial password'?
    - (i) If your email ID is registered in your demat account or with the company, your 'initial password' is communicated to you on your email ID. Trace the email sent to you from NSDL from your mailbox. Open the email and open the attachment i.e. a .pdf file. Open the .pdf file. The password to open the .pdf file is your 8 digit client ID for NSDL account, last 8 digits of client ID for CDSL account or folio number for shares held in physical form. The .pdf file contains your 'User ID' and your 'initial password'.
- 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) <u>**Physical User Reset Password**?</u>" (If you are holding shares in physical mode) option available on <u>www.evoting.nsdl.com</u>.
  - c) If you are still unable to get the password by aforesaid two options, you can send a request at <a href="mailto:evoting@nsdl.co.in">evoting@nsdl.co.in</a> mentioning your demat account number/folio number, your PAN, your name and your registered address.

- 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.

# **Details on Step 2 are mentioned below:**

### How to cast your vote electronically on NSDL e-Voting system?

- 1. After successful login at Step 1, you will be able to see the Home page of e-Voting. Click on e-Voting. Then, click on Active Voting Cycles.
- 2. After click on Active Voting Cycles, you will be able to see all the companies "EVEN" in which you are holding shares and whose voting cycle is in active status.
- 3. Select "EVEN" of company for which you wish to cast your vote.
- 4. Now you are ready for e-Voting as the Voting page opens.
- 5. 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.
- 6. Upon confirmation, the message "Vote cast successfully" will be displayed.
- 7. You can also take the printout of the votes cast by you by clicking on the print option on the confirmation page.
- 8. Once you confirm your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.

## GENERAL GUIDELINES FOR SHAREHOLDERS

- 1. Institutional / Corporate Shareholders (i.e. other than individuals, HUF, NRI, etc.) are required to send a 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 email to kiran3116@gmail.com with a copy marked to compliance@affle.com.
- 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 https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/ to reset the password.
- 3. In case of any query relating to remote e-voting you may refer the FAQs for Shareholders and e-voting user manual for Shareholders available at the download section of <u>https://www.evoting.nsdl.com.</u> Members, who need assistance, can contact NSDL officials Ms. Pallavi Mhatre or Ms. Sarita Mote at Toll free nos. : 1800 1020 990 and 1800 22 44 30 or send a request at <u>evoting@nsdl.co.in</u>.

# 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 <u>compliance@affle.com</u>.

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 compliance@affle.com.

#### **B.** INSTRUCTIONS FOR E-VOTING DURING THE EGM

- 1. The procedure for e-voting during the EGM is same as the instructions mentioned above for remote e-voting.
- 2. Only those Members / Shareholders, who will be present in the EGM through VC/OAVM facility and have not cast 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 during the EGM.
- 3. The details of the person who may be contacted for any grievances connected with the facility for e-voting during the EGM shall be the same as mentioned above for remote e-voting.

#### C. INSTRUCTIONS FOR ATTENDING THE EGM THROUGH VC / OAVM FACILITY

- 1. Members will be able to attend the EGM through VC/ OAVM facility provided by NSDL at <u>https://www.evoting.nsdl.com</u> by using their remote e-voting login credentials and selecting the EVEN for Company's EGM. 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. Further, Members can also use the OTP based login for logging into the e-voting system of NSDL.
- 2. The Members can join the EGM in the VC/OAVM mode 15 minutes before the scheduled time of the commencement of the Meeting by and upto 15 minutes thereafter by following the procedure mentioned in the Notice. The facility of participation at the EGM through VC/OAVM will be made available for 1000 members on first come first served basis. However, this number does not include 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. who are allowed to attend the EGM without restriction on account of first come first served basis.
- 3. Members joining through Laptops / Mobile devices are recommended to use stable Wi-Fi or LAN connection for better experience.
- 4. Members who would like to express their views or ask questions during the EGM may register themselves as a speaker by sending their request from their registered email address mentioning their name, DP ID and Client ID/folio number, PAN, mobile number at <u>compliance@affle.com</u> from March 21, 2021 (9:00 a.m. IST) to March 22, 2021 (5:00 p.m. IST). Those Members who have registered themselves as a speaker will only be allowed to express their views/ask questions during the EGM. The Company reserves the right to restrict the number of speakers depending on the availability of time for the EGM.
- 5. Members, who need assistance, can contact NSDL officials Ms. Pallavi Mhatre or Ms. Sarita Mote at Toll free nos. : 1800 1020 990 and 1800 22 44 30 or send a request at <u>evoting@nsdl.co.in</u>.

#### **OTHER INSTRUCTIONS:**

- 1. The Company has appointed Ms. Kiran Sharma, Practicing Company Secretary (Membership No. F4942 & C.P. No.3116) as the Scrutinizer to scrutinize the e-voting during the EGM and remote e-voting process in a fair and transparent manner.
- 2. The Scrutinizer shall after the conclusion of voting at the EGM, will first count the votes cast at the meeting and thereafter unblock the votes cast through remote e-voting and shall make, not later than three days of the conclusion of the EGM, a consolidated Scrutinizer's report of the total votes cast in favour or against, if any, to the Chairman or a person authorized by him in writing, who shall countersign the same and declare the result of the voting forthwith.
- 3. The results declared along with the report of the Scrutinizer shall be placed on the website of the Company <u>https://www.affle.com</u> and on the website of NSDL after the declaration of result by the Chairman or a person authorized by him in writing. The results shall, simultaneously, be forwarded to National Stock Exchange of India Limited and BSE Limited which shall place the results on their website.

# EXPLANATORY STATEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 102 OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013

As required by Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013, the following explanatory statement sets out all the material facts relating to the business mentioned.

#### Item No. 1

The Company, with a view to capitalize on available growth opportunities, continues to evaluate avenues for organic and inorganic growth. The proceeds from the Issue will be utilized for augmenting long term cash resources, funding the organic or inorganic growth opportunities in the area of the Company's operations and adjacencies, making investments in companies including in subsidiaries or otherwise (either through debt or equity or any convertible securities), growing existing businesses or entering into new businesses in line with the strategy of the Company, pre-payment and / or repayment of outstanding borrowings, or for any other general purposes as may be permissible under the applicable law and approved by the Board of directors of the Company or a duly constituted committee of the Board.

In line with the above, the Company proposes to raise funds through the issuance of equity shares of face value of  $\gtrless10$ /- each of the Company ("Equity Shares") and/ or other securities convertible into or exchangeable into Equity Shares (including warrants or otherwise) (collectively, the "Securities") for an aggregate amount of up to Rs.1,080 Crores (Rupees One Thousand and Eighty Crores) to eligible investors including eligible qualified institutional buyers (as defined under Regulation 2(1)(ss) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018, as amended ("SEBI ICDR Regulations")) and/ or any other category of investors whether or not such investors are members of the Company, for cash, in one or more tranches by way of qualified institutions placement ("QIP") or a preferential issue or through any other permissible mode or any combination thereof of any of the above, subject to applicable laws, in terms of (a) the SEBI ICDR Regulations; (b) applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and the applicable rules made thereunder (including the Companies (Prospectus and Allotment of Securities) Rules, 2014 and the Companies (Share Capital and Debentures) Rules, 2014), each including any amendment(s), statutory

modification(s), or re-enactment(s) thereof ("**Companies Act**"); and (c) other applicable law (the "**Issue**"). Accordingly, the Board, at its meeting held on February 27, 2021, subject to the approval of the members of the Company, approved the issuance of Securities at such price and on such terms and conditions as may be deemed appropriate by the Board or a duly authorised committee of the Board, taking into consideration market conditions and other relevant factors and wherever necessary, in consultation with the book running lead manager and/or other advisor(s) appointed in relation to the Issue, in accordance with applicable laws, and subject to regulatory approvals (as necessary). The Securities allotted will be listed and traded on stock exchange(s) where Equity Shares are currently listed, subject to obtaining necessary approvals. The offer, issue, allotment of the Securities shall be subject to obtaining of regulatory approvals, if any by the Company.

Pursuant to Sections 23, 42 and 62 of the Companies Act, 2013, as amended read with applicable rules notified thereunder, including Rule 14 of Companies (Prospectus and Allotment of Securities) Rules, 2014, as amended and the SEBI ICDR Regulations, a company offering or making an invitation to subscribe to Securities is required to obtain prior approval of the shareholders by way of a special resolution.

In terms of Section 62(1)(c) of the Companies Act, 2013, shares may be issued to persons who are not the existing shareholders of a company, if the Company is authorised by a special resolution passed by its members. Therefore, consent of the members is being sought for passing the special resolution, pursuant to applicable provisions of the Companies Act and other applicable law. The Securities offered, issued, and allotted by the Company pursuant to the Issue in terms of the resolution would be subject to the provisions of the memorandum of association and articles of association of the Company and any Equity Shares and/ or other securities convertible into or exchangeable into Equity Shares (including warrants or otherwise) that may be created, offered, issued and allotted by the Company shall rank, in all respects, *pari-passu* with the existing Equity Shares of the Company.

The pricing of the Securities shall be determined in accordance with the relevant provisions of the SEBI ICDR Regulations, the Companies Act, and any other applicable law. In the event that Securities are issued through a QIP, the resolution enables the Board or its duly constituted committee, in accordance with applicable law and in consultation with the Lead Managers/ placement agents/ underwriters or any such other intermediary, to offer a discount of not more than 5% or such percentage as may be permitted under applicable law on the floor price determined in accordance with the SEBI ICDR Regulations.

In the event that Equity Shares are issued through a QIP, the 'relevant date' for the purpose of the pricing of the Equity Shares to be issued and allotted in the proposed QIP shall be decided in accordance with the applicable provisions of the SEBI ICDR Regulations, which shall be either the date of the meeting in which the Board / its duly constituted committee decides to open the QIP, as decided by the Board, which shall be subsequent to receipt of members' approval in terms of provisions of Companies Act, 2013 and other applicable laws, rules, regulations and guidelines in relation to the proposed issue of the Equity Shares. Further, in the event that eligible convertible securities are issued through a QIP, the "relevant date" for the purpose of pricing of such convertible securities shall be the date of the meeting in which the Board or the committee of directors authorized by the Board decides to open the proposed QIP, or the date on which the holders of the eligible convertible securities are entitled to apply for Equity Shares

As and when the Board does take a decision on matters on which it has discretion (subject to the compliance with the conditions set forth herein), necessary disclosures will be made to the stock exchanges as may be required under the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended.

The resolution proposed is an enabling resolution and the exact price, proportion and timing of the issue of the Securities in one or more tranches and the remaining detailed terms and conditions for the fund raising, including issuance of Securities through the Issue will be decided by the Board or its duly constituted committee, in accordance with the SEBI ICDR Regulations, in consultation with book running lead managers and/ or other advisor(s) appointed in relation to the Issue and such other authorities and agencies as may be required to be consulted by the Company.

Further, the Company is yet to identify the investor(s) and decide the quantum of Equity Shares to be issued to them. Hence, the details of the proposed allottees, percentage of their post – Issue shareholding and the shareholding pattern of the Company are not provided. The proposal, therefore, seeks to confer upon the Board or its duly constituted committee the absolute discretion and adequate flexibility to determine the terms of the Issue, including but not limited to the identification of the proposed investors in the Issue and quantum of Equity Shares to be issued and allotted to each such investor, in accordance with the provisions of the SEBI ICDR Regulations, the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended, the Companies Act, 2013, the Foreign Exchange Management Act, 1999 and the regulations made thereunder, including the Foreign Exchange Management (Non-debt Instruments) Rules, 2019, the Consolidated FDI Policy issued by the Department for Promotion of Industry & Internal Trade, Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Government of India from time to time, each as amended, and other applicable law.

The approval of the members is being sought to enable the Board or its duly constituted committee, to decide on the Issue, to the extent and in the manner stated in the special resolution, as set out in Item no. 1 of this notice, without the need for any fresh approval from the members of the Company in this regard.

Pursuant to the above, the Company may, in one or more tranches, issue and allot Equity Shares and/ or other eligible Securities on such date as may be determined by the Board but not later than 365 days from the date of passing of the resolution or such other period as may be permitted under applicable law. The aforesaid issue of Securities will be subject to receipt of requisite approvals from appropriate authorities, as may be applicable.

Equity Shares, proposed to be issued, shall in all respects, rank pari passu with the existing Equity Shares of the Company.

If the Issue is made through a QIP, the Promoters will not participate in the Issue.

None of the directors or key managerial personnel of the Company, or their respective relatives, is concerned or interested, financially or otherwise, except their shareholding, if any, in the Company, in the resolution set out at Item No. 1 of the Notice.

The proposed Issue is in the interest of the Company and the Board recommends the resolution set out at Item no. 1 of the notice for the approval of the members as a special resolution.

By Order of the Board of Directors For Affle (India) Limited

Parmita Choudhury Company Secretary & Compliance Officer Membership No. A26261

Date: February 27, 2021 Place: Gurugram