NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FIFTEENTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE MEMBERS OF RPG LIFE SCIENCES LIMITED WILL BE HELD ON FRIDAY, JULY 29, 2022 AT 3.00 P.M. (IST) THROUGH VIDEO CONFERENCING ("VC") / OTHER AUDIO VISUAL MEANS ("OAVM"), TO TRANSACT THE FOLLOWING BUSINESS:

ORDINARY BUSINESS:

- 1. To receive, consider and adopt the Audited Financial Statements for the financial year ended March 31, 2022 and the Report of the Directors and Auditors' thereon.
- To declare dividend of ₹ 9.60/- per equity share of face value of ₹8/- each for the Financial Year ended March 31,2022.
- To appoint a Director in place of Mr. Sachin Nandgaonkar (DIN:03410739), who retires by rotation in terms of Section 152 (6) of the Companies Act, 2013, and being eligible, offers himself for re-appointment.
- 4. To consider and if thought fit, to pass the following resolution as an **Ordinary Resolution**:

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Sections 139, 141, 142 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 and read with the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rule, 2014, other applicable rules, if any, (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force), and pursuant to the recommendations of the Audit Committee and the Board of Directors of the Company, M/s. SRBC & Co. LLP, Chartered Accountants (Firm's Registration No. 324982E/E300003), be and are hereby appointed as Statutory Auditors of the Company in place of M/s. BSR & Co. LLP, Chartered Accountants (Firm's Registration No. 101248W/W-100022) whose tenure expires at the Fifteenth Annual General Meeting, at such remuneration plus reimbursement of actual out of pocket expenses, as may be incurred by them in connection with the audit of accounts of the Company, as may be mutually agreed between the Board of Directors/Audit Committee of the Company and the said Auditors.

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT M/s. SRBC & Co. LLP, if appointed shall hold the office for a period of five years, from the conclusion of the Fifteenth Annual General Meeting till the conclusion of the Twentieth Annual General Meeting of the Company, and the Board of Directors/Audit Committee of the Company, be and are hereby authorised to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things as may be considered necessary desirable or expedient to give effect to this Resolution."

SPECIAL BUSINESS:

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

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Section

148 read with Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014, and all other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force), M/s. Kirit Mehta & Co. (Registration No. 000353), Cost Accountants, appointed by the Board of Directors, to conduct the audit of the cost records of the Company for the financial year ending March 31, 2023, be paid the remuneration as set out in the Explanatory Statement annexed to the Notice convening this Meeting.

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors and/ or the Company Secretary of the Company be and is hereby severally authorised to do all acts and take all such steps as may be necessary, proper and expedient to give effect to this resolution."

Notes:

- 1. In view of the continuing COVID-19, to ensure social distancing norms, the Ministry of Corporate Affairs ("MCA") vide its Circular No. 14/2020 dated April 08, 2020, Circular No.17/2020 dated April 13, 2020 and Circular No. 20/2020 dated May 05, 2020, and clarification Circular No.02/2021 dated January 13, 2021 (collectively referred to as 'MCA Circulars') and the Securities and Exchange Board of India ("SEBI") vide its Circular No. SEBI/ HO/CFD/ CMD1/CIR/P/2020/79 dated May 12, 2020 and Circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD2/CIR/P/2021/11 dated January 15, 2021, (collectively referred to as 'SEBI Circulars') as amended from time to time have permitted Companies to conduct AGM through Video Conferencing (VC) and Other Audio Visual Means (OAVM) without the physical presence of the Members at a Common Venue and has granted relaxation in respect of sending physical copies of the annual report to the shareholders. The deemed venue of the Fifteenth AGM shall be the Registered Office of the Company. In terms of the said Circulars, the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act") and SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("SEBI Listing Regulations") the Fifteenth Annual General Meeting of the Members is to be held through VC/OAVM. Hence, Members can attend and participate in the AGM through VC/OAVM only. The detailed procedure for participating in the meeting through VC/OAVM is annexed herewith and also available at the Company's website www.rpglifesciences.com.
- The Annexure to notice in respect of the Director seeking re-appointment at the AGM and relative Explanatory Statement pursuant to Section 102 of the Act, setting out material facts concerning the business under Item Nos. 3 to 5 set out above and details under Regulations 26(4)

and 36(3) of the Listing Regulations and Paragraph 1.2.5 of the Secretarial Standards on General Meetings issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India are annexed hereto.

- 3. Pursuant to the provisions of the Act, a member entitled to attend and vote at the AGM is entitled to appoint one or more proxies to attend and vote instead of himself/ herself and the proxy need not be a member of the Company. Since this AGM is being held pursuant to the MCA Circulars through VC/OAVM, physical attendance of Members has been dispensed with. Accordingly, the facility to appoint proxy to attend and cast vote for the members is not available for this AGM and hence the Proxy Form, Attendance Slip and Route Map are not annexed to this Notice.
- 4. Institutional Members are encouraged to attend and vote at this AGM through VC/OAVM. Institutional/ Corporate Shareholders (i.e. other than individuals/ HUF, NRI, etc.) are required to send a scanned copy (PDF/JPG Format) of its Board or governing body Resolution/Authorization etc., authorizing its representative to attend the AGM through VC/ OAVM or to vote through remote e-voting. The said Resolution/Authorization shall be sent to the Scrutinizer by email through its registered email address to rpgls.scrutinizer@gmail.com with a copy marked to evoting@nsdl.co.in.
- 5. The Members can join the AGM in the VC/OAVM mode 30 minutes before the scheduled commencement time of the Meeting and window for joining the Meeting shall be kept open throughout the proceedings of the AGM. The facility of participation at the AGM through VC/ OAVM will be made available for 1000 members on first come first served basis. This will not include large Shareholders (Shareholders holding 2% or more shareholding), Promoters, Institutional Investors, Directors, Key Managerial Personnel, the Chairpersons of the Audit Committee, Nomination and Remuneration Committee and Stakeholders Relationship Committee, Auditors, etc. who are allowed to attend the AGM without restriction on account of first come first served basis.
- The attendance of the Members attending the AGM through VC/OAVM will be counted for the purpose of reckoning the quorum under Section 103 of the Companies Act, 2013.
- 7. As per the provisions of Clause 3.A.III. of the General Circular No. 20/2020 dated May 5, 2020, the matter of Special Business as appearing at Item No.5 of the accompanying Notice, is considered to be unavoidable by the Board and hence, forming part of this Notice.
- 8. The Company has fixed Friday, July 15, 2022 as the Record Date for determining the entitlement of Members for payment of Dividend for the Financial Year ended on March 31, 2022, if approved at the AGM.
- 9. The dividend for the financial year March 31, 2022, as recommended by the Board, if approved by the shareholders, will be paid subject to deduction of tax at

source, as applicable on or after Saturday, July 30, 2022.

For Members holding shares in Demat form:

- The dividend shall be paid to those Members whose names stand registered in the Company's register of Members as Beneficial Owners as at the end of business day on Friday, July 15, 2022 as per the list to be furnished by National Securities Depository Limited ("NSDL") and Central Depository Services (India) Limited ("CDSL").
- ii) Members may note that the bank particulars registered against their respective depository accounts will be used by the Company for payment of dividend. The Company or its Registrar and Share Transfer Agents cannot act on any request received directly from the Members holding shares in dematerialised mode for any change of bank particulars or bank mandates. Hence, such changes in Bank details, ECS mandate, address or e-mails are to be furnished by the Members to their Depository Participant only.

For Members holding shares in Physical form:

- The dividend shall be paid to those Members whose names stand registered in the Company's Register of Members as Members on the end of business day on Friday, July 15, 2022.
- ii) SEBI vide its Circular No. SEBI/HO/MIRSD/ MIRSD_RTAMB/P/CIR/2021/655 dated November 03, 2021 and clarification issued vide Circular No. SEBI/HO/MIRSD/MIRSD_RTAMB/P/CIR/2021/687 dated December 14, 2021 has mandated all listed Companies to record/update the KYC details i.e. PAN, Nomination and Bank Account details of the first holder for shares held in physical mode. The Company has sent a letter to all the Shareholders holding shares in physical mode whose details are yet to be updated seeking the information. Detailed information in this regard is available at the Company's website <u>https://www.rpglifesciences.com/</u> website/forms_related_to_physical_shares.php

Members holding shares in physical mode are requested to ensure the aforesaid KYC details are updated with the Company's Registrar and Share Transfer Agents, Link Intime India Private Limited ('RTA') before April 01, 2023, post which the said folios shall be frozen. In case, the folios continue to remain frozen, till December 31, 2025, the same shall be referred to the Administering Authority under the Benami Transactions (Prohibitions) Act, 1988 and Prevention of Money Laundering Act, 2002.

 iii) With a view to avoid any fraudulent encashment of dividend, the Member(s) holding shares in physical mode are requested to submit, if not already submitted, particulars of their Bank Accounts (Bank Account number, the name of the Bank and the Branch) in 'Form ISR – 1' along with copy of the cancelled cheque leaf with the first named shareholder's name imprinted on the face of the cheque leaf, where they would like to deposit the dividend warrants for encashment. These details should be furnished by the first/sole shareholder, directly to the Registrar and Share Transfer Agents, M/s. Link Intime India Private Limited ('RTA') (Unit: RPG Life Sciences Limited), C-101, 247 Park, L B S Marg, Vikhroli (West), Mumbai - 400 083, Tel: 022-49186270, Fax: 022-49186060, by quoting the folio number.

10. Deduction of Tax on Dividend

- Pursuant to Finance Act, 2020, dividend income i) is taxable in the hands of shareholders w.e.f. April 01, 2020 and therefore the Company is required to deduct tax at source/withhold tax from dividend to be paid to shareholders at the prescribed rates. For the prescribed rates for various categories, the shareholders are requested to refer to the provisions in the Income Tax Act, 1961 and amendments thereof. The shareholders are requested to update their PAN with the Company/RTA (in case of shares held in physical mode) and with the Depository Participants (in case of shares held in demat mode). The voting rights on the shares outstanding in the suspense account as on March 31, 2022 shall remain frozen till the rightful owner of such shares claims the shares.
- ii) A Resident individual shareholder with PAN and who is not liable to pay income tax can submit a yearly declaration in Form No. 15G/15H, to avail the benefit of non-deduction of tax at source to Link Intime India Private Limited, the Company's RTA at https://linkintime. co.in/formsreg/submission-of-form-15g-15h.html or by email to <u>rpglsdivtax@linkintime.co.in</u> by Friday, July 15, 2022. Shareholders are requested to note that in case their PAN is not registered, the tax will be deducted at a higher rate of as applicable.
- iii) Non-resident shareholders (including Foreign Institutional Investors -FIIs/ Foreign Portfolio Investors - FPIs) can avail beneficial rates under tax treaty between India and their country of tax residence, subject to providing necessary documents i.e. No Permanent Establishment and Beneficial Ownership Declaration, Tax Residency Certificate, Form 10F, any other document which may be required to avail the tax treaty benefits by uploading the same at https://linkintime.co.in/ formsreg/submissionof-form-15g-15h.html or sending the same by email to rpglsdivtax@linkintime. co.in. Therefore said declarations and documents need to be submitted by the shareholders by Friday, July 15, 2022.
- iv) The formats of declarations, are available on the Company's website at <u>https://www.rpglifesciences.</u> com/website/TDS on dividend communication.php

- In case of joint holders, the shareholder whose name appears as the first holder in the order of names as per the Register of Members of the Company will be entitled to vote.
- 12. The details of shares in Unclaimed Suspense Account and dematerialized are as follows:

Particulars	Number of Shareholders	Number of Shares
Aggregate no. as at April 1, 2021	71	7,958
No. of Shareholders who approached the Company for transfer of shares from the Unclaimed Suspense Account during the year	1	100
No. of shareholders to whom shares were transferred from the Unclaimed Suspense Account during the year	1	100
No. of Shareholders whose shares were transferred to Investor Education and Protection Fund during the year	69	7,821
Aggregate no. as at March 31, 2022	1	37

The voting rights on the shares outstanding in the suspense account as on March 31, 2022 shall remain frozen till the rightful owner of such shares claims the shares.

- 13. The Register of Directors' and Key Managerial Personnel and their shareholding maintained under Section 170 of the Companies Act, 2013, the Register of Contracts or arrangements in which the Directors are interested under Section 189 of the Companies Act, 2013, will be available electronically for inspection by the Members during the AGM and all other documents referred to in the Notice and Explanatory Statements, will be available for inspection through electronic mode without any fee by the Members from the date of circulation of this Notice up to the date of AGM. Members can inspect the same by sending an email to <u>cosec@rpgls.com</u>.
- 14. Shareholders who have not encashed their dividend warrant for the previous years, may approach the Company or the Registrar & Share Transfer Agent and submit their claim for the said dividend. The amount of dividend remaining unclaimed for a period of seven (7) years shall be transferred to the Investor Education and Protection Fund as per the provisions of Section 125 of the Companies Act, 2013. The shares in respect of such unclaimed dividends are also liable to be transferred to the demat account of the IEPF Authority. In view of this, Members are requested to claim their dividends from the Company, within the stipulated timeline. The Members, whose unclaimed dividends/ shares have been transferred to IEPF, may claim the same by making an online application to the IEPF Authority in web Form No. IEPF-5 available on www.iepf.gov.in.

- 15. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) has mandated the submission of Permanent Account Number (PAN) by every participant in securities market. Shareholders holding shares in electronic form are, therefore, requested to submit the PAN to their Depository Participants with whom they are maintaining their demat accounts. Shareholders holding shares in physical form can submit their PAN details to the Company.
- 16. The Company has authorised Registrar and Transfer agents viz. Link Intime India Private Limited to issue the securities in dematerialised form only while processing shareholder request such as issue of duplicate share certificate, claim from Unclaimed Suspense account, renewal /exchange of securities certificate, endorsement, sub-division/ splitting of shares, consolidation of share certificates/folios, transmission and transposition as per Securities and Exchange Board of India vide its circular dated January 25, 2022. The RTA shall credit the shares to the Suspense Escrow Demat Account of the Company if the shareholder/claimant fails to submit the demat request within 120 days of issuance of Letter of Confirmation.
- 17. To support the "Green Initiative", we request Members, holding shares in demat form, to kindly register/update your email address with your respective Depository Participants. Further Members, holding shares in physical form, can kindly register/update your email address with the Registrar and Share Transfer Agents of the Company at rnt.helpdesk@linkintime.co.in. The registered email address will be used for sending future communications.
- 18. Instructions for e-voting and joining the AGM are as follows:
- A. Voting through electronic means (Remote e-voting):
 - I. 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 Secretarial Standard on General Meetings issued by the Institute of Companies Secretaries of India, and in terms of SEBI Circular no. SEBI/ HO/CFD/CMD/ CIR/P/2020/242 dated December 9, 2020 in relation to e-Voting Facility provided by Listed Entities, the Company is providing facility of remote e-voting to its Members in respect of the business to be transacted at the AGM. The facility of casting votes by a member using remote e-voting system as well as voting on the day of the AGM will be provided by NSDL.
 - II. In compliance with the MCA Circulars and SEBI Circular dated May 12, 2020 & January 15, 2021, The Notice of the AGM along with the Annual Report 2021-22 is being sent only through electronic mode to those shareholders whose e-mail addresses are registered with the Company / Depositories. The shareholders may note that the Notice and Annual Report 2021-22 will also be available

on the Company's website www.rpglifesciences. com, websites of the Stock Exchanges i.e. BSE Limited and National Stock Exchange of India Limited at www.bseindia.com and <u>www.nseindia.</u> <u>com</u> respectively, and on the website of NSDL i.e. <u>www.evoting.nsdl.com</u>.

B. The instructions for shareholders voting electronically are as under:

- i. The remote e-voting period begins on Tuesday, July 26, 2022 (09.00 a.m. IST) and ends on Thursday, July 28, 2022 (05.00 p.m. IST). The remote e-voting module shall be disabled by NSDL for voting thereafter. During this period shareholders of the Company, holding shares either in physical form or in dematerialized form, as on the cut-off date Friday, July 22, 2022 may cast their vote electronically.
- ii. The Members, who have cast their vote by remote e-voting prior to the AGM, may also attend the AGM but shall not be entitled to cast their vote on such resolution again at the AGM.
- iii. Any person holding shares in physical form and non- individual shareholders, who acquires shares of the Company and becomes member of the Company after the notice is send through e-mail and holding shares as of the cut-off date i.e. Friday, July 22, 2022, may obtain the login ID and password by sending a request at evoting@nsdl.co.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 forget your password, you could reset your password by using "Forgot User Details/Password" or "Physical User Reset Password" option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com or call on toll free no. 1800 1020 990 and 1800 22 44 30. In case of Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode who acquires shares of the Company and becomes a Member of the Company after sending of the Notice and holding shares as of the cut-off date i.e. Friday, July 22, 2022 may follow steps mentioned in the Notice of the AGM under "Access to NSDL e-Voting system".
- iv. Details of the process and manner for remote e-voting and joining the Annual General Meeting are explained herein below:

Step 1: Access to NSDL e-Voting system

A) Login method for e-Voting and joining virtual meeting for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode. In terms of SEBI circular dated December 9, 2020 on e-Voting facility provided by Listed Companies, Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode are allowed to vote through their demat account maintained with Depositories and Depository Participants. Shareholders are advised to update their mobile number and email ID in their demat accounts in order to access e-Voting facility.

Type of shareholders	Login Method	
Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with NSDL	 Existing IDeAS user can visit the e-Services website of NSDL Viz. http eservices.nsdl.com either on a Personal Computer or on a mobile. On e-Services home page click on the "Beneficial Owner" icon under "Log which is available under 'IDeAS' section , this will prompt you to enter y existing User ID and Password. After successful authentication, you will able to see e-Voting services under Value added services. Click on "Acce to e-Voting" under e-Voting services and you will be able to see e-Vot page. Click on company name or e-Voting service provider i.e. NSDL a you will be re-directed to e-Voting website of NSDL for casting your v during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting dur the meeting. 	the in" our be ess ting and vote
	 If you are not registered for IDeAS e-Services, option to register is availa at <u>https://eservices.nsdl.com</u>. Select "Register Online for IDeAS Port or click at <u>https://eservices.nsdl.com/SecureWeb/IdeasDirectReg.jsp</u> 	
	3. Visit the e-Voting website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the follow URL: https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/ either on a Personal Computer or o mobile. Once the home page of e-Voting system is launched, click on icon "Login" which is available under 'Shareholder/Member' section. A r screen will open. You will have to enter your User ID (i.e. your sixteen c demat account number hold with NSDL), Password/OTP and a Verificat Code as shown on the screen. After successful authentication, you will redirected to NSDL Depository site wherein you can see e-Voting pa Click on company name or e-Voting service provider i.e. NSDL and you be redirected to e-Voting website of NSDL for casting your vote during remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting	n a the ligit tion be ge. will the
	 Shareholders/Members can also download NSDL Mobile App "NS Speede" facility by scanning the QR code mentioned below for seamly voting experience. 	
	NSDL Mobile App is available on	
	Coogle Play	
Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with CDSL	 Existing users who have opted for Easi / Easiest, they can login throu their user id and password. Option will be made available to reach e-Vot page without any further authentication. The URL for users to login to Ea Easiest are <u>https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasi/home/login</u> or <u>www.cdslind com</u> and click on New System Myeasi. 	ting asi /

Login method for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode is given below:

- After successful login of Easi/Easiest the user will be also able to see the E Voting Menu. The Menu will have links of e-Voting service provider i.e. NSDL. Click on NSDL to cast your vote.
- 3. If the user is not registered for Easi/Easiest, option to register is available at https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasi/Registration/EasiRegistration
- 4. Alternatively, the user can directly access e-Voting page by providing demat Account Number and PAN No. from a link in <u>www.cdslindia.com</u> 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 provided links for the respective ESP i.e. **NSDL** where the e-Voting is in progress.

Type of shareholders	Login Method
Individual Shareholders (holding securities in demat mode) login through their depository participants	You can also login using the login credentials of your demat account through your Depository Participant registered with NSDL/CDSL for e-Voting facility. upon logging in, you will be able to see e-Voting option. Click on e-Voting option, you will be redirected to NSDL/CDSL Depository site after successful authentication, wherein you can see e-Voting feature. Click on company name or e-Voting service provider i.e. NSDL and you will be redirected to e-Voting website of NSDL for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting.

mportant note: Members who are unable to retrieve User ID/ Password are advised to use Forget User ID and Forget Password option available at abovementioned website.

Helpdesk for Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode for any technical issues related to login through Depository i.e. NSDL and CDSL.

Login type	Helpdesk details	
Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with NSDL	Members facing any technical issue in login can contact NSDL helpdesk by sending a request at evoting@nsdl.co.in or call at toll free no.: 1800 1020 990 and 1800 22 44 30	
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 022- 23058738 or 022-23058542-43	

B) Login Method for e-Voting and joining the 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: <u>https://www.evoting.nsdl.</u> <u>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 '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***

- 1. Password details for shareholders other than Individual shareholders are given below:
 - a) If you are already registered for e-Voting, then you can user your existing password to login and cast your vote.
 - b) If you are using NSDL e-Voting system for the first time, you will need to retrieve the 'initial password' which was communicated to you. Once you retrieve your 'initial password', you need to enter the 'initial password' and the system will force you to change your password.
 - c) How to retrieve your 'initial password'?
 - (i) If your email ID is registered in your demat account or with the company, your 'initial password' is communicated to you on your email ID. Trace the email sent to you from NSDL from your mailbox. Open the email and open the attachment i.e. a .pdf file. Open the .pdf file. The password to open the .pdf file is your 8 digit client ID for NSDL account, last 8 digits of client ID for CDSL account or folio number for shares held in physical form. The .pdf file contains your 'User ID' and your 'initial password'.
 - (ii) If your email ID is not registered, please follow steps mentioned below in process for those shareholders whose email ids are not registered.
- 2. 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 <u>www.evoting.</u> <u>nsdl.com</u>.
 - b) Physical User Reset Password?" (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 <u>evoting@nsdl.co.in</u> mentioning your demat account number/folio number, your PAN, your name and your registered address etc.
 - Members can also use the OTP (One Time Password) based login for casting the votes on the e-Voting system of NSDL.
- 3. After entering your password, tick on Agree to "Terms and Conditions" by selecting on the check box.

- 4. Now, you will have to click on "Login" button.
- After you click on the "Login" button, Home page of e-Voting will open.

Step 2: Cast your vote electronically and join General Meeting on NSDL e-Voting system.

How to cast your vote electronically and join General Meeting on NSDL e-Voting system?

- 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.
- Select "EVEN of RPG Life Sciences Limited" 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.
- Cast your vote by selecting appropriate options i.e. assent or dissent, verify/modify the number of shares for which you wish to cast your vote and click on "Submit" and also "Confirm" when prompted.
- 5. Upon confirmation, the message "Vote cast successfully" will be displayed.
- 6. You can also take the printout of the votes cast by you by clicking on the print option on the confirmation page.
- 7. Once you confirm your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.
- 8. In case of any queries, with respect to remote e-voting or e-voting at the AGM, 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 toll free no.: 1800 1020 990 /1800 22 4430 or can contact NSDL on <u>evoting@nsdl.co.in</u> or contact Ms. Pallavi Mhatre, Manager, NSDL at <u>pallavid@</u> <u>nsdl.co.in</u> or Ms. Sarita Mote, Assistant Manager, NSDL at <u>SaritaM@nsdl.co.in</u>.
- C. 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 rnt.helpdesk@linkintime.co.in

- 2. In case shares are held in demat mode, please register / update the email address with the relevant Depository Participants. In case of difficulties in registering the email address, members may temporarily get their e-mail addresses registered with Link Intime India Pvt. Ltd. at <u>rnt.helpdesk@</u><u>linkintime.co.in</u> by providing details such as Name, DPID/Client ID, PAN, mobile number and e-mail ID. 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.
- Alternatively shareholder/members may send a request to <u>evoting@nsdl.co.in</u> for procuring user id and password for e-voting by providing above mentioned documents.
- 4. In terms of SEBI circular dated December 9, 2020 on e-Voting facility provided by Listed Companies, Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode are allowed to vote through their demat account maintained with Depositories and Depository Participants. Shareholders are required to update their mobile number and email ID correctly in their demat account in order to access e-Voting facility.

D. 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.
- 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.
- 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.
- 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.

E. Instructions for members for attending the AGM through VC/OAVM are as under:

- Member will be provided with a facility to attend 1. 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.
- 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 who would like to express their views/ask questions during the AGM may register themselves as a speaker by sending their request from their registered Email ID mentioning their name, DP ID and Client ID/ folio number, PAN, mobile number at cosec@rpgls.com between 9.00 a.m. (IST) on Saturday, July 23, 2022 and 5.00 p.m. (IST) on Monday, July 25, 2022. Those Members who have registered themselves as a speaker will only be allowed to express their views/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.
- 6. The shareholders who do not wish to speak during the AGM but have queries on accounts or any matter to be placed at the AGM may send the same latest by Monday, July 25, 2022 mentioning their name, DP ID and Client ID/ folio number, PAN, mobile number at <u>cosec@rpgls.com</u>. These queries will be replied by the Company suitably either at the AGM or by email.

F. Other Guidelines for Members

- 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.
- 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 <u>www.evoting.nsdl.com</u> or call on toll free no.: 1800-222-990 /1800 22 4430 or send a request at evoting@nsdl.co.in. or contact Ms. Pallavi Mhatre Manager, NSDL at the designated email IDs: <u>evoting@nsdl.co.in</u> or <u>pallavid@nsdl. co.in</u> or Ms. Sarita Mote, Assistant Manager, NSDL at the designated e-mail ID: <u>evoting@nsdl.co.in</u> or <u>SaritaM@nsdl.co.in</u>.

- 19. Mr. P. N. Parikh (FCS 327 CP 1228) or failing him Mr. Mitesh Dhabliwala (FCS 8331 CP 9511) of Parikh Parekh & Associates, Practicing Company Secretaries, have been appointed as the Scrutinizers for conducting the remote e-voting and the e-voting during the AGM in a fair and transparent manner.
- 20. The Scrutinizer shall, immediately after the conclusion of voting at the AGM, unblock the votes cast through remote e-Voting (votes cast during the AGM and votes cast through remote e-Voting) and make, not later than 48 hours after conclusion of AGM, a consolidated Scrutinizer's Report of the total votes cast in favour or against, if any, to the Chairman or a person authorised by him in writing, who shall countersign the same.
- 21. The results declared along with the Scrutinizer's Report shall be placed on the Company's website (www.rpglifesciences.com) and on the website of NSDL e-voting i.e. www.evoting.nsdl.com and shall also be communicated to the BSE Limited and National Stock Exchange of India Limited within 48 hours after the AGM.

By Order of the Board of Directors

Registered office: RPG House 463, Dr. Annie Besant Road, Worli, Mumbai 400 030.

Place: Mumbai Date: April 29, 2022 Rajesh Shirambekar Head – Legal & Company Secretary (ACS No. 11146)

ANNEXURE TO NOTICE AND EXPLANATORY STATEMENT IN RESPECT OF THE SPECIAL BUSINESS PURSUANT TO SECTION 102 OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013

The following explanatory statement sets out all material facts relating to the business mentioned under Item Nos. 3 to 5 of the accompanying Notice:

Item No. 3

As regards the re-appointment of Mr. Sachin Nandgaonkar (DIN: 03410739) referred to Item No.3 of the Notice, following necessary disclosures are made for the information to the Shareholders:

Mr. Sachin Nandgaonkar, aged 52 years, was a member of the Management Board of RPG Group. During his tenure with the RPG Group, he was Sector Head for the Specialty Sector comprising of RPG Life Sciences and Raychem RPG. He was also responsible for evangelizing RPG's efforts in Digital, Business Excellence, Innovation and New Ventures. Prior to joining RPG Group in Jan 2015, he had spent 22 years in management consulting across Boston Consulting Group and Accenture."

Mr. Nandgaonkar is B.Tech. in Electrical Engineering from IIT, Bombay and MBA from IIM, Ahmedabad.

Mr. Nandgaonkar is not disqualified from being appointed as a Director in terms of Section 164 of the Companies Act, 2013.

Mr. Nandgaonkar holds 5,256 equity shares in the Company.

Other Directorships and Memberships of Committees in other listed companies (includes only Audit & Stakeholders Relationship Committee): Nil

For other details including number of meetings of the Board attended during the year, remuneration drawn, etc. please refer to the Corporate Governance Report section of the Annual Report.

None of the Directors or Key Managerial Personnel of the Company or their relatives except Mr. Nandgaonkar himself, is in any way concerned or interested whether financially or otherwise, in resolution set out in Item No. 3 of the Notice.

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

Item No. 4

As regards to the appointment of Statutory Auditors referred in Item No. 4 of the Notice, following necessary disclosures are made for the information to the Shareholders:

M/s. BSR & Co. LLP, Chartered Accountants, (Firm Registration No. 101248W/W-100022) have been the Statutory Auditors of the Company since their appointment at the Annual General Meeting ('AGM') held on July 24, 2017. Pursuant to the provisions of Section 139 (2) of the Companies Act 2013 ('the Act'), read with applicable Rules framed thereunder, the term of the present Statutory Auditors expires at the conclusion of the Fifteenth AGM. The Board of Directors places on record their appreciation for the services rendered by M/s. BSR & Co. LLP, Chartered Accountants during their tenure with the Company.

Accordingly, the Board of Directors based on the recommendation of the Audit Committee proposed the appointment of M/s. SRBC & Co. LLP, Chartered Accountants (Firm Registration No. 324982E/E300003) as Statutory Auditors of the Company in place of M/s. BSR & Co.LLP, Chartered Accountants. M/s. SRBC & Co.LLP, Chartered Accountants have vide their letter dated April 22, 2022, informed the Company that their appointment, if made, shall be in compliance with the provisions of Sections 139, 141 and 144 of the Act and Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014.

The Board recommends the appointment of M/s. SRBC & Co.LLP, Chartered Accountants as the Statutory Auditors of the Company for a term of 5 (five) years to hold the office from the conclusion of the Fifteenth Annual General Meeting till the conclusion of the Twentieth Annual General Meeting of the Company.

Details as required pursuant to regulation 36(5) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulation, 2015 are as under:

Proposed statutory audit fees payable to auditors

upto Rs. 35 Lacs (Rupees Thirty Five Lacs) as statutory audit fees for the financial year ending March 31, 2023.

Terms of appointment

5 (five) years from the conclusion of Fifteenth Annual General Meeting till the conclusion of the Twentieth Annual General Meeting of the Company.

Material change in fees payable

There is no material change in the proposed fees payable to the auditors.

Basis of recommendation and auditors credentials

The recommendation is based on the fulfilment of the eligibility criteria prescribed in the Companies Act, 2013.

M/s. S R B C & Co. LLP, (Registration no. 324982E/E300003) is a part of network of firms of Chartered Accountants, M/s. S. R. Batliboi & Affiliates ("SRB") started in 1914 and registered with the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India. All the constituent firms of SRB are member firms in India of EY Global Limited ("EYG"). It has its registered office at Kolkata and has offices at 13 locations in various cities in India. M/s. S R B C & Co. LLP is a Limited Liability Partnership (LLP) firm established in the year 2002 in India and has a valid peer review certificate. It is primarily engaged in providing audit and assurance services to the clients.

None of the Directors or Key Managerial Personnel of the Company or their relatives are, in any way concerned or interested, whether financially or otherwise, in the resolution set out in Item No. 4 of the Notice.

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

Item No. 5

The Board on recommendation of the Audit Committee, has approved the appointment and remuneration of M/s. Kirit Mehta & Co., Cost Auditors, to conduct the audit of the cost records in respect of pharmaceutical activities of the Company for the financial year ending March 31, 2023, on a remuneration not exceeding Rs.3,10,000/- p.a., exclusive of all taxes and out of pocket expenses. In accordance with the provisions of Section 148 of the Act read with the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014, the remuneration payable to the Cost Auditors has to be ratified by the shareholders of the Company. Accordingly, consent of the shareholders is sought for passing an Ordinary Resolution as set out at Item No. 5 of the Notice for ratification of the remuneration payable to the Cost Auditors for the financial year ending March 31, 2023.

None of the Directors and Key Managerial Personnel of the Company and their relatives are, in any way, concerned or interested, financially or otherwise, in the proposed Ordinary Resolution set out at Item No. 5 of the Notice.

The Board recommends the Ordinary Resolution, as set out at Item No. 5 of accompanying Notice, for approval by the shareholders.

Registered office: RPG House 463, Dr. Annie Besant Road, Worli, Mumbai 400 030.

Place: Mumbai Date: April 29, 2022 By Order of the Board of Directors

Rajesh Shirambekar Head – Legal & Company Secretary (ACS No. 11146)