

## **ASHIANA HOUSING LIMITED**

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#### To, The Members

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to Section 110 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("Act"), read with Rule 22 of Companies (Management and Administration) Rules 2014, including any statutory modification or re-enactment thereof, for the time being in force, to shareholders of Ashiana Housing Limited that it is proposed to transact the following special businesses by the members of the company by passing resolutions through Postal Ballot / E-Voting:

#### **RESOLUTION NO. 1**

# To issue non convertible debentures/ bonds on private placement basis

To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modification(s), the following Resolution as a Special Resolution:

"RESOLVED THAT in terms of the provisions of section 42, section 71 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 (the "Companies Act") and Rules made thereunder, to the extent notified and in effect, as amended from time to time, and the Rules, Regulations, Guidelines, Notifications and Circulars, if any, issued by, the Ministry of Corporate Affairs, the Securities and Exchange Board of India, including the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Debt Securities) Regulations, 2008, SEBI (Issue and Listing of Debt Securities) (Amendment) Notification 2012 and 2014 and other SEBI regulations and guidelines, Foreign Exchange Management Act, 1999 (FEMA) and applicable FEMA guidelines as amended from time to time, or any other competent authority, from time to time, to the extent applicable including the enabling provisions of the listing agreements entered into with the stock exchanges on which the Company's equity shares are listed (the "Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements, Regulations 2015"], the Memorandum of Association and Articles of Association of Ashiana Housing Ltd. (the "Company") and subject to approvals, consents, permissions and sanctions as might be required, and subject to such conditions and modifications as might be prescribed while granting such approvals, consents, permissions and sanctions and 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 include any committee(s) constituted/ to be constituted by the Board, to exercise its powers including the powers conferred by this Resolution), approval of shareholders/members of the company be and is hereby granted to the Board, for and on behalf of the Company, to create, offer, issue and allot, in the course of domestic/ international markets, by way of private placement such number of secured and/or unsecured non-convertible debentures or bonds or any combination thereof (the "security"), to all eligible investors, including but not limited to subordinate debentures, bonds and/ or other debt securities, etc., on a private placement basis, in one or more tranches, within the overall borrowing limit of the Company/ to the extent of Rs. 150 crores, during the period of one year from the date of passing of this resolution, and on such other relevant factors wherever necessary, at the Board's discretion including the discretion to determine the category of investors to whom the offer, issue and allotment of securities shall be made to the exclusion of others, in such manner, if any, exercised by the Company."

"RESOLVED FURTHER THAT for the purpose of giving effect to the resolutions described above, the Board be and is hereby authorized on behalf of the Company to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things including but not limited to finalization and approval of the preliminary as well as final offer document(s)/ placement document, determining the form and manner of the issue, including the class of investors to whom the above securities are to be issued and allotted, number of such securities to be allotted, issue price, face value, discounts permitted under applicable law (now or hereafter), premium amount on issue, if any, rate of interest, execution of various agreements, deeds, instruments and other documents, including the private placement, offer letter, creation of mortgage/ charge in accordance with the provisions of the Act in respect of any securities as may be required, as it may in its absolute discretion deem fit, necessary, proper or desirable, and to give instructions or directions and to settle all questions, difficulties or doubts that may arise in regard to the issue, offer or allotment of securities and utilization of the issue proceeds and to accept and to give effect to such modifications, changes, variations, alterations, deletions, additions as regards the terms and conditions as may be required by the SEBI, the ROC, or other authorities or agencies involved in or concerned with the issue of securities and as the Board may in its absolute discretion deem fit and proper in the best interest of the Company without being required to seek any further consent or approval of the members or otherwise, and that all or any of the powers conferred on the Company and the Board vide this Resolution may be exercised by the Board or Committee thereof, whether constituted/ to be constituted by the Board, to the end and intent that the members shall be deemed to have given their approval thereto expressly by the authority of this Resolution, and all actions taken by the Board or any committee of the Board, whether constituted/ to be constituted by the Board, to exercise its powers, in connection with any matter(s) referred to or contemplated in any of the foregoing resolutions be and are hereby approved, ratified and confirmed in all respects."

"RESOLVED FURTHER THAT for the purpose of giving effect to the resolutions described above, the Board be and is hereby authorized on behalf of the Company to make necessary appointments, including but not limited to Banker(s), Merchant Banker(s), arranger(s) to the issue, Registrar to the issue, Counsel(s), Debenture Trustee, Intermediary(ies), Agent(s), Attorney(ies) and such other authorities and to finalise incidental documents including without limitation, the private placement offer letter/ invitation/ memorandum, debenture subscription and debenture trust deed and any other security documents for the creation of charge/ mortgage/security on the tangible assets of the Company, as it may in its absolute discretion deem appropriate and to take all such actions and to settle all matters and questions arising out of or incidental thereto, to sign and execute all the agreement(s), declarations(s) and



other agreement(s), mortgage deed(s), hypothecation deed(s), Escrow Agreement(s), undertaking(s), declaration(s) and other agreement(s), deed(s), letter(s), power of attorney(ies), Forms for advertisements, Information Memorandum, Return of Allotment, Private Placement Offer Letter, and record for private placement offer, writings as may be necessary or required for this purpose and to deal with regulatory authorities including but not limited to Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI), Registrar of Companies, Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Stock Exchange, Reserve Bank of India (RBI), and such other authorities as may be required in this regard and generally to make application for listing to stock exchange(s) or any other statutory authorities, to do all such acts deeds and things as may be necessary, proper, expedient and incidental, and that to delegate all or any powers conferred hereinbefore to any Committee of directors or any officer of the Company for the purpose of giving effect to the above resolution."

"RESOLVED FURTHER THAT consent to the Board be and is hereby accorded to delegate to any committee(s) of Directors, the powers related to the finalization of issue price, terms and conditions, appointment of intermediaries and debenture trustees, wherever required, finalization and issuance of offer documents, filing and seeking clearances, providing clarification to any statutory authorities as may be required and to make allotment of debt securities and other matters incidental and ancillary thereto and to engage / appoint the lead managers, underwriters, guarantors, depositories, custodians, registrars, bankers, advisors and all such agencies as may be involved or concerned in such offerings of securities and to remunerate them by way of commission, brokerage, fees or the like and also to enter into and execute all such arrangements, agreements, memoranda, documents etc. with such agencies and to seek listing of such securities on one or more stock exchange(s)."

"RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board, be and is hereby, also authorised to decide, finalise, alter, vary, revise and modify from time to time, the terms and conditions of the aforesaid issue(s) including without limitation to, the class of investors to whom debt securities are to be issued, time, nomenclature of debt securities or in any combination thereof to be offered, number of debt securities, tranches, nominal value/ issue price, tenor/ period, interest and things and deal with all such markets and take all such steps as may be necessary and to authorise any director or officer of the Company to sign and execute any deeds, documents, undertakings, arrangements, agreements, papers, writings as may be required in this regard including but not limited to creation of security in connection with the issue of debt security, and authorisations hereunder are given to the end and intent that approval of the shareholders/members shall be deemed to have given under their authority such that all the actions taken by the Board or any committee of the Board, whether constituted/ to be constituted, to exercise its powers, in connection with any matter(s) referred to or contemplated in any of the foregoing resolutions be and are hereby approved, ratified and confirmed in all respects."

### **RESOLUTION NO. 2:**

To provide security against the issue of secured non convertible debentures/ bonds on private placement Basis

To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modification(s), the following Resolution as a Special Resolution:

"RESOLVED THAT in terms of the provisions of section 180(1) (a) of the Companies Act, 2013 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013, and the rules made thereunder, including any statutory modification or re-enactment thereof, for the time being in force [the "Act"], approval of shareholders/ members of the company be an is hereby accorded to the Board of Directors of the Company (hereinafter referred to as the "Board" which term shall be deemed to include any committee(s) constituted/ to be constituted by the Board, to exercise its powers including the powers conferred by this resolution and with the power to delegate authority to any person or persons) to mortgage, charge, hypothecate, pledge or otherwise, encumber from time to time, movable and/or immovable, tangible and/ or intangible properties/ assets, both present and future and/ or whole or substantially the whole of the undertaking(s) of the Company, in such form, manner and time as the Board may deem fit, for securing the issue of secured (as may be decided by the Board) non-convertible debentures and or bonds by the Company through private placement basis, to the tune of Rs. 150 Crores, together with interest, costs, charges, expenses and all other monies payable by the Company, to the subscribers of such debentures and/or any other debt instruments together with interest, remuneration of the trustees, premium, if any, on redemption, costs, charges and expenses payable by the Company in terms of the trust deed/other documents as may be finalized and executed between the Company and the trustees/ lenders and containing such specific terms and conditions (which may include authorization to the lender to transfer/assignment of security in favour of third party) and covenants in that behalf and agreed to between the Board and the trustees/lenders, up to a value of Rs. 150 Crores."

**"RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Board be and is hereby authorized to take such steps as may be necessary for obtaining approvals, statutory, contractual or otherwise, in relation to the above and to settle all matters arising out of and incidental thereto, and to sign and to execute deeds, applications, documents and writings that may be required on behalf of the Company and generally to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things as may be necessary, proper, expedient or incidental for giving effect to this resolution."

By Order of the Board of Directors

Nitin Sharma (Company Secretary & Compliance Officer)

Place: New Delhi

Date: 04th January, 2018

#### NOTES:

- Explanatory statement pursuant to section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013 and section 110 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 is annexed hereto.
- The Notice is being sent to all the members, whose name(s)
  would appear in the Register of Members(s)/ Record of
  Depositories as on 12th January, 2018.
- Shareholders who have registered their e-mail IDs for receipt
  of documents in electronic mode are being sent notice of
  postal ballot by e-mail and others are sent by post along with
  postal ballot form. Shareholders who have received postal
  ballot notice by e-mail and who wish to vote through physical



postal ballot form can download postal ballot form from the link www.evoting.nsdl.com or www.ashianahousing.com or seek duplicate postal ballot form from Ashiana Housing Ltd., Unit No. 4 & 5, 3rd Floor, Southern Park, Saket District Centre, Saket, New Delhi – 110 017, or Beetal Financial & Computer Services (P) Ltd. 3rd Floor, Beetal House, Near Dada Harsukhdass Mandir, Behind Local Shopping Centre, Madangir, Delhi – 110 062, fill in the details and send the same to the Scrutinizer.

- 4. In compliance with Sections 108 and 110 of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Rules made there under, the Company is providing the facility to the Members to exercise their votes electronically and vote on all the resolutions through voting service facility arranged by NSDL. The instructions for electronic voting are annexed to this notice.
- 5. Kindly note that the shareholders can opt only one mode of voting, i.e., either by physical ballot or e-voting. If you are opting for e-voting, then do not vote by physical ballot also and vice versa. However, in case shareholders cast their vote by physical ballot and e-voting, then voting done through valid physical ballot shall prevail and voting done by e-voting will be treated as invalid.
- 6. Shareholders desiring to exercise vote by physical postal ballot are requested to carefully read the instructions printed in the Postal Ballot Form and return the Form duly completed and signed in the enclosed self-addressed business reply envelope to the Scrutinizer. The postage cost will be borne by the Company. However, envelopes containing Postal Ballots, if sent by courier or registered/ speed post at the expense of the Shareholders will also be accepted.
- 7. The voting rights of shareholders shall be in proportion to their shares of the paid up equity share capital of the Company as on Friday, 12th January, 2018.
- 8. Mr. Ashok Kumar Verma C/o A.K. Verma & Co. Company Secretary in Practice (Membership No. FCS 3945 and Certificate of Practice No. 2568) has been appointed as Scrutinizer to scrutinize the e-voting process and postal ballot process in a fair and transparent manner.
- 9. The Scrutinizer will submit his report to the Managing Director or Whole Time Director or Company Secretary of the Company after completion of the scrutiny of the Postal Ballot Forms and the result of the Postal Ballot will be announced on or before 22nd February, 2018. The result of the Postal Ballot will also be displayed on at the Corporate Office at Unit No. 4 & 5, 3rd Floor, Southern Park, Saket District Centre, Saket, New Delhi-110 017, and posted on the Company's website at www.ashianahousing. com and communicated to the stock exchanges where the Company's shares are listed. The result of the Postal Ballot will also be published in one English newspaper and one Hindi newspaper. In the event, the draft resolution is assented to by the requisite majority of Shareholders by means of Postal Ballot, the date of declaration of Postal Ballot result shall be deemed to be the date of passing of the said resolution.
- 10. All documents referred to in the accompanying notice and the explanatory statement, Memorandum and Articles of Association, Annual Report shall be open for inspection at the Registered Office of the Company during office hours on all working days except Saturdays between 11.00 a.m. to 5.00 p.m. up to the date of declaration of the result of postal ballot.

 Resolutions passed by members through postal ballot are deemed to have been passed as if they have been passed at their General Meeting.

#### The instructions for e-voting are as under:

- A. In case a Member receives an email from NSDL [for members whose email IDs are registered with the Company/Depository Participants(s)]:
- (i) Open email and open PDF file viz. "Ashiana evoting.pdf" with your Client ID or Folio No. as password. The said PDF file contains your user ID and password/PIN for e-voting. Please note that the password is an initial password. If you are already registered with NSDL for e-voting then you can use your existing user ID and password for casting your vote.
- (ii) Launch internet browser by typing the following URL: https://www.evoting.nsdl.com
- (iii) Click on Shareholder Login
- (iv) Put user ID and password as initial password/PIN noted in step (i) above. Click Login.
- [v] Password change menu appears. Change the password/ PIN with new password of your choice with minimum 8 digits/characters or combination thereof. Note down new password. It is strongly recommended not to share your password with any other person and take utmost care to keep your password confidential.
- (vi) Home page of e-voting opens. Click on e-Voting: Active Voting Cycles.
- (vii) Select "EVEN" of Ashiana Housing Limited.
- (viii) Now you are ready for e-voting as Cast Vote page opens.
- (ix) Cast your vote by selecting appropriate option and click on "Submit" and also "Confirm" when prompted.
- (x) Upon confirmation, the message "Vote cast successfully" will be displayed.
- (xi) Once you have voted on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.
- (xii) 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. together with attested specimen signature of the duly authorized signatory(ies) who are authorized to vote, to the Scrutinizer through e-mail to "fcsvermaashok@gmail.com" with copy marked to evoting@nsdl.co.in.
- (B) In case of Shareholders' receiving Postal Ballot Form by Post:
- (i) Initial password is provided as below/at the bottom of the Postal Ballot Form.

EVEN (E Voting Event Number)	USER ID	PASSWORD/ PIN

- (ii) Please follow all steps from Sl. No. (ii) to Sl. No. (xii) above, to cast vote.
  - (a) 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 Downloads section of www.evoting.nsdl.com.
  - (b) If you are already registered with NSDL for e-voting then you can use your existing user ID and password for casting your vote.
    - In case Shareholders are holding shares in demat mode, USER-ID is the combination of (DPID+ClientID).
    - In case Shareholders are holding shares in physical mode, USER-ID is the combination of (Even No+Folio No).



Shareholders who forgot the User Details/Password can use "Forgot User Details/Password?" or "Physical User Reset Password?" option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com

(c) You can also update your mobile number and e-mail id in the user profile details of the folio which may be used for sending future communication(s).

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 102(1) OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013 SETTING OUT ALL MATERIAL FACTS RELATING TO SPECIAL BUSINESS:

#### For Resolution at Item No. 1

 a) Nature of concern or interest, financial or otherwise, of every director and key managerial personnel of the company and their relatives

The Directors and Key Managerial Personnel of the Company and their relatives thereof may be deemed to be concerned or interested in passing of this resolution to the extent of securities held by them or to the companies in which they are director or member. Save as aforesaid, none of the Directors, Key Managerial Personnel or relatives thereof are, in any way, concerned or interested in this resolution.

#### b) Other information

The company obtained approval from shareholders of the company in their annual general meeting held on 28th August, 2017 to raise funds by way of issue of secured non convertible debentures to the tune of Rs. 100 crores. The validity of the said approval was one year from the date of said annual general meeting and the company is open to raise funds to that extent on or before the expiry of one year from the date of 28th August, 2017. However, keeping in view the Company's existing and future financial requirements to support its business operations, including but not limited for the purposes mentioned herein below, it needs additional funds and is planning to raise funds upto aggregated amount of Rs. 150 crores by way of issue of non convertible secured and/or unsecured debentures/ bonds, through private placement basis. Debt instruments, whether debentures or bonds, constitutes a significant source of fund for the company.

The company intends to use proceeds of the issue for one or more of the following purpose:

- for construction & development of existing as well as new projects;
- 2. for land procurement;
- 3. for Capital expenditure for projects under development;
- for development costs of new projects (either directly or through our group entities, joint ventures or affiliates currently incorporated or to be incorporated/acquired);
- 5. for other general working capital requirements;
- 6. temporarily invest the funds in creditworthy instruments, including money market mutual funds and deposits with banks and corporates, including investment in subsidiaries, joint ventures and affiliates. Such investments would be in accordance with the investment policies approved by the Board of Directors from time to time;
- for strengthening the balance sheet of the company including repayment of debts;
- 8. Other general corporate purposes.

It is proposed to offer or invite subscriptions for debt instruments on private placement basis, in one or more tranches, during the period of one year from the date of passing of special resolution by the members for an aggregate amount of Rs. 150 crores, with the authority to the Board (which term will include its committee) to determine the terms and conditions as referred in the resolution, including nominal value/ issue price, interest repayment, redemption, utilisation, security and or otherwise as it may deem expedient and to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things in connection therewith and incidental thereto as it may in its absolute discretion deems fit without being required to seek any further consent or approval of the members or otherwise to the end and intent that they shall be deemed to have given their approval thereto expressly by the authority of the resolution.

The above said issue on private placement basis may be consummated in one or more tranches at such time or times at such price as the Board or its committee, whether constituted or to be constituted, may in its absolute discretion decide, subject, however, to the applicable guidelines, notifications, rules and regulations.

Accordingly the approval of members is being sought by way of special resolution under section 42 and 71 of the Companies Act, 2013 and rules framed thereunder for the issue of aforesaid debt instrument on private placement basis.

#### For Resolution at Item No. 2

 Nature of concern or interest, financial or otherwise, of every director and key managerial personnel of the company and their relatives

The Directors and Key Managerial Personnel of the Company and their relatives thereof may be deemed to be concerned or interested in passing of this resolution to the extent of securities held by them or to the companies in which they are director or member. Save as aforesaid, none of the Directors, Key Managerial Personnel or relatives thereof are, in any way, concerned or interested in this resolution.

#### b) Other information

The above issue of debt security of i.e. non-convertible debentures/ bonds through private placement basis, in terms of the resolution passed in Item No. 1, would amount to borrowing money. Therefore, approval of shareholders is sought to authorise the Board of Directors to provide security in case the Board decides issue secured debentures. The security may be provided whether by way of mortgage, charge, hypothecation, pledge or otherwise, and to encumber from time to time, any movable and/or immovable, tangible and/or intangible properties/assets, both present and future and/or whole or substantially the whole of the undertaking(s) of the Company, in such form, manner and time as the Board may deem fit.

The Special Resolution in item no. 2, if passed, will have the effect of allowing the Board to take action on the same. The Board of Directors of the Company recommends the resolution for the approval of the shareholders as a Special Resolution.

By Order of the Board of Directors

Nitin Sharma (Company Secretary & Compliance Officer)

Place: New Delhi

Date: 04th January, 2018

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