

Matex International Limited
(Company Registration No. 198904222M)
(Incorporated in Singapore)
(the “Company”)

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS REGARDING THE COMPANY’S ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING TO BE HELD ON 28 APRIL 2021

1. Introduction

The Board of Directors (the “**Board**” or “**Directors**”) of Matex International Limited (the “**Company**” and together with its subsidiaries, collectively the “**Group**”) refers to:

- (i) the COVID-19 (Temporary Measures) Act 2020 (the “**Act**”) passed by Parliament on 7 April 2020 which enables the Minister for Law by order to prescribe alternative arrangements for listed companies in Singapore to, inter alia, conduct general meetings, either wholly or partly, by electronic communication, video conferencing, tele-conferencing or other electronic means;
- (ii) the COVID-19 (Temporary Measures) (Alternative Arrangements for Meetings for Companies, Variable Capital Companies, Business Trusts, Unit Trusts and Debenture Holders) Order 2020 (the “**Order**”) which was gazetted on 13 April 2020 and is deemed to have come into operation on 27 March 2020, and which sets out the alternative arrangements in respect of, *inter alia*, general meetings of companies; and
- (iii) The Order has been extended from 30 September 2020 to 30 June 2021 and amendments to the Temporary Measures Act come into force on 29 September 2020. A joint statement was also issued on 13 April 2020, and subsequently updated on 27 April 2020 and 1 October 2020, by the Monetary Authority of Singapore, the Accounting and Corporate Regulatory Authority and the Singapore Exchange Regulation to provide guidance on the conduct of general meetings during the period when elevated safe distancing measures are in place. In view of these development, general meetings which held on or before 30 June 2021 can be held via electronic means, and are encouraged to do so. This will help keep physical interactions and COVID-19 transmission risks to a minimum, which remain important in the long term, even as safe distancing regulations are gradually and cautiously relaxed.

2. Date, Time and Conduct of Annual General Meeting

The Directors wish to inform shareholders that the Company will issue the Notice of Annual General Meeting (“**AGM**”) on 13 April 2021 (“**Notice of AGM**”). The AGM will be held by way of electronic means on 28 April 2021 at 10.00 a.m.

3. No Despatch of Printed Copies of Annual Report, Notice of AGM and Proxy Form

In line with the Order (as amended from time to time), no printed copies of the Annual Report, the Notice of AGM and the Proxy Form in respect of the AGM will be despatched to shareholders.

A copy of the Annual Report attaching the Notice of AGM and the Proxy Form has been uploaded on SGXNet and will be made available on the Company’s website. A shareholder will need an internet browser and PDF reader to view these documents on SGXNet and the Company’s website.

4. Alternative Arrangements for AGM No physical attendance

Pursuant to the Order (as amended from time to time), the AGM will be held by electronic means and members of the Company will NOT be allowed to attend the AGM in person.

Alternative arrangements are instead put in place to allow shareholders to participate in the AGM by:

- (i) watching and/or listening to the AGM proceedings via a “live” webcast;
- (ii) submitting questions ahead of the AGM; and/or
- (iii) voting by proxy at the AGM.

“Live” webcast

The AGM proceedings will be conducted via electronic means. Shareholders will be able to watch or listen to the proceedings via a “live” webcast on their mobile phones, tablets or computers.

In order to do the above, shareholders will have to follow these steps:

- (i) Shareholders (including those who hold their shares through relevant intermediaries¹ (including CPF Investors or SRS Investors)) who wish to watch or listen to the “live” webcast must pre-register with the Company at the URL: <https://www.bigmarker.com/AAP/Matex-International-Limited-General-Meetings-2021> (the “**Matex AGM Website**”), no later than 10.00 a.m. on 26 April 2021 (the “**Registration Deadline**”).
- (ii) Following authentication of a shareholder’s status, such shareholder will receive an email on their authentication status and instructions on how to access the “live” webcast of the AGM proceedings.
- (ii) Shareholders who have pre-registered by the Registration Deadline but do not receive the aforementioned email by 12.00 p.m. on 27 April 2021 should contact the Company at the following email address: eagm@matex.com.sg, with the following details included: (1) the full name of the shareholder; and (2) his/her/its identification/registration number.
- (iii) Non-CPF/SRS holders whose shares are registered under Depository Agents (“DAs”) must also contact their respective DAs to indicate their interest in order for their respective DAs to make the necessary arrangements as stated in the paragraph above for them to participate in the “live” webcast of the AGM proceedings.

Shareholders are reminded that the AGM proceedings are private. Instructions on access to the “live” webcast of the AGM proceedings should therefore not be shared with anyone who is not a shareholder of the Company or otherwise he or she shall not be authorised to attend the AGM. Recording of the “live” webcast in whatever form is also strictly prohibited.

¹ A relevant intermediary is:

- (a) a banking corporation licensed under the Banking Act (Chapter 19 of Singapore) or a wholly-owned subsidiary of such a banking corporation, whose business includes the provision of nominee services and who holds shares in that capacity; or
- (b) a person holding a capital markets services licence to provide custodial services under the Securities and Futures Act (Chapter 289 of Singapore) and who holds shares in that capacity; or
- (c) the Central Provident Fund Board established by the Central Provident Fund Act (Chapter 36 of Singapore), in respect of shares purchased under the subsidiary legislation made under that Act providing for the making of investments from the contributions and interest standing to the credit of members of the Central Provident Fund, if the Central Provident Fund Board holds those shares in the capacity of an intermediary pursuant to or in accordance with that subsidiary legislation.

System Requirement

Browser

For optimal user experience, it is recommended that shareholders use the following browser versions when accessing the Matex AGM Website as well as the “live” webcast of the AGM proceedings:

- Mozilla Firefox 69 and above; or
- Safari 12.1.2 and above; or
- Google Chrome 74 and above; or
- Microsoft Edge 79 and above.

Operating System

For Microsoft Windows Operating system, it is recommended that shareholders use Windows 10.

Submission of questions

Shareholders may submit questions relating to the resolution to be tabled for approval at the AGM.

All questions must be submitted no later than 10.00 a.m. on 21 April 2021 (the “**Submission Deadline**”) via any one of the following means:

- (i) by posting a physical copy to the registered office of the Company at 1003 Bukit Merah Central #01-10 Inno Centre, Singapore 159836; or
- (ii) by email to eagm@matex.com.sg.

If the questions are deposited in physical copy at the Company’s registered office or sent via email, and in either case not accompanied by the completed and executed proxy form, the following details must be included with the submitted questions: (1) the full name of the shareholder; and (2) his/her/its identification/registration number for verification purposes, failing which the submission will be treated as invalid.

The Company will endeavour to address substantial and relevant questions relating to the resolution to be tabled for approval at the AGM.

Please note that shareholders will not be able to ask questions at the AGM and accordingly, it is important for shareholders to submit their questions by the Submission Deadline.

The Company will publish the minutes of the AGM on SGXNet and the Company’s website, and the minutes will record substantial and relevant questions from shareholders relating to the resolution tabled at the AGM, and the responses from the board of directors and management (as applicable).

Voting by proxy

Shareholders will not be able to vote online at the AGM. Instead, if shareholders (whether individuals or corporates) wish to exercise their votes, they must submit a proxy form to appoint the chairman of the AGM (the “**AGM Chairman**”) to vote on their behalf.

Shareholders (whether individuals or corporates) appointing the AGM Chairman as proxy must give specific instructions as to his/her/its manner of voting, or abstentions from voting, in the proxy form, failing which the appointment and votes will be treated as invalid.

The proxy form must be submitted to the Company no later than **10.00 a.m. on 26 April 2021** through any one of the following means:

- (i) by posting a physical copy to the registered office of the Company at 1003, Bukit Merah Central, #01-10 Inno Centre, Singapore 159836; or
- (ii) by sending a scanned PDF copy by email to eagm@matex.com.sg.

Shareholders who hold their shares through relevant intermediaries¹ (including CPF Investors or SRS Investors) and who wish to exercise their votes by appointing the AGM Chairman as proxy should approach their respective relevant intermediaries (including their respective CPF Agent Banks or SRS Operators) to submit their voting instructions at least seven (7) working days prior to the date of the AGM.

As the COVID-19 situation is constantly evolving, the Company has to implement measures to take into account the requirements, guidelines and recommendations of regulatory bodies and government agencies from time to time. Accordingly, the Company may be required to change its AGM arrangements at short notice. Shareholders are advised to closely monitor announcements made by the Company on SGXNET.

The Company would like to thank all shareholders for their patience and cooperation in enabling us to hold and conduct the AGM with the optimum safe distancing measures amidst the COVID-19 pandemic.

By Order of the Board

Dr Tan Pang Kee
Chief Executive Officer/Managing Director
13 April 2021

This announcement has been prepared by the Company and its contents have been reviewed by the Company's Sponsor, CIMB Bank Berhad, Singapore Branch (the "**Sponsor**"), in accordance with Rule 226(2)(b) of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited (the "**SGX-ST**") Listing Manual Section B: Rules of Catalist (the "**Catalist Rules**").

This announcement has not been examined or approved by the SGX-ST. The SGX-ST and the Sponsor assume no responsibility for the contents of this announcement, including the correctness of any of the statements or opinions made, or reports contained in this announcement.

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