AITKEN SPENCE HOTEL HOLDINGS PLC-ANNUAL REPORT 2022/2023

NOTICE OF MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the Forty Sixth (46th) Annual General Meeting of Aitken Spence Hotel Holdings PLC will be held at No. 315, Vauxhall Street, Colombo 02 on Friday, 30th June 2023 at 10.45 a.m., as a virtual meeting using a digital platform for the following purposes:-

- 1. To receive and consider the Annual Report of the Board of Directors together with the Financial Statements for the year ended 31st March 2023 and the Report of the Auditors thereon.
- 2. To re-appoint Deshamanya D.H.S. Jayawardena who is over the age of 70 years, as a Director by passing the following Resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:
 - "IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED that the age limit stipulated in Section 210 of the Companies Act No. 7 of 2007 shall not apply to Deshamanya D.H.S. Jayawardena who is 80 years of age and that he be re-appointed a Director of the Company."
- 3. To re-appoint Mr. R.N. Asirwatham who is over the age of 70 years, as a Director by passing the following Resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:
 - "IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED that the age limit stipulated in Section 210 of the Companies Act No. 7 of 2007 shall not apply to Mr. R.N. Asirwatham who is 80 years of age and that he be re-appointed a Director of the Company."
- 4. To re-appoint Mr. J.M.S. Brito who is over the age of 70 years, as a Director by passing the following Resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:
 - "IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED that the age limit stipulated in Section 210 of the Companies Act No. 7 of 2007 shall not apply to Mr. J.M.S. Brito who is 76 years of age and that he be re-appointed a Director of the Company."
- 5. To re-appoint Mr. N.J. de Silva Deva Aditya who is over the age of 70 years, as a Director by passing the following Resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:
 - "IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED that the age limit stipulated in Section 210 of the Companies Act No. 7 of 2007 shall not apply to Mr. N.J. de Silva Deva Aditya who is 75 years of age and that he be re-appointed a Director of the Company."
- 6. To re-elect Mr. C.H. Gomez who retires in terms of Article 83 and 84 of the Articles of Association, as a Director.
- 7. To elect Mr. M.A.N.S Perera who retires in terms of Article 90 of the Articles of Association, as a Director.
- 8. To authorise the Directors to determine contributions to charities.
- To re-appoint the retiring External Auditors, Messrs. KPMG, Chartered Accountants and authorise the Directors to determine their remuneration.
- 10. To consider any other business of which due notice has been given.

By Order of the Board

Aitken Spence Hotel Holdings PLC

Aitken Spence Corporate Finance (Private) Limited

Secretaries

06th June 2023 Colombo

Note:

1. The Annual General Meeting of Aitken Spence Hotel Holdings PLC will be held as a virtual meeting by participants joining in person or by proxy, through audio or audio visual means in the manner specified below:

i. Shareholder participation

- a) The shareholders are encouraged to appoint a Director of the Company as their proxy to represent them at the meeting.
- b) The shareholders may also appoint any other persons other than a Director of the Company as their proxy and the proxy so appointed shall participate at the meeting through audio or audio visual means only.
- c) The shareholders who wish to participate at the meeting will be able to join the meeting through audio or audio visual means only. To facilitate this process, the shareholders are required to furnish their details by perfecting Annexure II to the circular to shareholders and forward same to reach the Company Secretaries via e-mail dilshani.yapa@aitkenspence.lk or facsimile on +94 11 $2445406\ \mathrm{or}\ \mathrm{by}\ \mathrm{post}\ \mathrm{to}\ \mathrm{the}\ \mathrm{registered}\ \mathrm{address}\ \mathrm{of}\ \mathrm{the}\ \mathrm{Company}$ No. 315, Vauxhall Street, Colombo 02 not less than five (05) days before the date of the meeting so that the meeting login information could be forwarded to the email addresses so provided. The circular to the shareholders will be posted to all the shareholders along with the Notice of Meeting and the Form of Proxy.
- d) To facilitate the appointment of proxies, the Form of Proxy is attached hereto and the duly filled Forms of Proxy should be sent to reach the Company Secretaries via e-mail to dilshani.yapa@aitkenspence.lk or facsimile on +94 11 2445406 or by post to the registered address of the Company No. 315, Vauxhall Street, Colombo 02, not less than forty eight (48) hours before the time fixed for the meeting.

ii. Shareholders' queries

The shareholders are hereby advised that if they wish to raise any queries, such queries should be sent to reach the Company Secretaries, via e-mail to dilshani.yapa@aitkenspence.lk or facsimile on +94 11 2445406 or by post to the registered address of the Company No. 315, Vauxhall Street, Colombo 2, **not less than five (5) days before the date of the meeting.** This is in order to enable the Company Secretaries to compile the queries and forward same to the attention of the Board of Directors so that such queries could be addressed at the meeting.

2. The Annual Report of the Company for the financial year 2022/2023 will be available for perusal on the Company website on www.aitkenspencehotels.com, the Colombo Stock Exchange website on www.cse.lk and the social media sites of the Company.