

# Unilever Pakistan Limited

## Notice of Annual General Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the 66<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting of Unilever Pakistan Limited will be held at The Institute of Chartered Accountants of Pakistan, Chartered Accountants Avenue, Clifton Block 8, Karachi, on Tuesday, April 14, 2015, at 11:00 a.m. to transact the following business:

#### **Ordinary Business**

- 1. To receive, consider and adopt the Company's Financial Statements for the year ended December 31, 2014, together with the Reports of the Auditors and Directors thereon.
- To approve and declare dividend (2014) on the Ordinary Shares of the Company. The Directors have recommended a final cash dividend of 254.56% (or Rs.127.28 per share) on the Ordinary Shares. Together with the Interim dividend of 692% (or Rs. 346.00 per ordinary share), already paid, the total dividend for 2014 will thus amount to 946.56% (or Rs.473.28 per ordinary share).
- 3. To appoint Auditors for the ensuing year, and to fix their remuneration. (Messrs KPMG Taseer Hadi & Co., Chartered Accountants, retire and being eligible have offered themselves for re-appointment).

By Order of the Board

Karachi March 20, 2015 Amar Naseer Company Secretary

#### Notes:

- 1. Share Transfer Books will be closed from April 08, 2015 to April 14, 2015 (both days inclusive) when no transfer of shares will be accepted for registration. Transfers in good order, received at the office of Company's Share Registrar M/s THK Associates (Private) Limited, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, State Life Building-3, Dr. Ziauddin Ahmed Road, Karachi-75530 by the close of the Business on April 07, 2015 will be treated in time for the purpose of payment of Final Dividend to the transferees.
- 2. All Members/Shareholders (whether holding Preference or Ordinary Shares) are entitled to attend and vote at the meeting. A Member may appoint a proxy who need not be a Member of the Company.
- 3. Duly completed instrument of proxy, and the other authority under which it is signed, or a notarially certified copy thereof, must be lodged with the Company Secretary at the Company's Registered Office (1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Avari Plaza, Fatima Jinnah Road, Karachi) at least 48 hours before the time of the Meeting.
- 4. CDC Account Holders will further have to follow the under-mentioned guidelines as laid down by the Securities and Exchange Commission of Pakistan:

## A. For Attending the Meeting:

- i) In case of individuals, the account holder or sub-account holder and / or the person whose securities are in group account and their registration details are uploaded as per the Regulations, shall authenticate his / her identity by showing his / her original valid Computerized National Identity Card (CNIC) or original passport at the time of attending the Meeting.
- ii) In case of corporate entity, the Board of Directors' resolution/power of attorney with specimen signature of the nominee shall be produced (unless it has been provided earlier) at the time of the Meeting.

## **B.** For Appointing Proxies:

- i) In case of individuals, the account holder or sub-account holder and/or the person whose securities are in group account and their registration details are uploaded as per the Regulations, shall submit the proxy form accordingly.
- ii) The proxy form shall be witnessed by two persons whose names, addresses and CNIC numbers shall be mentioned on the form.
- iii) Attested copies of valid CNIC or the passport of the beneficial owners and the proxy shall be furnished with the proxy form.
- iv) The proxy shall produce his / her original valid CNIC or original passport at the time of Meeting.
- v) In case of corporate entity, the Board of Directors' resolution / power of attorney with specimen signature of the person nominated to represent and vote on behalf of the corporate entity, shall be submitted along with proxy form to the Company.

5. The Individual Members who have not yet submitted photocopy of their valid Computerized National Identity Card (CNIC) to the Company / Share Registrar, are once again reminded to send the same at the earliest directly to Company's Share Registrar, M/s THK Associates (Private) Limited, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, State Life Building-3, Dr. Ziauddin Ahmed Road, Karachi-75530. The Corporate Entities are requested to provide their National Tax Number (NTN).

Please give Folio Number with the copy of CNIC / NTN details. The Shareholders who hold shares with Participants / Stock Brokers or with Central Depository Company may approach to provide the CNIC number / NTN details to their Participants / Stock Broker or to CDC to update the details in their electronic system. Reference is also made to the Securities and Exchange Commission of Pakistan (SECP) Notifications SRO 779 (I) dated August 18, 2011, and SRO 831 (I) 2012 dated July 05, 2012, which mandates that the dividend warrants should bear CNIC number of the registered member or the authorized person, except in case of minor(s) and corporate members. In case of non-receipt of the copy of a valid CNIC, the Company would be unable to comply with the said SROs of SECP and therefore will be constrained under Section 251 (2) (a) of the Companies Ordinance 1984 to withhold dividend warrants of such Shareholders.

- 6. (i) The Government of Pakistan through Finance Act, 2014 has made certain amendments in Section 150 of the Income Tax Ordinance 2001 whereby different rates are prescribed for deduction of withholding tax on the amount of dividend paid by the Companies. These rates are as under:
  - (a) For Filers of Income Tax Return 10%
  - (b) For Non-Filers of Income Tax Return 15%

To enable the Company to make tax deduction on the amount of cash dividend @ 10% instead of 15% all the shareholders whose names are not entered into the Active Tax-payers List (ATL) provided on the website of FBR, despite the fact that they are filers, are advised to make sure that their names are entered into ATL before the date for payment of the cash dividend i.e. May 08, 2015, otherwise tax on their cash dividend will be deducted @ 15% instead of 10%.

(ii) For any query/problem/information, the investor may contact the Share Registrar: Mr. Nauman Saeed Khan, Assistant Manager, telephone number: 111-000-322 (123), e-mail address: noman\_cs@thk.com.pk or Mr. Masood Ahmed, Manager, telephone number: 111-000-322 (124) or +92-21-35682241 e-mail address: masood\_ahmed@thk.com.pk; and /or the Company: Ms. Wajiha Khan, telephone number: +92- 21-35660062 e-mail address: wajiha.khan@unilever.com.

(iii) The corporate shareholders having CDC accounts are required to have their National Tax Number (NTN) updated with their respective participants, whereas corporate physical shareholder should send a copy of their NTN certificate to the company or its Share Registrar M/s THK Associates (Private) Limited. The Shareholders while sending NTN or NTN certificates, as the case may be, must quote Company name and their respective folio numbers.

According to clarification received from Federal Board of Revenue (FBR), withholding tax will be determined separately on 'Filer/Non-Filer' status of Principal Shareholder as well as Joint Holder(s) based on their shareholding proportions, in case of joint holding / joint account. In this regard, all shareholders who hold shares with joint shareholders, are requested to provide shareholding proportions of Principal Shareholder and Joint-Holder(s) in respect of shares held by them, to our Share Registrar, M/s THK Associates (Private) Limited, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, State Life Building-3, Dr. Ziauddin Ahmed Road, Karachi-75530, in writing, otherwise it will be assumed that the shares are equally held by Principal Shareholder and Joint –Holder(s).

- 7. According to the SECP circular No. 8(4) SM/CDC 2008 of April 05, 2013, Shareholders are entitled to receive their cash dividend directly in their bank accounts instead of receiving the dividend warrants physically. Shareholders having physical holding and desiring to avail this option may submit the prescribed Dividend Mandate Form, to the Company's Share Registrar. The Shareholders who hold shares with participants / stock brokers or with Central Depository Company may approach to submit the prescribed Dividend Mandate details to their participants / stock broker or to CDC for this option, with a copy of the Dividend Mandate Form to Share Registrar of the Company.
- 8. Any change of address of Members should be immediately notified to the Company's Share Registrars, M/s THK Associates (Private) Limited, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, State Life Building-3, Dr. Ziauddin Ahmed Road, Karachi-75530.