

#### **Bandhan Bank Limited**

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**BSE Limited** Dept. of Corporate Services Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers, Dalal Street, Mumbai – 400001 **BSE Scrip Code: 541153**  National Stock Exchange of India Limited

The Listing Department Exchange Plaza, C-1, Block G Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra (E) Mumbai – 400051 **NSE Symbol: BANDHANBNK** 

Dear Sir/Madam,

# Sub: Disclosures under the applicable provisions of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ('SEBI LODR') – Outcome of the 9<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting of Bandhan Bank Limited

In continuation to our letter Ref. No.: 196 dated July 18, 2023, we would like to inform that the 9<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting ('**AGM**') of Bandhan Bank Limited (the '**Bank**') was held on **Friday, August 18, 2023, at 11.00 a.m. (IST)**, through Video Conferencing ('**VC**') / Other Audio-Visual Means ('**OAVM**'), in compliance with the relevant provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 (the '**Act**') and the Rules made thereunder, read with relevant circulars issued in this regard, by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs and the Securities and Exchange Board of India.

Pursuant to Regulation 44 of the SEBI LODR and the applicable provisions of the Act, the Bank has provided the facility to the Members to cast their vote on the resolutions proposed by way of electronic means, i.e., through remote e-voting from Tuesday, August 15, 2023 at 9:00 a.m. (IST) till Thursday, August 17, 2023 at 5:00 p.m. (IST) and during the AGM through e-voting ('**Instapoll**'). The Bank had appointed CS Hansraj Jaria (FCS No.: 7703/CP No.: 19394), Practising Company Secretary, to act as the Scrutinizer, to scrutinize the e-voting process in a fair and transparent manner. Accordingly, the Scrutinizer has submitted the Consolidated Scrutinizer's Report on the remote e-voting and Instapoll. On the basis of Scrutinizer's Report, all the resolutions as set out in the AGM Notice have been duly approved by the Members with requisite majority and the resolutions are declared as passed in the AGM on August 18, 2023. Summary of the proposals approved by the Members are as under:

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- 1. Consideration and adoption of the Audited Annual Financial Statement of the Bank for the financial year ended March 31, 2023 and the Reports of the Board of Directors and Auditors thereon;
- Declaration of dividend on equity shares of the Bank for the financial year ended March 31, 2023;
- 3. Appointment of Ms. Divya Krishnan (DIN: 09276201), who retires by rotation as a Director and being eligible, offers herself for re-appointment;
- 4. Approval for increase in remuneration of the Joint Statutory Auditors;
- 5. Re-appointment of Mr. Suhail Chander (DIN: 06941577) as an Independent Director, not liable to retire by rotation, to hold office for the second term of five years, that is, from March 19, 2024 up to March 18, 2029;
- 6. Re-appointment of Mr. Subrata Dutta Gupta (DIN: 08767943) as an Independent Director, not liable to retire by rotation, to hold office for the second term of five years, that is, from March 19, 2024 up to March 18, 2029;
- 7. Remuneration of Mr. Chandra Shekhar Ghosh (DIN: 00342477), Managing Director & CEO, with effect from April 01, 2022; and
- 8. Approval of material related party transactions with promoter / promoter group entities.

In view of the above and pursuant to Regulations 30 and 44 of the SEBI LODR and applicable provisions of the Act, we hereby submit the following:

- 1. Summary of AGM proceedings;
- 2. Voting Results in the prescribed format; and
- 3. Consolidated Scrutinizer's Report on e-voting.

This disclosure is being simultaneously uploaded on the website of the Bank at <u>www.bandhanbank.com</u>.

You are requested to take note of the above.

Thanking you.

Yours faithfully, for **Bandhan Bank Limited** 

Indranil Banerjee Company Secretary



Encl.: As above

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# Proceedings of the 9th Annual General Meeting of Bandhan Bank Limited

The 9<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting ('**AGM**' / '**meeting**') of Bandhan Bank Limited (the '**Bank**') was held on Friday, August 18, 2023, at 11.00 A.M. (IST), through Video Conferencing ('**VC**') / Other Audio-Visual Means ('**OAVM**'), in compliance with the applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 (the '**Act**'), the rules made thereunder and General Circular Nos. 14/2020 dated April 08, 2020, 17/ 2020 dated April 13, 2020, 20/2020 dated May 05, 2020 read with other relevant circulars, including General Circular No. 10/2022 dated December 28, 2022, issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs ('**MCA**') and circulars dated May 12, 2020, January 15, 2021, May 13, 2022 and January 05, 2023, issued by the Securities and Exchange Board of India ('**SEBI**').

Dr. Anup Kumar Sinha, Non-Executive Non- Independent Chairman of the Board, chaired the AGM. The Chairman introduced the Directors, Key Managerial Personnel of the Bank and invitees attending the Meeting. The Chairmen of the Audit Committee, Nomination and Remuneration Committee and Stakeholders' Relationship Committee were present at the AGM. The representatives of the Statutory Auditors and Secretarial Auditor were also present at the meeting. All other directors were also present at the meeting.

The requisite quorum being present, the Chairman, Dr. Anup Kumar Sinha, called the meeting to order and welcomed the Members to the 9<sup>th</sup> AGM of the Bank. Dr. Sinha stated that since the meeting was being conducted through VC/ OAVM, no proxy was entitled to attend the meeting in line with the requirements of the aforesaid circulars issued by the MCA and the SEBI.

The Chairman further informed that the facility for remote e-voting on all the resolutions as set out in the Notice of the AGM had been provided to the Members in proportion to their voting rights as on the cut-off date, i.e., **Friday, August 11, 2023**. He also informed that voting by electronic means ('**Instapoll**') was also made available during the AGM to those Members who had not already cast their vote through remote e-voting. The Chairman thereafter, informed that CS Hansraj Jaria, Practising Company Secretary, had been appointed as the Scrutinizer for scrutinizing the e-voting process in a fair and transparent manner and that he was present at the AGM.

The Chairman further informed that in terms of the provisions of the Act, and other applicable provisions of law, documents and Statutory Registers, as required, were

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made available electronically for inspection by the Members during the course of the AGM.

The Chairman, thereafter, addressed the Members present at the AGM and thereafter, the Managing Director & CEO of the Bank addressed the Members on the performance of the Bank.

The Chairman informed that the Report of the Statutory Auditors on the Audited Financial Statement of the Bank for the financial year ended March 31, 2023 did not contain any qualification, observation, comment or other remarks, which may have any adverse effect on the functioning of the Bank. He also informed that the Report of the Secretarial Auditor for the financial year ended March 31, 2023 did not contain any qualification, observation, comment or other remarks, which may have any adverse effect on the financial year ended March 31, 2023 did not contain any qualification, observation, comment or other remarks, which may have any adverse effect on the functioning of the Bank.

The Chairman, thereafter, invited the Members to put forth their queries and seek clarifications, if any, relating to the Annual Financial Statement for the financial year 2022-23 and proposals stated in the Notice of the AGM.

The Members, who had registered as Speaker Shareholders and were present at the meeting, expressed their views / sought clarification(s) on various issues relating to the business and operations of the Bank. Mr. Chandra Shekhar Ghosh, MD & CEO, Mr. Sunil Samdani, CFO, responded to their queries and provided clarification(s) satisfactorily.

Thereafter, the following proposals as stated out in the Notice of 9<sup>th</sup> AGM were then taken up for consideration:

SI. No.	Agenda Items	Type of Resolution
Ordi	inary Business	
1.	Consideration and adoption of the Audited Annual Financial Statement of the Bank for the financial year ended March 31, 2023 and the Reports of the Board of Directors and Auditors thereon	Ordinary
2.	Declaration of dividend on equity shares of the Bank for the financial year ended March 31, 2023	Ordinary
3.	Appointment of Ms. Divya Krishnan (DIN: 09276201), who retires by rotation as a Director and being eligible, offers herself for re- appointment	Ordinary



SI. No.	Agenda Items	Type of Resolution
4.	Approval for increase in remuneration of the Joint Statutory Auditors	Ordinary
Spee	cial Business	
5.	Re-appointment of Mr. Suhail Chander (DIN: 06941577) as an Independent Director, not liable to retire by rotation, to hold office for the second term of five years, that is, from March 19, 2024 up to March 18, 2029	Special
6.	Re-appointment of Mr. Subrata Dutta Gupta (DIN: 08767943) as an Independent Director, not liable to retire by rotation, to hold office for the second term of five years, that is, from March 19, 2024 up to March 18, 2029	Special
7.	Approval of Remuneration of Mr. Chandra Shekhar Ghosh (DIN: 00342477), Managing Director & CEO, with effect from April 01, 2022	Ordinary
8.	Approval of material related party transactions with promoter / promoter group entities	Ordinary

The Chairman then informed that the results of the remote e-voting and Instapoll, together with the Consolidated Report of the Scrutinizer thereon, will be submitted to the Stock Exchanges and displayed on the website of the Bank at <u>www.bandhanbank.com</u> and on the website of the e-voting Service Provider, i.e., KFin Technologies Limited, within two days from the conclusion of the AGM. He further informed that the result will also be displayed at the Registered Office and Head office of the Bank.

The Chairman thanked the Members for attending the 9<sup>th</sup> AGM of the Bank through VC/OAVM and declared the meeting as concluded.

The meeting concluded at 12:49 P.M. (IST), after being open for 15 minutes for InstaPoll to be completed.

On the basis of the Scrutinizer's Consolidated Report dated August 18, 2023 on the remote e-voting and Instapoll conducted during the AGM, all the resolutions as set out in the Notice dated May 26, 2023 of 9th AGM, have been duly passed, with requisite majority, by the Members on August 18, 2023, that is, the date of 9<sup>th</sup> AGM.



E-V	oting Results - 9th Annual General Meeting	
Disclosure as per Regulation 44 of t	he SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015	
Name of the Company	BANDHAN BANK LIMITED	
Date of the AGM/EGM	August 18, 2023	
Total number of shareholders on record date	5,67,610	
No. of shareholders present in the meeting either in person or through proxy:		
Promoters and Promoter Group:	NOT APPLICABLE	
Public:	NOT APPLICABLE	
No. of Shareholders attended the meeting through Video Conferencing		
Promoters and Promoter Group:	0	
Public:	123	

Resolution No.	1							
Resolution required: (Ordinary/ Special)	ORDINARY - Consideration and adop Directors and Auditors thereon	otion of the Audited A	Annual Financial Sta	tement of the Bank for th	e financial year end	ed March 31, 20	023 and the Reports of	the Board of
Whether promoter/ promoter group are interested in the agenda/resolution?	No	and the			125	Nan La		
Category	Mode of Voting	No. of shares held (1)	No. of votes polled (2)	% of Votes Polled on outstanding shares (3)=[(2)/(1)]* 100	No. of Votes – in favour (4)	No. of Votes – against (5)	% of Votes in favour on votes polled (6)=[(4)/(2)]*100	% of Votes against on votes polled (7)={(5)/(2)]*100
Promoter and Promoter Group	Remote E-Voting		64,41,15,857	100.0000	64,41,15,857	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Less: Not considered as per Banking Regulation Act, 1949 #	- 64,41,15,857 - 	22,52,91,057	34.9768	22,52,91,057	0	•	
	Votes Considered		41,88,24,800	65.0232	41,88,24,800	0	100.0000	0.0000
	InstaPoll		0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Postal Ballot (if applicable)		0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Total	64,41,15,857	41,88,24,800	65.0232	41,88,24,800	0	100.0000	0.0000
Public- Institutions	Remote E-Voting		55,38,60,333	86.1288	55,38,60,333	0	100.0000	0.0000
	InstaPoll	64,30,60,580	0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Postal Ballot (if applicable)		0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Total	64,30,60,580	55,38,60,333	86.1288	55,38,60,333	0	100.0000	0.0000
Public- Non Institutions	Remote E-Voting		6,29,89,371	19.4599	6,16,85,221	13,04,150	97.9296	2.0704
	InstaPoll	32,36,88,180	3,97,334	0.1228	3,97,334	0	100.0000	0.0000
	Postal Ballot (if applicable)		0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Total	32,36,88,180	6,33,86,705	19.5826	6,20,82,555	13,04,150	97.9425	2.0575
	Total	1.61,08,64,617	1,03.60,71,838	64.3177	1,03,47,67,688	13,04,150	99.8741	0.1259
Whether resolution is Pass or Not	Yes	States and and	the states in the states		A DESCRIPTION	The Part Sale	State of the second	-WINDOW DOWNERS



Resolution No.	2											
Resolution required: (Ordinary/ Special)	<b>ORDINARY</b> - Declaration of dividend	on equity shares of t	he Bank for the fina	ancial year ended March 3	1, 2023							
Whether promoter/ promoter group are interested in the agenda/resolution?	No											
Сатедогу	Mode of Voting	No. of shares held (1)	No. of votes polled (2)	% of Votes Polled on outstanding shares (3)=[(2)/(1)]* 100	No. of Votes – in favour (4)	No. of Votes – against (5)	% of Votes in favour on votes polled (6)=[(4)/(2)]*100	% of Votes against on votes polled (7)=[(5)/(2)]*100				
Promoter and Promoter Group	Remote E-Voting		64,41,15,857	100.0000	64,41,15,857	0	0.0000	0.0000				
	Less: Not considered as per Banking Regulation Act, 1949 #	- 64,41,15,857 -	22,52,91,057	34.9768	22,52,91,057	0	-					
	Votes Considered		41,88,24,800	65.0232	41,88,24,800	0	100.0000	0.0000				
	InstaPoll		0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000				
	Postal Ballot (if applicable)		0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000				
	Total	64,41,15,857	41,88,24,800	65.0232	41,88,24,800	0	100.0000	0.0000				
Public- Institutions	Remote E-Voting		55,82,62,914	86.8134	55,82,62,914	0	100.0000	0.0000				
	InstaPoll	64,30,60,580	0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000				
	Postal Ballot (if applicable)	[ [	0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000				
	Total	64,30,60,580	55,82,62,914	86.8134	55,82,62,914	0	100.0000	0.0000				
Public- Non Institutions	Remote E-Voting		6,30,74,618	19.4862	6,30,71,595	3,023	99.9952	0.0048				
	InstaPoll	32,36,88,180	3,97,334	0.1228	3,97,334	0	100.0000	0.0000				
	Postal Ballot (if applicable)		0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000				
	Total	32,36,88,180	6,34,71,952	19.6090	6,34,68,929	3,023	99.9952	0.0048				
	Total	1,61,08,64,617	1,04,05,59,666	64.5963	1,04,05,56,643	3,023	99.9997	0.0003				
Whether resolution is Pass or Not	Yes	State of the state		Start Start Start Start	AND THE REAL OF	State Strange	IN THE REAL OF THE REAL OF	A DE LA DE L				



Resolution No.	3							
Resolution required: (Ordinary/ Special)	ORDINARY - Appointment of Ms. D v	ya Krishnan (DIN: 09)	276201), who retire	s by rotation as a Director	and being eligible,	offers herself f	or re-appointment	
Whether promoter/ promoter group are interested in the agenda/resolution?	Yes							
Category	Mode of Voting	No. of shares held (1)	No. of votes polled (2)	% of Votes Polled on outstanding shares (3)=[(2)/(1)]* 100	No. of Votes – in favour (4)	No. of Votes – against (5)	% of Votes in favour on votes polled (6)=[(4)/(2)]*100	% of Votes against on votes polled (7)=[(5)/(2)]*100
Promoter and Promoter Group	Remote E-Voting		64,41,15,857	100.0000	64,41,15,857	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Less: Not considered as per Banking Regulation Act, 1949 #	64,41,15,857	22,52,91,057	34.9768		0		-
	Votes Considered		41,88,24,800	65.0232	41,88,24,800	0	100.0000	0.0000
	InstaPoll		0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Postal Ballot (if applicable)		0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Total	64,41,15,857	41,88,24,800	65.0232	41,88,24,800	0	100.0000	0.0000
Public- Institutions	Remote E-Voting		55,82,62,912	86.8134	52,88,20,427	2,94,42,485	94.7261	5.2739
	InstaPoll	64,30,60,580	0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Postal Ballot (if applicable)		0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Total	64,30,60,580	55,82,62,912	86.8134	52,88,20,427	2,94,42,485	94.7261	5.2739
Public- Non Institutions	Remote E-Voting		6,29,89,365	19.4599	6,16,77,925	13,11,440	97.9180	2.0820
	InstaPoll	32,36,88,180	3,97,334	0.1228	3,97,334	0	100.0000	0.0000
	Postal Ballot (if applicable)		0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Total	32,36,88,180	6,33,86,699	19.5826	6,20,75,259	13,11,440	97.9310	2.0690
Line starting and the start	Total	1.61,08,64,617	1.04,04,74,411	64.5911	1,00,97,20,486	3,07,53,925	97.0442	2.9558
Whether resolution is Pass or Not	Yes	ALL DESCRIPTION OF THE OWNER.	The second second	PRACE AND STREET			Carlos In an and	THE REAL PROPERTY AND



Resolution No.	4							
Resolution required: (Ordinary/ Special)	<b>ORDINARY</b> - Approval for increase in	remuneration of the	Joint Statutory Au	ditors				
Whether promoter/ promoter group are interested in the agenda/ resolution?	No				1 m			
Category	Mode of Voting	No. of shares held (1)	No. of votes polled (2)	% of Votes Polled on outstanding shares (3)=[(2)/(1)]* 100	No. of Votes – in favour (4)	No. of Votes – against (5)	% of Votes in favour on votes polled (6)=[(4)/(2)]*100	% of Votes against on votes polled (7)=[(5)/(2)]*100
Promoter and Promoter Group	Remote E-Voting		64,41,15,857	100.0000	64,41,15,857	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Less: Not considered as per Banking Regulation Act, 1949 <b>#</b>	- 64,41,15,857 - -	22,52,91,057	34.9768	22,52,91,057	0	-	•
	Votes Considered		41,88,24,800	65.0232	41,88,24,800	0	100.0000	0.0000
	InstaPoll		0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Postal Ballot (if applicable)	1	0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Total	64,41,15,857	41,88,24,800	65.0232	41,88,24,800	0	100.0000	0.0000
Public- Institutions	Remote E-Voting		55,82,62,912	86.8134	54,80,72,566	1,01,90,346	98.1746	1.8254
	InstaPoll	64,30,60,580	0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Postal Ballot (if applicable)	] [	0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Total	64,30,60,580	55,82,62,912	86.8134	54,80,72,566	1,01,90,346	98.1746	1.8254
Public- Non Institutions	Remote E-Voting		6,16,88,634	19.0580	6,16,74,171	14,463	99.9766	0.0234
	InstaPoll	32,36,88,180	3,97,334	0.1228	3,96,548	786	99.8022	0.1978
	Postal Ballot (if applicable)		0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Total	32,36,88,180	6,20,85,968	19.1808	6,20,70,719	15,249	99.9754	0.0246
	Total	1,61,08,64,617	1,03,91,73,680	64.5103	1,02,89,68,085	1,02,05,595	99.0179	0.9821
Whether resolution is Pass or Not	Yes		miner ( Mainten -	No. of the Diversion of the Party of the Par	State States	and the state of the second		In termination in 12 hours



Resolution No.	5							
Resolution required: (Ordinary/ Specia	<ul> <li>SPECIAL - Re-appointment of Mr. Sul from March 19, 2024 up to March 18,</li> </ul>		941577) as an Inde	pendent Director, not liab	le to retire by rotati	ion, to hold offi	ce for the second term	of five years, that is,
Whether promoter/ promoter group a interested in the agenda/ resolution?	re No							
Category	Mode of Voting	No. of shares held (1)	No. of votes polled (2)	% of Votes Polled on outstanding shares (3)=[(2)/(1)]* 100	No. of Votes – in favour (4)	No. of Votes – against (5)	% of Votes in favour on votes polled (6)=[(4)/(2)]*100	% of Votes against on votes polled (7)=[(5)/(2)]*100
Promoter and Promoter Group	Remote E-Voting		64,41,15,857	100.0000	64,41,15,857	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Less: Not considered as per Banking Regulation Act, 1949 #	- 64,41,15,857 - 	22,52,91,057	34.9768	22,52,91,057	0	-	7
	Votes Considered		41,88,24,800	65.0232	41,88,24,800	0	100.0000	0.0000
	InstaPoll		0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Postal Ballot (if applicable)		0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Total	64,41,15,857	41,88,24,800	65.0232	41,88,24,800	0	100.0000	0.0000
Public- Institutions	Remote E-Voting		55,38,93,866	86.1340	54,28,82,492	1,10,11,374	98.0120	1.9880
	InstaPoll	64,30,60,580	0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Postal Ballot (if applicable)		0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Total	64.30,60.580	55,38,93,866	86.1340	54,28,82,492	1,10,11,374	98.0120	1.9880
Public- Non Institutions	Remote E-Voting		6,29,89,365	19.4599	6,16,74,877	13,14,488	97.9132	2.0868
	InstaPoll	32,36,88,180	3,97,334	0.1228	3,97,334	0	100.0000	0.0000
	Postal Ballot (if applicable)		0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Total	32,36,88,180	6,33,86,699	19.5826	6,20,72,211	13,14,488	97.9262	2.0738
	Total	1,61,08,64,617	1,03,61,05,365	64.3198	1,02,37,79,503	1,23,25,862	98.8104	1.1896
Whether resolution is Pass or Not	Yes	Line Ling and the				- Andrew Con	NO. N. O. STREET, B.	State North -1



Resolution No.	6												
Resolution required: (Ordinary/ Special	) <b>SPECIAL</b> - Re-appointment of Mr. Sub that is, from March 19, 2024 up to Ma		IN: 08767943) as ar	n Independent Director, no	t liable to retire by	rotation, to hold	d office for the second	term of five years,					
Whether promoter/ promoter group an interested in the agenda/ resolution?	e No	No											
Category	Mode of Voting	No. of shares held (1)	No. of votes polled (2)	% of Votes Polled on outstanding shares (3)=[(2)/(1)]* 100	No. of Votes – in favour (4)	No. of Votes – against (5)	% of Votes in favour on votes polled (6)=[(4)/(2)]*100	% of Votes against on votes polled (7)=[(5)/(2)]*100					
Promoter and Promoter Group	Remote E-Voting		64,41,15,857	100.0000	64,41,15,857	0	0.0000	0.0000					
	Less: Not considered as per Banking Regulation Act, 1949 <b>#</b>	- 64,41,15,857 -	22,52,91,057	34.9768	22,52,91,057	0	•	-					
	Votes Considered		41,88,24,800	65.0232	41,88,24,800	0	100.0000	0.0000					
	InstaPoll		0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000					
	Postal Ballot (if applicable)		0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000					
	Total	64,41,15,857	41,88,24,800	65.0232	41,88,24,800	0	100.0000	0.0000					
Public-Institutions	Remote E-Voting		55,82,62,914	86.8134	55,10,73,195	71,89,719	98.7121	1.2879					
	InstaPoll	64,30,60,580	0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000					
	Postal Ballot (if applicable)		0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000					
	Total	64,30,60,580	55,82,62,914	86.8134	55,10,73,195	71,89,719	98.7121	1.2879					
Public- Non Institutions	Remote E-Voting		6,29,89,365	19.4599	6,16,74,911	13,14,454	97.9132	2.0868					
	InstaPoll	32,36,88,180	3,97,334	0.1228	3,97,334	0	100.0000	0.0000					
	Postal Ballot (if applicable)		0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000					
	Total	32,36,88,180	6,33,86,699	19.5826	6,20,72,245	13,14,454	97.9263	2.0737					
	Total	1,61,08,64,617	1.04,04,74,413	64.5911	1,03,19,70,240	85,04,173	99.1827	0.8173					
Whether resolution is Pass or Not	Yes	Sile and the second	HI HASTING THE				A DESCRIPTION OF	100 - 10 - 20 - 20 - 20 - 20 - 20 - 20 -					



Resolution No.	7							
Resolution required: (Ordinary/ Specia	) ORDINARY - Remuneration of Mr. Ch	andra Shekhar Ghos	h (DIN: 00342477),	Managing Director & CEO	, with effect from A	pril 01, 2022		
Whether promoter/ promoter group a interested in the agenda/ resolution?	re No							
Category	Mode of Voting	No. of shares held (1)	No. of votes polled (2)	% of Votes Polled on outstanding shares (3)=[(2)/(1)]* 100	No. of Votes – in favour (4)	No. of Votes – against (5)	% of Votes in favour on votes polled (6)=[(4)/(2)]*100	% of Votes against on votes polled (7)=[(5)/(2)]*100
Promoter and Promoter Group	Remote E-Voting	-	64,41,15,857	100.0000	64,41,15,857	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Less: Not considered as per Banking Regulation Act, 1949 #	64,41,15,857	22,52,91,057	34.9768	22,52,91,057	0	-	-
	Votes Considered		41,88,24,800	65.0232	41,88,24,800	0	100.0000	0.0000
	InstaPoll		0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Postal Ballot (if applicable)		0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Total	64,41,15,857	41,88,24,800	65.0232	41,88,24,800	0	100.0000	0.0000
Public- Institutions	Remote E-Voting		55,82,62,914	86.8134	54,57,41,726	1,25,21,188	97.7571	2.2429
	InstaPoll	64,30,60,580	0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Postal Ballot (if applicable)		0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Total	64,30,60,580	55,82,62,914	86.8134	54,57,41,726	1,25,21,188	97.7571	2.2429
Public- Non Institutions	Remote E-Voting		6,29,89,255	19.4599	6,16,74,014	13,15,241	97.9120	2.0880
	InstaPoll	32,36,88,180	3,97,334	0.1228	3,97,334	0	100.0000	0.0000
	Postal Ballot (if applicable)		0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
·····	Total	32,36,88,180	6,33,86,589	19.5826	6,20,71,348	13,15,241	97.9250	2.0750
	Total	1,61,08,64,617	1,04,04,74,303	64.5910	1,02,66,37,874	1,38,36,429	98.6702	1.3298
Whether resolution is Pass or Not	Yes		HILL BE MILL YOU		Contraction of the local division of the		The second street the	and the state of the state of the



Resolution No.	8							
Resolution required: (Ordinary/ Special)	ORDINARY - Approval of material rel	ated party transactio	ns with promoter /	promoter group entities f	or banking transact	ions		
Whether promoter/ promoter group are interested in the agenda/resolution?	Yes							
Category	Mode of Voting	No. of shares held (1)	No. of votes polled (2)	% of Votes Polled on outstanding shares (3)=[(2)/(1)]* 100	No. of Votes – in favour (4)	No. of Votes – against (5)	% of Votes in favour on votes polled (6)=[(4)/(2)]*100	% of Votes against on votes polled (7)=[(5)/(2)]*100
Promoter and Promoter Group	Remote E-Voting		0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Less: Not considered as per Banking Regulation Act, 1949 #	64,41,15,857 —	0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Votes Considered	64,41,15,857	0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
	InstaPoll	1 [	0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Postal Ballot (if applicable)	]	0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Total	64,41,15,857	0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
Public- Institutions	Remote E-Voting		55,82,62,914	86.8134	55,82,62,914	0	100.0000	0.0000
	InstaPoll	64,30,60,580	0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Postal Ballot (if applicable)	][	0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Total	64,30,60,580	55,82,62,914	86.8134	55,82,62,914	0	100.0000	0.0000
Public- Non Institutions	Remote E-Voting		6,29,85,560	19.4587	6,16,72,285	13,13,275	97.9150	2.0850
	InstaPoll	32,36,88,180	3,97,334	0.1228	3,97,334	0	100.0000	0.0000
	Postal Ballot (if applicable)		0	0.0000	0	0	0.0000	0.0000
	Total	32,36,88,180	6,33,82,894	19.5815	6,20,69,619	13,13,275	97.9280	2.0720
early a second provide the second	Total	1,61,08,64,617	62,16,45,808	38.5908	62,03,32,533	13,13,275	99.7887	0.2113
Whether resolution is Pass or Not	Yes	ALL AND AL	THE REAL PROPERTY OF	The state of the s	The state of the s	Carton Carton (Bay)		and a second



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Consolidated Scrutinizer's Report on Remote e-voting & e-voting conducted at the 9<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting of Bandhan Bank Limited held on Friday, August 18, 2023

[In accordance with Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013, read with Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014]

To,

The Chairman of the 9<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting of Bandhan Bank Limited, held on August 18, 2023 CIN: L67190WB2014PLC204622 Registered Office: DN-32, Sector V, Salt Lake, Kolkata – 700 091 Head Office: Floors 12-14, Adventz Infinity@5, BN-5, Sector V, Salt Lake City Kolkata – 700091

Dear Sir,

I, Hansraj Jaria, Practicing Company Secretary, having my office at 36, Abinash Sashmal Lane, Beleghata, Kolkata – 700010, have been appointed by the Board of Directors of Bandhan Bank Limited (hereinafter, referred to as 'the Bank'), at its Meeting held on May 26, 2023, as the Scrutinizer to scrutinize the Remote E-voting process as well as the e-voting conducted during the 9<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting (hereinafter, referred to as 'AGM' or 'meeting') of the Bank in a fair and transparent manner, pursuant to Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013 (hereinafter, referred to as 'Act'), read with Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 and Regulation 44 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (hereinafter, referred to as 'SEBI LODR'), as amended, and in accordance with the General Circular No. 14/2020 dated April 08, 2020, General Circular No. 17/ 2020 dated April 13, 2020, General Circular No. 20/2020 dated May 05, 2020, and the latest being General Circular No. 10/2022 dated December 28, 2022 issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Government of India (hereinafter referred to as 'MCA'), read with the Circular Nos. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD1/CIR/P/2020/79 dated May 12, 2020 and SEBI/HO/CFD/PoD-2/P/CIR/2023/4 dated January 05, 2023 issued by the Securities and Exchange Board of India (hereinafter referred to as 'SEBI') providing relaxation for the manner in which the AGM shall be held and conducted for the purpose of remote e-voting and e-voting at the meeting (hereinafter, collectively referred to as the 'electronic voting') conducted through video conferencing (hereinafter, referred to as the 'VC') or other audio visual means (hereinafter, referred to as the 'OAVM').

I have examined the records of electronic voting and other relevant documents as required for that purpose. In my opinion, and to the best of my information and according to the verification and examinations carried out by me and explanations furnished to me by the Bank, its officers and its Registrars and Share Transfer Agent, KFin Technologies Limited ('KFintech'). I hereby submit my consolidated report w.r.t. the electronic voting as under:-

#### 1. Remote e-voting & e-voting at the meeting

The members of the Bank had the option of voting on all the resolutions as contained in the notice calling the 9<sup>th</sup> AGM (hereinafter referred to as '**Notice**') by casting their votes electronically during the remote e-voting period and also by casting their votes through electronic means during the meeting (i.e., **InstaPoll**) held on August 18, 2023 at 11:00 A.M., IST, if they had not cast their votes during remote e-voting period.

The Bank had appointed KFintech as the Service Provider, for the purpose of extending the facility of Electronic Voting to the members of the Bank.

#### 2. E-voting Process

- a. The remote e-voting period remained open from Tuesday, August 15, 2023 (9.00 A.M., IST) to Thursday, August 17, 2023 (5:00 P.M., IST).
- b. The e-voting at the meeting (i.e., **InstaPoll**) commenced upon the instruction of the Chairman of the meeting for those members who had not cast their votes during remote e-voting period.
- c. The votes cast were unblocked at 1.09 P.M. on Friday, August 18, 2023 after the conclusion of the AGM, in the presence of two (2) witnesses, namely, Mr. Rakesh Agrawal and Mr. Rohit Soni, who are not in the employment of the Bank. They have signed below in confirmation of the votes being unblocked in their presence.

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Name: Mr. Rakesh Agrawal

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Name: Mr. Rohit Soni

- d. Thereafter, the details containing, *inter alia*, the list of Equity Shareholders, who voted "for" or "against" each of the resolutions that was put to vote, were generated from the e-voting website, as provided by KFintech, i.e., <u>http://evoting.kfintech.com</u> (hereinafter referred to as the '**e-voting website**').
- e. Particulars of all the votes cast through remote e-voting as well as InstaPoll have been entered in a register separately maintained for the purpose.

#### 3. Cut-off date

The equity shareholders of the Bank as on the "cut-off" date, i.e., Friday, August 11, 2023 were entitled to vote on the resolutions (item nos. 1 to 8 as set out in the notice calling the AGM).



# 4. Documents

I am producing before you the register and the related records including details of remote e-voting and e-voting at the meeting as available from the login at the e-voting website for verification at your end at the time of submitting this report.

# 5. Consolidated Tabulation / Voting

I submit herewith my Consolidated Scrutiniser's Report on the results of the remote evoting and e-voting at the meeting (InstaPoll) prepared based on the reports provided by KFintech and relied upon by me. In my report, I have also considered the provisions of Section 12(2) of the Banking Regulation Act, 1949, read with 'Master Direction – Reserve Bank of India (Acquisition and Holding of Shares or Voting Rights in Banking Companies) Directions, 2023' ('**Master Direction**'), along with 'Guidelines on Acquisition and Holding of Shares or Voting Rights in Banking Companies' ('**Guidelines**'), issued by the Reserve Bank of India on January 16, 2023, according to which no shareholder in a banking company can exercise voting rights in excess of twenty-six percent of the total voting rights of all shareholders of the banking company. Accordingly, the voting rights of the following shareholder has been considered only to the extent of twenty six percent of the aggregate voting rights of all the shareholders of the Bank:

Sl. No.	Name		Percentage of Shareholding	Percentage of Voting Right	Exercisable Voting Right (in %)	
1.	Bandhan Holdings (Promoter)	Financial Limited	39.99	39.99	26.00	

**6.** Item no. 8 of the Notice of the AGM is for approval of material related party transactions of the Bank with promoter / promoter group entities for banking transactions, pursuant to Regulation 23 of the SEBI LODR. Further Regulation 23(4) of the SEBI LODR states that no related party shall vote to approve such resolution whether the entity is related party to the transaction or not. Accordingly, on the basis of the information/documents provided to us and verification done by us, we hereby confirm that none of the related parties have voted on the resolution.



# The Result of the Remote e-voting together with that of the voting conducted during the 9<sup>th</sup> AGM by way of Electronic means (InstaPoll), are as under:

Item No. 1 of the	Votes cast in favour of the resolution			Votes cast	against the res	Invalid votes		
of the Notice	No. of members voting	No. of votes cast	% of total valid votes cast	No. of members voting	No. of votes cast	% of total valid Votes cast	No. of members voting	No. of votes cast
Consideration	and adoption of	the Audited Financia	l Statement of t	he Bank for the	financial year e	ended March	31, 2023 and	the Reports of the
Board of Direc	tors and Auditor	rs thereon – Ordinary	<b>Resolution</b>					
Remote e- voting	1236	1,03,43,70,354	99.8358	30	13,04,150	0.1259	1	22,52,91,057*
E-voting at the meeting	43	3,97,334	0.0383	0	0	0	0	0
Total	1279	1,03,47,67,688	99.8741	30	13,04,150	0.1259	1	22,52,91,057*

# **ORDINARY BUSINESS:**

Item No. 2 of the Notice	Votes cast in favour of the resolution			Votes cast a	against the res	Invalid votes		
	No. co members voting	f No. of votes cast	% of total valid votes cast	No. of members voting	No. of votes cast	% of total valid votes cast	No. of members voting	No. of votes cast
Declaration of c	lividend on ec	uity shares of the Bank	for the financia	al year ended M	arch 31, 2023 –	Ordinary I	Resolution	4
Declaration of c Remote e- voting	lividend on ec	uity shares of the Bank	for the financia	al year ended M 26	arch 31, 2023 – 3,023	Ordinary I	Resolution	22,52,91,057*
Remote e-							Resolution 1 0	22,52,91,057*

Item No. 3 of the Notice	Votes cast in favour of the resolution			Votes cas	st against the re	Invalid votes		
	No. of members voting	No. of votes cast	% of total valid votes cast	No. of members voting	No. of votes cast	% of total valid votes cast	No. of members voting	No. of votes cast
Appointment	of Ms. Divya Kr	ishnan (DIN: 0927620)	1), who retires	by rotation as	a Director and he	eing eligible.	offers herself fo	r re-annointment
- Ordinary R	esolution			,				n te appointment
- Ordinary R Remote e- voting	tesolution 1112	1,00,93,23,152	97.0060	161	3,07,53,925	2.9558	1	22,52,91,057*
Remote e-		1,00,93,23,152 3,97,334	97.0060				1 0	



Item No. 4 of the Notice	Votes cast in favour of the resolution			Votes cas	t against the res	Invalid votes		
	No. of members voting	No, of votes cast	% of total valid votes cast	No. of members voting	No. of votes cast	% of lutal valld votes cast	No. of members voting	No. of votes cast
Approval for in	crease in remu	neration of the Joint	Statutory Aud	itors - Ordina	ry Resolution			L
Remote e- voting	1163	1,02,85,71,537	98.9797	106	1,02,04,809	0.9820	1	22,52,91,057*
E-voting at the meeting	42	3,96,548	0.0382	1	786	0.0001	0	0
Total	1205	1,02,89,68,085	99.0179	107	1,02,05,595	0.9821	1	22,52,91,057*

# **SPECIAL BUSINESS:**

Item No. 5 of the Notice	Votes cast in favour of the resolution			Votes cast	against the reso	Invalid votes		
	No. of members voting	No. of votes cast	% of total valid votes cast	No. of members voting	No. of votes cast	% of total valid votes cast	No. of members voting	No. of votes cast
Re-appointmen	t of Mr. Suhail	Chander (DIN: 0694	1577) as an Ii	ndependent Dir	ector - Special R	esolution		
Remote e- voting	1148	1,02,33,82,169	98.7720	114	1,23,25,862	1.1896	1	22,52,91,057*
E-voting at the meeting	43	3,97,334	0.0384	0	0	0	0	0
Total	1191	1,02,37,79,503	98.8104	114	1,23,25,862	1.1896	1	22,52,91,057*

Item No. 6 of the Notice	Votes cast in favour of the resolution			Votes ca	st against the re	Invalid votes		
	No. of members voting	No. of votes cast	% of total valid votes cast	No. of members voting	No. of votes cast	% of total valid votes cast	Na. of members voting	No. of votes cast
Re-appointme	nt of Mr. Subra	ta Dutta Gupta (DIN:0	8767943) as	an Independe	nt Director - Sp	ecial Resoluti	on	+
Remote e- voting	1181	1,03,15,72,906	99.1445	86	85,04,173	0.8173	1	22,52,91,057*
E-voting at the meeting	43	3,97,334	0.0382	0	0	0	0	0
Total	1224	1,03,19,70,240	99.1827	86	85,04,173	0.8173	1	22,52,91,057*

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ltem No. 7 of the Notice	Votes cast in favour of the resolution			Votes cas	t against the res	Invalid votes		
	No. of members voting	No. of votes cast	% of total valid votes cast	No. of members voting	No. of votes cast	% of total valid votes cast	No. of members voting	No. of votes cast
Approval for n	remuneration o	f Mr. Chandra Shekha	r Ghosh (DIN:0	0342477), Ma	naging Director &	& CEO – Ord	inary Resolut	ion
Remote e- voting	1181	1,02,62,40,540	98.6320	83	1,38,36,429	1.3298	1	22,52,91,057*
E-voting at the meeting	43	3,97,334	0.0382	0	0	0	0	0
Total	1224	1,02,66,37,874	98.6702	83	1,38,36,429	1.3298	1	22,52,91,057*

Item No. 8 of the	Votes cast in favour of the resolution			Votes cast	against the reso	Invalid votes		
of the Notice	No. of members voting	No. of votes cast	% of total valid votes cast	No. of members voting	No. of votes cast	% of total valid votes cast	No. of members voting	No. of votes cast
Approval of ma	aterial related pa	arty transactions with	promoter / p.	romoter group	entities for banki	ng transact	ions - Ordinar	y Resolution
Remote e- voting	1206	61,99,35,199	99.7248	54	13,13,275	0.2113	0	0
E-voting at the meeting	43	3,97,334	0.0639	0	0	0	0	0
Total	1249	62,03,32,533	99.7887	54	13,13,275	0.2113	0	0

7. It has been represented to me by the Bank, that the votes have been cast by only those Members who were entitled to do so through the designated system of KFintech and that their authenticity have been confirmed by KFintech.

# 8. Management's Responsibility

The Management of the Bank is responsible to ensure compliance with the requirements of the Act and the Rules made thereunder and the circulars issued by the MCA and the SEBI as mentioned above and the SEBI LODR, as amended, relating to electronic voting on the resolutions contained in the Notice calling the AGM.

# 9. Scrutinizer's Responsibility

My responsibility as Scrutinizer for e-voting process is restricted to scrutinizing the evoting process in a fair and transparent manner and to prepare the Consolidated Scrutinizer's Report of the votes cast "FOR" or "AGAINST" the resolutions stated in the Notice calling the AGM, based on the reports of remote e-voting and e-voting during the AGM, generated from the e-voting system provided by KFintech, the Service Provider.



**10.** The register and all the other relevant records relating to the electronic voting are under my safe custody and will be handed over to the Company Secretary for safe keeping, after the Chairman signs the Minutes.

Thanking you.

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Hansraj Jaria (Practicing Company Secretary) Membership No.: F7703 COP: 19394 UDIN: F007703E000823529

Place: Kolkata Dated: August 18, 2023 **Countersigned by** 

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Dr. Anup Kumar Sinha Non-Executive (Independent) Chairman (DIN: 08249893) Place: Kolkata Dated: August 18, 2023