

NOTES AND INSTRUCTIONS

THIS PROXY IS SOLICITED BY MANAGEMENT OF THE COMPANY.

1. The shares represented by this proxy will be voted. Where a choice is specified, the proxy will be voted as directed. **Where no choice is specified, this proxy will be voted in favour of the matters listed on the proxy.** The proxy confers discretionary authority on the above named person to vote in his or her discretion with respect to amendments or variations to the matters identified in the notice of meeting accompanying the proxy or such other matters which may properly come before the Meeting.
2. Each shareholder has the right to appoint a person other than management designees (“Management Designees”) specified above to represent them at the Meeting. Such right may be exercised by inserting in the space provided the name of the person to be appointed, who need not be a shareholder of the Company.
3. Each shareholder must sign this proxy. Please date the proxy. If the shareholder is a corporation, the proxy must be executed by an officer or attorney thereof duly authorized.
4. If the proxy is not dated in the space provided, it is deemed to bear the date of its mailing to the shareholders of the Company.
5. If the shareholder appoints any of the persons designated above, **including persons other than Management Designees**, as proxy to attend and act at the Meeting:
 - (a) the shares represented by the proxy will be voted in accordance with the instructions of the shareholder on any ballot that may be called for;
 - (b) where the shareholder specifies a choice in the proxy with respect to any matter to be acted upon, the shares represented by the proxy shall be voted accordingly; and
 - (c) **IF NO CHOICE IS SPECIFIED WITH RESPECT TO THE MATTERS LISTED ABOVE, THE PROXY WILL BE VOTED FOR SUCH MATTERS.**