BENARES HOTELS LIMITED

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FAQs ON THE 49TH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE COMPANY

1. What is the record date for determining final dividend?

The Company has fixed Tuesday, September 22, 2020 as the 'Record Date' for determining entitlement of members to final dividend for the financial year ended March 31, 2020, if approved at the AGM.

2. What is the remote e-voting period? Or When can I vote on the resolutions provided in AGM Notice?

The Company has provided the remote e-voting facility for all the shareholders from **Thursday, September 24, 2020 at 9.00 a.m. (IST) and ends on Monday, September 28, 2020 at 5.00 p.m.** Those Members, who will be present in the AGM through VC / OAVM facility and have not cast their vote on the Resolutions through remote e-voting and are otherwise not barred from doing so, shall be eligible to vote through NSDL e-voting system during the AGM.

3. How do I vote on the resolutions provided in AGM Notice?

- i. The shareholders can login on NSDL e-voting website <u>https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/</u>
- ii. Click on "Login" under the first left tab "Shareholder/Member"
- iii. Fill up (a) User ID; (b) Select the login type: "Password"/"OTP"; (c) Verification code. Tick on checkbox and click on "Login"
- iv. Go to "e-Voting" under the first left tab and click on "Active E-voting Cycles"
- v. Select EVEN "113648" and vote on resolutions
- vi. Select the options and click on "Confirm" to confirm the vote
- vii. You will get voting confirmation

4. Which device is to be used to join the AGM?

You can join the AGM through desktops/laptops/smartphones with internet facility.

5. How to ensure speed of internet and verify the network connectivity?

Verify your network connectivity by going to: <u>https://mediatest.webex.com</u> Minimum download and update speed required is 2 Mbps.

6. How to join the AGM?

Steps	Process			
Step 1	Click on NSDL e-voting website https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/			
Step 2	Click on "Login" under the first left tab "Shareholder/Member"			
Step 3A	Fill up (a) User ID (b) Select the login type: "Password" (c) Verification code (d) Password Tick on checkbox and click on "Login"			

Fill up			
(a) User ID; (b) Select the login type "OTP"; (c) Verification code.			
Tick on checkbox and click on "Login"			
This will lead to a separate OTP page > Enter the OTP and Click on "Submit"			
Go to "e-Voting" under the first left tab and click on "Active E-voting Cycles"			
Click on the link under "Join General Meeting"			
Enter your First Name, Last Name and Email ID and click on "Join Now".			
Note: If you are not able to join the meeting and are getting the erro			
password is incorrect, please clear your browsing cache or cookies an			
again.			
In case the system prompts for a passwords please enter the following: nsdl123			
If you have already installed the Webex application on your device, join the			
meeting by clicking on "Join Event"			
If Webex application is not installed, a new page will appear giving you an			
option to either "Add Webex to chrome" or "Run a temporary application".			
Click on 'Run a temporary application', an exe file will be downloaded. Kindly			
run this exe to join the meeting by clicking on "Join Event"			

7. What are the guidelines to attend the AGM?

For good audio-video experience, we request you to ensure below mentioned points:

Guidelines to attend the AGM				
The AGM can be joined through desktops/laptops/smartphones with internet facility. For a good				
audio-video experience, we request you to ensure below mentioned points:				
1.	For better viewing experience, you can use the active speaker view (top right corner)			
2.	Ensure no other background applications are running.			
3.	Verify your network connectivity by going to: <u>https://mediatest.webex.com</u> Minimum download and update speed required for optimum viewing is 2 Mbps			
4.	Ensure your Wi-Fi is not connected to any other device.			

8. What is the helpline number in case of any queries or difficulties faced?

Contact Details							
For any further queries, you are requested to visit the Company's website:							
www.benareshotelslimited.com and refer the FAQs for joining the AGM							
or contact the below mentioned helpline							
For	Name	Email id	Contact number				
Queries related	Mr. Amit Vishal	amitv@nsdl.co.in	022-24994360				
NSDL	Ms. Pallavi Mhatre	pallavid@nsdl.co.in	022-24994545				
login/e-voting	NSDL	evoting@nsdl.co.in	1800-222-990				
Technical issue WebEx	Mr. Amit Vishal	amitv@nsdl.co.in	022-24994360				

The helpline numbers are available from Monday to Friday (10 a.m. to 6 p.m.)

9. If I want to speak at the AGM, what should I do?

The Members who would like to express their views or ask questions during the AGM may register themselves as a speaker by sending their request from their registered email address mentioning their name, DP ID and Client ID/folio number, PAN and mobile number at investorrelations@tajhotels.com between Wednesday, September 23, 2020 (9:00 a.m. IST) and Saturday, September 26, 2020 (5:00 p.m. IST). Only those Members who have pre-registered themselves as a speaker will be allowed to express their views/ask questions during the AGM. The Company reserves the right to restrict the number of speakers depending on the availability of time for the AGM.

10. When will the final dividend be paid?

The final dividend, if approved by the Members at the AGM, will be paid on or after Friday, October 9, 2020.

11. How should the Institutional / Corporate Shareholders attend the AGM?

Institutional/ Corporate Shareholders (i.e. other than individuals, HUF, NRIs, etc.) are required to send scanned copy (PDF/JPG Format) of the relevant Board Resolution/Authority letter etc. with attested specimen signature of the duly authorized signatory(ies) who are authorized to vote, to the Scrutinizer by e-mail to <u>investorrelations@tajhotels.com</u>, with a copy marked to <u>evoting@nsdl.co.in</u>.