

## ADMINISTRATIVE GUIDE EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF ASTINO BERHAD

Date : Friday, 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2021

Time : 10.30 a.m.

Proposal : Proposed bonus issue of up to 219,294,370 new ordinary shares in Astino

("Astino Share(s)") ("Bonus Share(s)") on the basis of four (4) Bonus Shares for every five (5) existing Astino Shares held on an entitlement date to be

determined and announced later ("Proposed Bonus Issue")

Broadcast Venue : Boardroom of the Company, Lot 1499 (Lot Baru 10030) & 1500, Mk 11, Jalan

Changkat, 14300 Nibong Tebal, Seberang Perai Selatan, Penang

Meeting Platform : <a href="https://tiih.online">https://tiih.online</a>

#### **MODE OF MEETING**

As part of the measures taken by Astino Berhad ("Astino" or the "Company") to curb the spread of Coronavirus 2019 ("COVID-19") and taking into consideration the paramount safety and well-being of the members of the Company, the Extraordinary General Meeting ("EGM") of the Company will be held as a fully virtual meeting via live streaming and online remote voting at the Broadcast Venue above. This is in line with the revised Guidance and Frequently Asked Questions on the Conduct of General Meetings for Listed Issuers issued by the Securities Commission Malaysia on 5 March 2021 (including any amendments that may be made from time to time) ("Guidance Note").

The Broadcast Venue is strictly for the purpose of complying with Section 327(2) of the Companies Act 2016 which requires the Chairman of the meeting to be present at the main venue of the meeting. **No member or proxy or corporate representative or attorney shall be physically present nor admitted at the Broadcast Venue on the day of the EGM.** 

## **REMOTE PARTICIPATION AND VOTING FACILITIES ("RPV")**

Members are to attend, speak (including posing questions to the Board of Directors of Astino ("Board") via real time submission of typed texts) and vote (collectively, "participate") remotely at the EGM using RPV provided by Tricor Investor & Issuing House Services Sdn. Bhd. (the "Share Registrar", "Tricor" or "TIIH") via its TIIH Online website at https://tiih.online.

Members who appoint proxies to participate via RPV at the EGM must ensure that the duly executed Proxy Form or other instruments of appointment are deposited in a hard copy form at the Registered Office of the Company at Suite 12-A, Level 12, Menara Northam, No. 55, Jalan Sultan Ahmad Shah, 10050 Georgetown, Penang ("Registered Office") or by electronic lodgement via TIIH Online website at <a href="https://tiih.online">https://tiih.online</a> not later than Wednesday, 30 June 2021 at 10.30 a.m.

Corporate representatives of corporate members must deposit their original or duly certified certificate of appointment of corporate representative at the Registered Office not later than **Wednesday**, **30 June 2021** at **10.30 a.m.** to participate via RPV at the EGM.

Attorneys appointed by power of attorney are to deposit their power of attorney at the Registered Office not later than **Wednesday**, **30 June 2021** at **10.30 a.m.** to participate via RPV at the EGM.

A member who has appointed a proxy or attorney or authorised representative to participate at the EGM via RPV must request his/her proxy to register himself/herself for RPV at the TIIH Online website at https://tiih.online.

As the EGM of Astino is a fully virtual meeting, members who are unable to participate at the EGM may appoint the Chairman of the EGM as his/her proxy and indicate the voting instructions in the Proxy Form.

#### PROCEDURES FOR RPV

Members/proxies/corporate representatives/attorneys who wish to participate at the EGM remotely via the RPV are to follow the requirements and procedures as summarised below:

	Procedure	Action		
BEFORE THE DAY OF EGM				
(a)	Register as a user with TIIH Online	<ul> <li>Using your computer, access the website at <a href="https://tiih.online">https://tiih.online</a>. Register as a user under the "e-Services" by selecting "Create Account by Individual Holder". Refer to the tutorial guide posted on the homepage of the website for assistance.</li> <li>Registration as a user will be approved within one (1) working day and you will be notified via e-mail.</li> <li>If you are already a user with TIIH Online, you are not required to register again. You will receive an e-mail to notify you that the remote participation is available for registration at TIIH Online.</li> </ul>		
(b)	Submit your request to attend EGM remotely	<ul> <li>Registration is open from 10.00 a.m. Tuesday, 15 June 2021 until the day of EGM on Friday, 2 July 2021. Member(s) or proxy(ies) or corporate representative(s) or attorney(s) are required to pre-register their attendance for the EGM to ascertain their eligibility to participate the EGM via the RPV.</li> <li>Login with your user ID and password and select the corporate event: "(REGISTRATION) ASTINO EGM 2021".</li> <li>Read and agree to the Terms &amp; Conditions and confirm the Declaration.</li> <li>Select "Register for Remote Participation and Voting".</li> <li>Review your registration and proceed to register.</li> <li>System will send an e-mail to notify that your registration for remote participation is received and will be verified.</li> <li>After verification of your registration against the General Meeting Record of Depositors as at 25 June 2021, the system will send you an e-mail after 30 June 2021 to approve or reject your registration for remote participation.</li> <li>(Note: Please allow sufficient time for approval of new user of TIIH Online and registration for the RPV).</li> </ul>		
ON THE DAY OF THE EGM (FRIDAY, 2 JULY 2021)				
(c)	Login to TIIH Online	Login with your user ID and password for remote participation at the EGM at any time from 9.30 a.m., i.e. one (1) hour before the commencement of the EGM on Friday, 2 July 2021 at 10.30 a.m.		
(d)	Participate through Live Streaming	<ul> <li>Select the corporate event: "(LIVE STREAM MEETING) ASTINO EGM 2021" to engage in the proceedings of the EGM remotely.</li> <li>If you have any question for the Chairman/Board, you may use the query box to transmit your question. The Chairman/Board will endeavour to respond to questions submitted by remote participants during the EGM. If there is time constraint, the responses will be e-mailed to you earliest possible, after the meeting.</li> </ul>		
(e)	Online Remote Voting	<ul> <li>Voting session commences from 10.30 a.m. on Friday, 2 July 2021 until a time when the Chairman announces the completion of the voting session of the EGM.</li> <li>Select the corporate event: "(REMOTE VOTING) ASTINO EGM 2021" or if you are on the live stream meeting page, you can select "GO TO REMOTE VOTING PAGE" button below the Query Box.</li> <li>Read and agree to the Terms &amp; Conditions and confirm the Declaration.</li> <li>Select the CDS account that represents your shareholdings.</li> <li>Indicate your votes for the resolutions that are tabled for voting.</li> <li>Confirm and submit your votes.</li> </ul>		
(f)	End of remote participation	<ul> <li>Upon the announcement by the Chairman on the closure of the EGM, the live streaming will end.</li> </ul>		

#### Note to users of the RPV:

- 1. Should your application to join the EGM be approved, we will make available to you the rights to join the live streamed meeting and to vote remotely. Your login to TIIH Online on the day of the EGM will indicate your presence at the virtual meeting.
- 2. The quality of your connection to the live broadcast is dependent on the bandwidth and stability of the internet at your location and the device you use.
- 3. In the event you encounter any issues with logging-in, connection to the live streamed meeting or online voting, kindly call Tricor Help Line at 011-40805616 / 011-40803168 / 011-40803169 / 011-40803170 or email to tiih.online@mv.tricorglobal.com for assistance.

#### APPOINTMENT OF PROXY / CORPORATE REPRESENTATIVES / ATTORNEYS

The EGM will be conducted via virtual meeting, if you are unable to attend the meeting via RPV on 2 July 2021, you may appoint the Chairman of the EGM as proxy and indicate the voting instructions in the Proxy Form.

Accordingly, Proxy Form and/or documents relating to the appointment of proxy/corporate representative/attorney for the EGM whether in hard copy or by electronic means shall be deposited or submitted in the following manner not later than **Wednesday**, **30 June 2021 at 10.30 a.m.**:

## (i) In Hard Copy:

By hand or post to the Registered Office at Suite 12-A, Level 12, Menara Northam, No. 55, Jalan Sultan Ahmad Shah, 10050 Georgetown, Penang not less than forty-eight (48) hours before the time appointed for holding the EGM or any adjournment thereof, otherwise the Proxy Form shall not be treated as valid.

## (ii) By Electronic Form:

All members can have the option to submit Proxy Form electronically via TIIH Online and the steps to submit are summarised below:

	Procedure	Action	
i. Steps for Individual Members			
(a)	Register as a User with TIIH Online	<ul> <li>Using your computer, please access the website at <a href="https://tiih.online">https://tiih.online</a>. Register as a user under the "e-Services", by selecting "Create Account by Individual Holder". Please do refer to the tutorial guide posted on the homepage of the website for assistance.</li> <li>Registration as a user will be approved within one (1) working day and you will be notified via e-mail.</li> <li>If you are already a user with TIIH Online, you are not required to register again.</li> </ul>	
(b)	Proceed with submission of Proxy Form	<ul> <li>After the release of the Notice of Meeting by the Company, login with your user name (i.e. email address) and password.</li> <li>Select the corporate event: "ASTINO EGM 2021 – Submission of Proxy Form".</li> <li>Read and agree to the Terms &amp; Conditions and confirm the Declaration.</li> <li>Insert your CDS account number and indicate the number of shares for your proxy(s) to vote on your behalf.</li> <li>Appoint your proxy(s) and insert the required details of your proxy(s) or appoint Chairman as your proxy.</li> <li>Indicate your voting instructions – FOR or AGAINST, otherwise your proxy will decide your vote on your behalf.</li> <li>Review and confirm your proxy(s) appointment.</li> <li>Print Proxy Form for your record.</li> </ul>	
ii.	Steps for Corporatio	n or Institutional Members	
(a)	Register as a User with TIIH Online	<ul> <li>Access TIIH online at <a href="https://tiih.online">https://tiih.online</a></li> <li>Under e-Services, the authorised or nominated representative of the corporation or institutional member selects "Create Account by Representative of Corporate Holder".</li> <li>Complete the registration form and upload the required documents.</li> <li>Registration will be verified, and you will be notified by email within one (1) to two (2) working day(s).</li> <li>Proceed to activate your account with the temporary password given in the email and reset your own password.</li> <li>(Note: The representative of a corporation or institutional member must register as a user in accordance with the above steps before he/she can subscribe to this corporate holder electronic proxy submission. Please contact our Share Registrar at the number/email addresses given on the last page of this Administrative Guide if you need clarifications on the user registration.)</li> </ul>	
(b)	Proceed with submission of Proxy Form	<ul> <li>Login to TIIH Online at <a href="https://tiih.online">https://tiih.online</a></li> <li>Select the corporate event: "ASTINO EGM 2021 – Submission of Proxy Form".</li> <li>Read and agree to the Terms &amp; Conditions and confirm the Declaration.</li> <li>Proceed to download the file format for "Submission of Proxy Form" in accordance with the Guidance Note set therein.</li> <li>Prepare the file for the appointment of proxies by inserting the required data.</li> <li>Proceed to upload the duly completed proxy appointment file.</li> <li>Select "Submit" to complete your submission.</li> <li>Print the confirmation report of your submission for your record.</li> </ul>	

#### **POLL VOTING**

The voting at the EGM will be conducted by poll in accordance with Paragraph 8.29A of the Main Market Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad.

Members can proceed to vote on the resolutions at any time from the commencement of the EGM at 10.30 a.m. on Friday, 2 July 2021 but before the end of the voting session which will be announced by the Chairman of the meeting. Kindly refer to the note above, "Procedures for RPV" for guidance on how to vote remotely from the TIIH Online website at https://tiih.online.

Upon completion of the voting session for the EGM, the Scrutineers will verify and announce the poll results followed by the Chairman's declaration whether the resolutions are duly passed.

## **GENERAL MEETING RECORD OF DEPOSITORS ("ROD")**

Only a depositor whose name appears on the **ROD** as at 25 June 2021 shall be entitled to attend, speak and vote at the EGM or appoint proxies to attend and/or vote on his/her behalf.

# CIRCULAR TO SHAREHOLDERS IN RELATION TO THE PROPOSED BONUS ISSUE DATED 15 JUNE 2021 ("CIRCULAR") FOR EGM

The Circular for EGM, Notice of the EGM, Proxy Form and this Administrative Guide are available at the Company's Investor Relations website at http://www.astino.com.my.

You may request for a printed copy of the Circular for EGM at <a href="https://tiih.online">https://tiih.online</a> by selecting "Request for Annual Report/Circular" under the "Investor Services". Alternatively, you may also make your request through telephone/email to our Share Registrar at the number/email addresses given below. Nevertheless, we hope that you would consider the environment before you decide to request for the printed copy.

## PRE-MEETING SUBMISSION OF QUESTION(S) TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Members may submit questions for the Board prior to the EGM via TIIH Online website at <a href="https://tiih.online">https://tiih.online</a> by selecting "e-Services" to login, pose questions and submit electronically no later than **Wednesday**, **30 June 2021** at **10.30 a.m.** The Board will endeavour to answer the questions received at the EGM.

#### NO DOOR GIFT/FOOD VOUCHER

There will be **no distribution of door gifts or food vouchers** at the EGM as the meeting is conducted on a fully virtual basis.

We would like to thank our members for your kind cooperation and understanding during these challenging times.

## **RECORDING OR PHOTOGRAPHY**

Strictly **NO** unauthorised recording or photography of the proceedings of the EGM is allowed.

#### **ENQUIRY**

If you have any enquiries on the above, please contact the following persons during office hours on Mondays to Fridays from 9.00 a.m. to 5.30 p.m. (except on public holidays):

#### Share Registrar - Tricor Investor & Issuing House Services Sdn. Bhd.

General Line : +603-2783 9299 Fax Number : +603-2783 9222

Email : <u>is.enquiry@my.tricorglobal.com</u>

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