



16<sup>th</sup> January 2024

The Secretary  
BSE Limited  
Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers  
Dalal Street, Mumbai - 400 001  
**Scrip Code: 500674**

The Secretary  
The National Stock Exchange of India  
Limited  
Exchange Plaza, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Plot No. C/1, G Block  
Bandra-Kurla Complex, Bandra East  
Mumbai - 400 050  
**Symbol: SANOFI**

**Sub: Publication of Postal Ballot Notice**

Dear Sirs

Please find enclosed copies of the Postal Ballot Notice of the Company published on 13<sup>th</sup> January 2024, in newspapers, Business Standard and Sakal.

**For Sanofi India Limited**

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**Radhika Shah**  
**Company Secretary & Compliance Officer**  
**Membership No: A19308**

SHREYA NANDI  
New Delhi, 12 January

Last month, the commerce department announced that the text of the proposed trade agreement between India and Oman had been "substantially concluded", indicating that both countries might be able to finalise and sign a comprehensive economic partnership agreement (CEPA) over the next few weeks.

CEPA is also commonly referred to as a free trade agreement, or FTA. The next round of talks for it with Oman are scheduled to start on January 16.

Three rounds of talks have taken place so far, even as the formal commencement of the negotiations happened less than two months ago - on November 20.

The negotiations on the text of most of the chapters have been concluded by India and Oman, though discussions on goods and part of services remain.

This came at a time when officials from the commerce department - responsible for negotiating free trade agreements - were till now burning the midnight oil, hoping for a breakthrough in the FTA talks with the United Kingdom (UK) and European Free Trade Association (EFTA).

The India-Oman CEPA could substantially reduce the customs duties, even bring them down to zero in some instances, for trade between the two countries. India exports gasoline, iron and steel, electronics, machinery to Oman, and imports petroleum products, urea, propylene, and ethylene polymers. Besides, Oman has a per capita income of \$25,060, far more than India's \$2,370, and could emerge as a sizeable market for more expensive exports from India.

There is more. Oman, of course, is understood to be keen on the pact. India, for its part, wants to improve its relations with the Persian Gulf nations.

Oman has also been India's strategic partner, with its mutual trade links going back 5,000 years. It is India's 29th largest trading partner, but the third largest export destination among the six-member Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC) countries, whose other members are Bahrain, Kuwait, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, and the United Arab Emirates.

The GCC countries contribute to about a sixth of India's total trade, with the UAE being India's third largest trade partner and second largest export destination. The trade balance, however, is in favour of the GCC, owing to India's high dependence on the region for petroleum products.

India has already signed a CEPA with



# BRINGING THE GULF

The likely pact with Oman comes as a welcome surprise in India's FTA drive, and could open other doors in the Gulf region

the UAE and been trying to begin FTA negotiations with the customs union for more than a year. After signing FTAs with the UAE and Australia, India has not been able to ink any other trade agreement, even as the commerce department had set an internal target to conclude negotiations for Canada, the UK and EFTA by the end of 2023. Talks with Canada were stalled due to political differences.

India is also gearing up to hold its mammoth Lok Sabha elections this summer.

### POTENTIAL GAINS

Biswajit Dhar, distinguished professor at the Council for Social Development, says finalisation of a trade pact with Oman will not be as tricky and complex as the current FTA negotiations with the European Union and the UK. "In the case of Oman, there won't be any problem in terms of domestic sensitivity,

There is hardly any item sold by Oman [at a concessional duty] that can threaten Indian industry. In fact, there is always a possibility of India getting some instrumental market access [for its exporters] in Oman," he says.

Bilateral trade has been showing robust growth, increasing from \$3.15 billion in 2021-22 (FY22) to \$4.48 billion during FY23, up 42 per cent. During the previous financial year, petroleum products, primarily motor gasoline, accounted for close to half of India's exports.

Imports from Oman are greater than exports, and saw a 15.6 per cent increase to \$791 billion in FY23. Top inbound shipments include petroleum products and Urea that comprise close to three-fourth of imports.

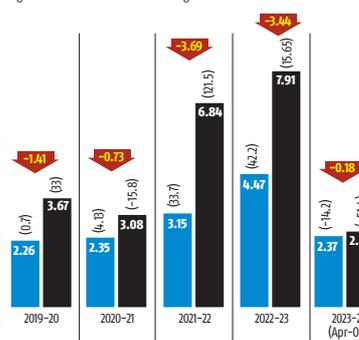
Ajay Sahai, director-general and chief executive officer, Federation of Indian Export Organisations, says Oman and India have complementarities, just as

India and the UAE do. "We will have better market access for our finished products. Lot of petrochemicals, chemicals, and crude oil from Oman will enter India at a lower duty. We will get raw material and intermediates at zero duty and get market access for all finished products such as engineering, chemicals, plastics, textiles. It is a win-win situation," Sahai says.

However, since the West Asian nation is a much smaller country than India, growth in trade between the two is expected to be limited. According to Delhi-based think tank Global Trade Research Initiative, India's gross domestic product of \$3.5 trillion is significantly larger than Oman's \$115 billion. "This indicates that India's economy is far more extensive and diverse. With a population of 1.4 billion, compared to Oman's 5 million, India represents a vast consumer market for Oman," it said in a report.

## INDIA-OMAN TRADE

Exports Imports Trade Balance  
Figures in brackets denote Y-o-Y change in %



Source: Department of Commerce

## STATUS OF INDIA-OMAN TRADE AGREEMENT:

- Formal commencement of meeting on November 20
- First round of negotiations in New Delhi on November 27-29
- Second round of negotiations in Muscat from December 9-11
- Third round of negotiations in New Delhi from January 8-10
- The negotiations on text of most of the chapters have been concluded by both the sides

The India-UAE agreement is expected to be replicated in the case of the trade pact with Oman, which is making it easier for the two sides to negotiate.

### EYE ON THE GCC

Experts say it is not only the economic

dimension that is driving the talks; the countries in the Gulf region, and the GCC, are also factors. India has been doing the balancing act in the backdrop of the Israel-Hamas conflict.

"Look at the way India has been handling the Ukraine-Russia conflict. We have been backing Russia to some extent and also making friends with the Western alliance. That is playing out here as well. A quick way to show friendship with the Arab countries is to pick up one of the low-hanging fruits," says an economist who does not want to be named.

Last month, a Parliamentary committee on external affairs said trade between India and the GCC countries had been dominated by the UAE and Saudi Arabia, and there was scope for enhancement in India's trade and investment with the other GCC countries, including Oman. The committee also said the process of negotiation and finalisation of the FTA between India and GCC had been delayed for a long time.

"In view of the prospects of substantial increase in trade between India and GCC countries as well as India's integration into the global value chain through the signing of the FTA, we urge the government to maintain close coordination with the GCC Secretariat so that formal negotiations on the India-GCC FTA commence soon for its early conclusion," the committee said in a report.

**KERALA WATER AUTHORITY**  
e-Tender Notice  
Tender No. 43/HS/PH/19/2023  
1. Jeevan Mission (J.M.)-2023-24 Priority Regional Water Supply Scheme-Phase II-Collection Chamber and Laying Channel from collection chamber to well-17-Finalisa.  
RFD No. 1/0/2000  
Tender fee: Rs. 8,500/-  
Last date for submitting tender: 18/01/2024 09:00 am  
Phone: 0487-2420200  
Website: www.kwa.kerala.gov.in, www.eenders.kwa.gov.in  
KWA-JG-GL-0270-2023-24  
Superintending Engineer  
PI Circle, Thrissur

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Powai, Mumbai - 400 076, Maharashtra, India.  
www.tuco.in

**NIDP DEVELOPERS PVT. LTD.**, a Distribution Licensee invites e-tenders against the Tender Specification No. NIDP DEVELOPERS PRIVATE LIMITED/Short/23-24/ET/199 at www.mstccommerce.com for purchase of Short-Term power up to 6 MW RTC for the period 1<sup>st</sup> April 2024 to 31<sup>st</sup> October 2024 as per the guidelines issued by the Ministry of Power, Government of India dated 30<sup>th</sup> March 2016 and amendment thereof. The tender documents will be available to the bidders only through e-tender website viz. www.mstccommerce.com. Bids are to be submitted on www.mstccommerce.com only and the hard copy of the Technical Bid is to be submitted on the above mentioned address. All the other details, terms & conditions are mentioned in the tender document. S/-  
Date: 13<sup>th</sup> January, 2024 Authorized Signatory

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**  
**RURAL WATER SUPPLY & SANITATION DEPT.,**  
GOLLAPUDI, VIJAYAWADA, AP  
e-Procurement Tender Notice Nos. 249/2023-24 to 282/2023-24. Dt. 12-01-2024  
Online (1<sup>st</sup> call) tenders are invited from the Original Equipment Manufacturers (OEMs) in e-procurement platform for the work 'Procurement of Material Required (HDPE Pipes, GI Pipes, DI Pipes FHTCs Material & D Valves) for taking up J.M works through Community Contracting System by Grama Jala Sangam in AP State' under thirty five (35) Package works. Tenders can be downloaded from E-Procurement platform i.e. www.tenders.approcurement.gov.in as following dates.  
Tender Notice No. 248/2023-24 to 282/2023-24. Dt. 12-01-2024 from 10:01-2024 to 31-01-2024 up to 4.00 pm of all districts in Andhra Pradesh for the Estimated Cost of Rs. 76469.84 Lakhs.  
The pre bid meeting will be held on 23-01-2024 @ 11.00 am in the Chambers of PD, SWSM, Gollapudi, Vijayawada.  
The Original Equipment Manufacturers (OEMs) participating in the bids are requested to furnish their experience and other details in Zip format. Further details can be obtained from e-procurement market place on www.approcurement.gov.in.  
Further details can be had from the Olo. The Chief Engineer & PD, SWSM, RWS&S, Gollapudi, Vijayawada through contact no. 9100120551.  
Sd/- S. Nare Ram Naidu  
Chief Engineer & PD, SWSM, RWS&S Dept., Vijayawada

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**NOTICE OF POSTAL BALLOT**  
Members are hereby informed that in compliance with the General Circular Nos. 14/2020 dated 8th April, 2020, 17/2020 dated 13th April, 2020, 11/2022 dated 28th December, 2022 and the latest one being General Circular No. 09/2023 dated 25th September, 2023, issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA Circulars) and any other applicable law, rules and regulations (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof, for the time being in force and as amended from time to time), the Company has completed dispatch of Postal Ballot Notice on 12th January 2024 for seeking approval of Members for appointment of Mr. Rachid Ayari as a Whole-time Director to be designated as 'Whole-time Director and Chief Financial Officer' of the Company w.e.f. 1st December 2023, subject to the approval of the Central Government, only through electronic mode to those Members whose e-mail addresses are registered with the Company/Depositories and whose names are recorded in the Register of Members of the Company or in the Register of Beneficial Owners maintained by the Depositories as on Friday, 5th January 2024 (Cut-off date).

**MPL**  
MAITHON POWER LIMITED  
Maithon Power Ltd, Village: Dambhu,  
PO Barbinda, PIN-828205, District-Dhanbad  
**NOTICE INVITING EXPRESSION OF INTEREST**  
The Maithon Power Limited invites expression of interest from eligible vendors for the following package:-  
**PROCUREMENT OF COAL MILL, GRINDING ROLL & BULL RING SEGMENT FOR COAL MILL XRP 1003 AT 525 x 2M THERMAL POWER PLANT.**  
For details of pre-qualification requirements, bid security, purchasing of tender document etc., please visit tender section of our website (URL: https://www.tatapower.com/tender/tenderlist.aspx).  
Eligible vendors willing to participate may submit their expression of interest along with the tender fee for issue of bid document latest by 24 Jan 2024.

**IFB INDUSTRIES LIMITED**  
CIN: L51109WB1974PLC029637  
Regd. Office: 14, Teratol Road, Kolkata - 700 088  
Phone: 033-30489299, Fax: 033-30489230  
Email: investors@ifbgroup.com; Website: www.ifbindustries.com

**NOTICE OF POSTAL BALLOT (only through e-voting)**  
Members are hereby informed that pursuant to and in compliance with the provisions of Section 110 read with Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013 ('Act'), Rule 22 and Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014, and any other applicable provisions of the Act, relevant Circulars issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) Regulation 44 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ('Listing Regulations') and Secretarial Standards on General Meeting (SS-2) issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India (ICSI), and other applicable laws and regulations, as amended from time to time (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force), the Company seeks the approval of the Members by way of Postal Ballot through remote e-voting process as specified in the Postal Ballot Notice along with the explanatory statement thereto.  
Members are hereby informed that:  
(a) In compliance with the above-mentioned provisions and MCA circulars, the Company has completed dispatch of electronic copies of Postal Ballot Notice ('Notice') dated November 2, 2023, along with Explanatory Statement, Friday, January 12, 2024 through electronic mode to all those Members of the Company whose e-mail addresses are registered with the Company/Depositories as on Friday, January 5, 2024 ('Cut-off date').  
(b) The e-voting period commences on Saturday, January 13, 2024 at 9:00 a.m. (IST).  
(c) The e-voting period ends on Sunday, February 11, 2024 at 5:00 p.m. (IST). The e-voting module shall be disabled for voting thereafter.  
(d) Only those Members whose names are recorded in the Register of Members of the Company or in the Register of Beneficial Owners maintained by the Depository Participant(s) as on the Cut-off date i.e. January 5, 2024, are entitled to cast their votes by remote e-voting.  
(e) Detailed instructions for remote e-voting are provided in the notes of the Postal Ballot Notice.  
(f) The Board of Directors of the Company has appointed Mr. Bijay Agarwal, Practising Company Secretary having membership No. FCS 159419 Partner of M/s BA & Associates, Company Secretaries, as the Scrutinizer to scrutinize the remote e-voting process and casting vote through the e-voting system in a fair and transparent manner.  
(g) Members who have not received Postal Ballot Notice may write to ifb@ifbmail.com or call on toll free no.: 1800 1020 990 and 1800 224 430 or send a request at [evoing@ifb.com](mailto:evoing@ifb.com).  
(h) In case of any queries with respect to voting by electronic means, you may refer the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) for Shareholders and remote e-voting user manual for Shareholders available at the download section of [www.evoing.msf.com](http://www.evoing.msf.com) or call on toll free no.: 1800 1020 990 and 1800 224 430 or send a request at [evoing@ifb.com](mailto:evoing@ifb.com).  
(i) Contact Detail for addressing e-voting related queries/grievances, if any, are Mr. Subhrajit Biswas, President & Compliance Officer, C B Management Services Private Limited, P-22, Bondel Road, Kolkata - 700019, Tel No.: 033 4011 6726/7006739.  
A copy of this Postal Ballot Notice is also available on the Company's website [www.ifbindustries.com](http://www.ifbindustries.com) and on the websites of BSE: [www.bseindia.com](http://www.bseindia.com) and NSE: [www.nseindia.com](http://www.nseindia.com) on which the Equity Shares of the Company are listed, and on the website of NSDL: [www.evoting.nsdl.com](http://www.evoting.nsdl.com). The results of postal ballot will be announced on or before Monday, February 12, 2024 and shall be placed along with Scrutinizer's Report on the website of the Company at [www.ifbindustries.com](http://www.ifbindustries.com) and on the website of NSDL. The results shall also be immediately forwarded to the Stock Exchanges and National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL).  
For IFB Industries Limited  
Sd/-  
Ritesh Agarwal  
Company Secretary  
Place: Kolkata Date: 12th January, 2024

**FORM B**  
**PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT**  
[Regulation 12 of the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Board of India (Liquidation Process) Regulations, 2016]  
**FOR THE ATTENTION OF THE STAKEHOLDERS OF GONGLU AGRO PRIVATE LIMITED**

S. NO.	PARTICULARS	DETAILS
1	Name of the Corporate Debtor	GONGLU AGRO PRIVATE LIMITED
2	Date of incorporation of Corporate Debtor	17/04/2013
3	Authority under which Corporate Debtor is incorporated / registered	Registrar of Companies, Chennai
4	Corporate Identity No./ Limited Liability Identification No. of Corporate Debtor	U11500TN2013PTC090649
5	Address of the Registered Office and Principal Office (if any) of the Corporate Debtor	No.18 & 1C, Sivnandan Apartments, 4th Floor, 4A, East Park Road, Pula Nagar, Shenyang Nagar, Chennai, Tamil Nadu-600030.
6	Date of closure of Insolvency Resolution Process	11.11.2023
7	Liquidation commencement date of Corporate Debtor	05.01.2024
8	Name and registration number of the insolvency professional acting as Liquidator	Dr. S.R. SHRIRAM SHEKHAR IBBI/PA-003IP/N000144/2017-2018/11598
9	Address and e-mail of the Liquidator, as registered with the Board	Flat No.11, Prayag Apartments, 1st Floor, 15th, Gandhi Nagar First Main Road, Adyar, Chennai-600020, Tamil Nadu. E-mail: <a href="mailto:gonglu.liquidation@gmail.com">gonglu.liquidation@gmail.com</a>
10	Address and e-mail to be used for Correspondence with the Liquidator	Flat No.11, Prayag Apartments, 1st Floor, 15th, Gandhi Nagar First Main Road, Adyar, Chennai-600020, Tamil Nadu. E-mail: <a href="mailto:gonglu.liquidation@gmail.com">gonglu.liquidation@gmail.com</a>
11	Last date for submission of claims	04.02.2024

Notice is hereby given that the National Company Law Tribunal Division Bench, Chennai has ordered the commencement of liquidation of the M/s. GONGLU AGRO PRIVATE LIMITED on 05th January, 2024. The Stakeholders to submit their claims or update their claims submitted during the corporate insolvency resolution process of M/s. GONGLU AGRO PRIVATE LIMITED, are hereby called upon to submit their Claims with proof on or before 04.02.2024, to the Liquidator at the address mentioned against item No.11. The Financial Creditors shall submit their claims with proof by electronic means only. All other Creditors may submit the claims with the proof in person, by post or by electronic means. Submission of false or misleading proof of claims shall attract penalties.

Dr. S.R. SHRIRAM SHEKHAR  
No. : IBBI/PA-003IP/N000144/2017-2018/11598  
Liquidator of M/s. GONGLU AGRO PRIVATE LIMITED  
Place : Chennai  
Date : 11.01.2024

The Company has engaged the services of National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL) to provide remote e-voting facility to its Members. The remote e-voting period commences from 9:00 a.m. (IST) on 15th January 2024 and ends at 5:00 p.m. (IST) on 13th February 2024. The e-voting module shall be disabled by NSDL thereafter. The voting rights of the Members shall be in proportion to their shares held by them in the paid-up equity share capital of the Company as on Cut-off date. Communication of assent or dissent of the Members would take place only through the remote e-voting system. Members are further requested to note that once the vote on a resolution is cast by the member, he/she shall not be allowed to change it subsequently or cast the vote again. The detailed procedure for e-voting is enumerated in the Notes to the Postal Ballot Notice. Notice shall be available on the Company's website i.e. [www.sanofindia.com](http://www.sanofindia.com), website of Stock Exchanges i.e. BSE Limited at [www.bseindia.com](http://www.bseindia.com) and NSE India Limited at [www.nseindia.com](http://www.nseindia.com) and on the website of NSDL at [www.evoting.nsdl.com](http://www.evoting.nsdl.com). In case of queries, members can write an email to [evoing@nsdl.co.in](mailto:evoing@nsdl.co.in) or contact at toll free no. - 1800 1020 990 and 1800 224 430 or contact Ms. Radhika Shah, Company Secretary of the Company at Sanofi House, CTS No.117-B, L&T Business Park, Saki Vihar Road, Powai, Mumbai - 400072, or send an email to [igrc.sli@sanofi.com](mailto:igrc.sli@sanofi.com), who will also address grievances connected with the process of voting by electronics means.

By Order of the Board of Directors  
Date: 13<sup>th</sup> January 2024  
Place: Mumbai  
Radhika Shah  
Company Secretary  
Membership No: A19308



