# SCHEME OF AMALGAMATION

# UNDER SECTIONS 230 TO 232 OF THE COMPANY ACT, 2013

**OF** 

# LYKA HEALTHCARE LIMITED (THE "TRANSFEROR COMPANY")

#### **AND**

# LYKA LABS LIMITED (THE "TRANSFEREE COMPANY")

#### **AND**

#### THEIR RESPECTIVE SHAREHOLDERS

#### **GENERAL**

# A. Description of Company and Background

I. Lyka Healthcare Limited, Transferor Company (CIN: U85190MH2013PLC244062) is a unlisted public limited company incorporated under the Company Act, 1956 having its registered office at 101, Shiv Shakti Industrial Estate, Andheri Kurla road, Andheri (East), Mumbai 400 059 (hereinafter referred to as the "Transferor Company").

The Transferor Company is engaged in the business of pharmaceutical sector. The Transferor Company is 100% subsidiary of the Transferee Company.

- II. Lyka Labs Limited Transferee Company (CIN: L24230GJ1976PLC008738) is a listed public limited company incorporated under the Company Act, 1956 having its registered office at 4801/B & 4802/A, G.I.D.C. Industrial Estate, Ankleshwar-393002 (hereinafter referred to as the "Transferee Company"). The Transferee Company is engaged in the business of wholesale and retail chemists and manufacturers and refiners of and dealers in all kinds of drugs , in pharmaceutical sector .
- III. The Transferor Company is a wholly owned subsidiary of the Transferee Company. The Transferee Company's equity shares are listed on BSE Limited and National Stock Exchange of India Limited.
- IV. This Scheme of Amalgamation provides for the amalgamation of the Transferor Company with the Transferee Company pursuant to Sections 230 to 232 and other relevant provisions of the Company Act, 1956 and other applicable provisions of the Company Act, 2013.

## B. Rationale for the Scheme

The Transferee Company is holding stake directly in the Transferor Company and as the Transferor Company and Transferee Company's business activities are similar and complement each other, and to achieve *inter-alia* economies of scale and efficiency, the merger of the Company is being undertaken. The amalgamation of the Transferor Company with the Transferee Company would *inter alia* have the following benefits:

- (a) Greater integration and greater financial strength and flexibility for the amalgamated entity, which would result in maximising overall shareholder value, and will improve the competitive position of the combined entity.
- (b) Greater efficiency in cash management of the amalgamated entity, and unfettered access to cash flow generated by the combined business which can be deployed more efficiently to fund organic and inorganic growth opportunities, to maximize shareholder value.
- (c) Improved organizational capability and leadership, arising from the pooling of human capital who have the diverse skills, talent and vast experience to compete successfully in an increasingly competitive industry.
- (d) Greater access by the amalgamated company to different market segments in the conduct of its business.
- (e) Cost savings are expected to flow from more focused operational efforts, rationalization, standardisation and simplification of business processes, and the elimination of duplication, and rationalization of administrative expenses.
- (f) Achieving economies of scale.

In view of the aforesaid, the Board of Directors of the Transferor Company and the Transferee Company have considered and proposed the amalgamation of the entire undertaking and business of the Transferor Company with the Transferee Company in order to benefit the stakeholders of both the companies. Accordingly, the Board of Directors of the Transferor Company and the Transferee Company have formulated this Scheme of Amalgamation for the transfer and vesting of the entire undertaking and business of the Transferor Company with and into the Transferee Company pursuant to the provisions of Section 230 to Section 232 and other relevant provisions of the Act.

#### C. Parts of the Scheme:

This Scheme of Amalgamation is divided into the following parts:

- (i) **Part I** deals with definitions of the terms used in this Scheme of Amalgamation and sets out the share capital of the Transferor Company and the Transferee Company;
- (ii) **Part II** deals with the transfer and vesting of the Undertaking (as hereinafter defined) of the Transferor Company to and in the Transferee Company;
- (iii) **Part III** deals with the issue of new equity shares by the Transferee Company to the eligible shareholders of the Transferor Companies, as applicable;
- (iv) **Part IV** deals with the accounting treatment for the amalgamation in the books of the Transferee Company and dividends;
- (v) **Part V** deals with the dissolution of the Transferor Company and the general terms and conditions applicable to this Scheme of Amalgamation and other matters consequential and integrally connected thereto.
- **D.** The amalgamation of the Transferor Company with the Transferee Company, pursuant to and in accordance with this Scheme, shall take place with effect from the Appointed Date and shall be in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Income Tax Act, 1961 including but not limited to Section 2(1B) and Section 47 thereof.

# PART I DEFINITIONS AND SHARE CAPITAL

## 1. **DEFINITIONS**

In this Scheme, unless repugnant to the meaning or context thereof, the following expressions shall have the following meaning:

- **1.1.** "Act" means the Company Act, 2013, the rules and regulations made thereunder and will include any statutory re-enactment or amendment(s) thereto, from time to time;
- **1.2. "Appointed Date"** For the purpose of this Scheme and for Income Tax Act, 1961, the "Appointed Date" means the open of business hours on 1st April 2017 ;

- **"Board of Directors"** or **"Board"** means the board of directors of the Transferor Company or the Transferee Company, as the case may be, and shall include a duly constituted committee thereof
- "Effective Date" means the last of the dates on which the certified or authenticated copies of the orders of the National Company Law Tribunal sanctioning the Scheme are filed with the respective Registrar of Company by the Transferor Company and by the Transferee Company. Any references in this Scheme to the date of "coming into effect of this Scheme" or "effectiveness of this Scheme" or "Scheme taking effect" shall mean the Effective Date;
  - 1.5 "Governmental Authority" means any applicable central, state or local government, legislative body, regulatory or administrative authority, agency or commission or any court, tribunal, board, bureau or instrumentality thereof or arbitration or arbitral body having jurisdiction over the territory of India including but not limited to Securities and Exchange of India, Stock Exchanges, Registrar of Companies, competition Commission of India, National Company Law Tribunal (to be constituted under Company Act, 2013), and the NCLT;
  - 1.6 "NCLT" means the National Company Law Tribunal, Ahmedabad Bench having jurisdiction in relation to the Transferee Company and the National Company Law Tribunal, Mumbai Bench having jurisdiction in relation to the Transferor as the context may admit;
  - 1.7 "Registrar of Companies" means the Registrar of Companies, Mumbai and /or Ahmedabad
  - **1.8 "Scheme"** means this Scheme of Amalgamation between the Transferor Company and the Transferee Company and their respective shareholders as submitted to the NCLT together with any modification(s) approved or directed by the NCLT Mumbai Bench and Ahmedabad Bench;
  - **1.9 "Stock Exchanges"** means BSE Limited and National Stock Exchange of India Limited where the shares of Transferee Company are listed;
  - **1.10** "Transferor Company" means Lyka Healthcare Limited(CIN: U85190MH2013PLC244062) , a company incorporated under the Company Act, 1956 having its registered office at 101, Shiv Shakti Industrial Estate , Andheri Kurla road, Andheri (East), Mumbai 400059;
  - **1.11** "Transferee Company" means Lyka Labs Limited (CIN: L24230GJ1976PLC008738) a company incorporated under the Company Act, 1956 having its registered office at 4801/B & 4802/A, G.I.D.C. Industrial Estate, Ankleshwar-393002;

- **1.12 "Undertaking"** means the whole of the undertaking and entire business of the Transferor Company as a going concern, including (without limitation):
  - I. All the assets and properties (whether movable or immovable, tangible or intangible, real or personal, corporeal or incorporeal, present, future or contingent) of the Transferor Company, including but not limited to, plant and machinery, equipment, buildings and structures, offices, residential and other premises, sundry debtors, furniture, office equipment, fixtures, appliances, accessories, depots, deposits, all stocks, investments of all kinds (including shares, scrips, stocks, bonds, debenture stocks, units), and interests in its subsidiaries, cash with balances or deposits banks, loans, advances, disbursements, contingent rights or benefits, book debts, receivables, actionable claims, earnest moneys, advances or deposits paid by the Transferor Company, financial assets, leases (including lease rights), hire purchase contracts and assets, lending contracts, rights and benefits under any agreement, benefit of any security arrangements or under any municipal guarantees, reversions, powers, permissions, tenancies in relation to the office and/or residential properties for the employees or other persons, guest houses, godowns, warehouses, licenses, fixed and other assets, trade and service names and marks, patents, copyrights, and other intellectual property rights of any nature whatsoever, know how, good will, rights to use and avail of telephones, telexes, facsimile, email, internet, leased line connections and installations, utilities, electricity and other services, reserves, provisions, funds, benefits of assets or properties or other interest held in trust, registrations, contracts, engagements, arrangements of all kind, privileges and all other rights including, title, interests, other benefits (including tax benefits), easements, privileges, liberties, mortgages, hypothecations, pledges or other security interests created in favour of the Transferor Company and advantages of whatsoever nature and wheresoever situated in India or abroad, belonging to or in the ownership, power or possession and in the control of or vested in or granted in favour of or enjoyed by the Transferor Company or in connection with or relating to the Transferor Company and all other interests of whatsoever nature belonging to or in the ownership, power, possession or the control of or vested in or granted in favour of or held for the benefit of or enjoyed by the Transferor Company, whether in India or abroad;
  - II. All liabilities including, without being limited to, secured and unsecured debts (whether in Indian rupees or foreign currency),

sundry creditors, liabilities (including contingent liabilities), duties and obligations of the Transferor Company, of every kind, nature and description whatsoever and howsoever arising, raised or incurred or utilised;

- III. All agreements, rights, contracts, entitlements, permits, licenses, approvals, authorizations, concessions, consents, quota rights, engagements, arrangements, authorities, allotments, security arrangements (to the extent provided herein), benefits of any guarantees, reversions, powers and all other approvals of every kind, nature and description whatsoever relating to the business activities and operations of the Transferor Company;
- IV. All records, files, papers, computer programs, manuals, data, catalogues, sales material, lists of customers and suppliers, other customer information and all other records and documents relating to the business activities and operations of the Transferor Company;
- V. All permanent employees engaged by the Transferor Company as on the Effective Date.

VI. all quotas, rights, entitlements, export/import incentives and benefits including advance licenses, bids, tenders (at any stage as it may be), letters of intent, expressions of interest, development rights (whatever vested or potential and whether under agreements or otherwise), subsidies, tenancies in relation to office, benefit of any deposits privileges, all other rights, receivables, powers and facilities of every kind, nature and description whatsoever, rights to use and avail of telephones, telexes, facsimile connections and installations, utilities, electricity and other services, provisions and benefits of all agreements, contracts and arrangements, including technological licensing agreements, and all other interests in connection with or relating thereto;

VII.

all brand names, trademarks, trade names, patents and domain names, the intellectual property in relation to ANDAs (Abbreviated New Drug Application), Certificate of Pharmaceutical Products (CoPPs), registrations; applications and authorizations of pharmaceutical products with governmental authorities in any jurisdiction (in so far as such pharmaceutical products pertain to the Undertaking), filings, dossiers copyrights, industrial designs, trade secrets, know-how; data, formulations, technology, methodology, manufacturing procedures and

techniques, test procedures, product registrations, applications and authorizations and other intellectual property and all other interests exclusively relating to the goods or services being dealt with by the Transferor Company;

- VIII. all intellectual property rights created, developed or invented by employees concentrated on the research, development or marketing of products (including process development or enhancement) in connection with the Transferor Company;
  - IX. all benefits and privileges under letters of permission and letters, of approvals in respect of Special Economic Zones and Export Oriented Units and the benefits related thereto, all tax credits, including CENVAT credits, refunds; reimbursements, claims, exemptions, benefits under service tax laws, value added tax, purchase tax, sales tax or any other duty or tax or cess or imposts under central or state law including sales tax deferrals, advance taxes, tax deducted at source, right to carry forward and set-off unabsorbed losses, if any and depreciation, deductions and benefits under the Income-tax Act, 1961, as well as any recognition of the In-house Research and Development unit with the Department of Scientific & Industrial Research or any Government Authority;
- 1.2. All capitalized terms not defined but used in this Scheme shall, unless repugnant or contrary to the context or meaning thereof, have the same meaning ascribed to them under the Act, the Securities Contracts (Regulation) Act, 1956, the Depositories Act, 1996 and other applicable laws, rules, regulations and byelaws, as the case may be, or any statutory amendment(s) or re-enactment thereof, for the time being in force.

#### 2. SHARE CAPITAL

# 2.1. Transferor Company:

The Authorised, Issued , Subscribed and Paid-up share capital of the Transferor Company as on March 31, 2016 was as under:

Particulars	Rs.
Authorised Share Capital:	
80,00,000 Equity Shares of Rs. 10/- each	80,000,000
Issued, Subscribed and Paid up Share	
Capital:	
75,50,000 equity shares of Rs. 10/- each	75,500,000

Subsequent to the above balance sheet date there is no change in the Capital Structure of Transferor Company. Transferor Company is 100% subsidiary of Transferee Company. Entire Paid up share capital of the Transferor Company is held by the Transferee Company and its nominee.

# 2.2. Transferee Company:

The Authorised, Issued, subscribed and paid-up share capital of the Transferee Company as on March 31, 2016 was as under:

Particulars	Rs.
Authorised Share Capital:	
30,000,000 Equity Shares of Rs. 10/- each.	300,000,000
200,000 Reedemable Preference Shares of Rs.	
100/- each	20,000,000
Issued, Subscribed and Paid up Share Capital:	
22,040,000 Equity Shares of Rs. 10/- each	220,400,000
108,570 - 10% Cumulative Redeemable	10,857,000
Preference Shares of Rs 100/- each	

Subsequent to the above balance sheet date there is no change in the Capital Structure of Transferee Company. Transferor Company is 100% subsidiary of Transferee Company. Entire Paid up share capital of the Transferor Company is held by the Transferee Company and its nominee.

The equity shares of Transferee Company are, at present, listed on the National Stock Exchange of India Limited and the BSE Limited.

#### 3. DATE OF TAKING EFFECT AND OPERATIVE DATE

The Scheme set out herein in its present form or with any modifications approved or imposed or directed by NCLT shall be effective from the Appointed Date but shall be operative from the Effective Date.

#### **PART II**

# TRANSFER AND VESTING OF UNDERTAKING

#### 4. TRANSFER OF UNDERTAKING

- 4.1 Upon the coming into effect of this Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date, the Undertaking, pursuant to the sanction of this Scheme by the NCLT under and in accordance with the provisions of Sections 230 to 232 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Act, shall stand transferred to and be vested in or be deemed to have been transferred to and vested in the Transferee Company, as a going concern without any further act, instrument, deed, matter or thing to be made, done or executed so as to become, as and from the Appointed Date, the Undertaking of the Transferee Company by virtue of and in the manner provided in this Scheme.
- 4.2 Subject to the provisions of this Scheme as specified hereinafter and with effect from the Appointed Date, the entire Undertaking(s) of the Transferor Company, including all the debts, liabilities, losses, duties and obligations, including those arising on account of taxation laws and other allied laws of the Transferor Company of every description and also including, without limitation, all the movable and immovable properties and assets, tangible or Intangible assets (whether or not recorded in the books of account of the Transferor Company) of the Transferor Company comprising, amongst others, all freehold land, leasehold land, building, plants, motor vehicles, manufacturing facilities, laboratories receivables, actionable claims, furniture and fixtures, computers, office equipment, electrical installations, generators, containers, telephones, telex, facsimile and other communication facilities and business licenses, licenses under Factories Act, manufacturing licenses, permits, deposits, authorisations, approvals, recognitions and registrations granted by the Department of Scientific & Industrial Research to the in-house research and development units established, insurance cover of every description, lease, tenancy rights, permissions, incentives, if any, and all other rights, patents, know-how, trademark, service mark, trade secret, brands, registrations, licenses including Export Oriented Unit licences, Special Economic Zones registrations, marketing authorisations and other intellectual property rights, proprietary rights, title, interest, contracts, no objection certificates, deeds, bonds, consents, approvals and rights and powers of every kind, nature and description whatsoever, privileges, liberties, easements,

advantages and benefits, approvals, filings, dossiers, copyrights, industrial trade secrets, know-how, data, formulations, methodology, manufacturing procedures and techniques, test procedures, brand names, trade names and domain names, and all other interests in connection with or relating to and product registrations, applications and authorisations for product registrations, and all other interests exclusively relating to the goods or services, GMP Certificates, ANDAs approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration, shall, under the provisions of Sections 230 to 232 of the Act, and pursuant to the orders of the NCLT, Mumbai Bench and Ahmedabad Bench sanctioning this Scheme and without further act, instrument or deed, but subject to the charges affecting the same as on the Effective Date, be transferred and/or deemed to be transferred to and vested in the Transferee Company, so as to become the properties, assets, rights, business and Undertaking(s) of the Transferee Company.

#### 4.3 Transfer of Assets:

- 4.3.1 Without prejudice to the generality of Clause 4.1 above, upon the coming into effect of this Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date:
  - 4.3.1.1 All the assets and properties comprised in the Undertaking of whatsoever nature and wheresoever situated, shall, under the provisions of Sections 230 to 232 and all other applicable provisions, if any, of the Act, without any further act or deed, be and stand transferred to and vested in the Transferee Company or be deemed to be transferred to and vested in the Transferee Company as a going concern so as to become the assets and properties of the Transferee Company.
  - 4.3.1.2 Without prejudice to the provisions of Clause 4.3.1.1 above, in respect of such of the assets and properties of the Undertaking as are movable in nature or incorporeal property or are otherwise capable of transfer by manual delivery or by endorsement and/or delivery, the same shall be so transferred by the Transferor Company and shall, upon such transfer, become the assets and properties of the Transferee Company as an integral part of the Undertaking, without requiring any separate deed or instrument or conveyance for the same.
  - 4.3.1.3 In respect of movables other than those dealt with in Clause 4.3.1.2 above including sundry debts, receivables, bills, credits, loans and advances of the Undertaking, if any, whether

recoverable in cash or in kind or for value to be received, bank balances, investments, earnest money and deposits with any Governmental Authority or with any company or other person, the same shall on and from the Appointed Date stand transferred to and vested in the Transferee Company.

- 4.3.1.4 All interests of the Transferor Company in their respective subsidiaries as on the Appointed Date will become the interests and subsidiaries of the Transferee Company.
- 4.3.1.5 All the licenses, permits, quotas, approvals, permissions, registrations, incentives, tax deferrals and benefits, subsidies, concessions, grants, rights, claims, leases, tenancy rights, liberties, special status and other benefits or privileges enjoyed or conferred upon or held or availed of by the Transferor Company and all rights and benefits that have accrued or which may accrue to the Transferor Company, whether before or after the Appointed Date, shall, under the provisions of Sections 391 to 394 and all other applicable provisions, if any, of the Act, without any further act, instrument or deed, cost or charge be and stand transferred to and vest in or be deemed to be transferred to and vested in and be available to the Transferee Company so as to become as and from the Appointed Date licenses, permits, quotas, approvals, permissions, registrations, incentives, tax deferrals and benefits, subsidies, concessions, grants, rights, claims, leases, tenancy rights, liberties, special status and other benefits or privileges of the Transferee Company and shall remain valid, effective and enforceable on the same terms and conditions.
- 4.3.2 The Transferor Company shall, if so required, also give notice in such form as it may deem fit and proper to the debtors, that pursuant to the sanction of this Scheme by NCLT, Mumbai Bench and Ahmedabad Bench under and in accordance with Sections 230 and 232 and all other applicable provisions, if any, of the Act, the said debtors should pay to the Transferee Company the debt, loan or advance or make the same on account of the Transferor Company and the right of the Transferor Company to recover or realize the same stands extinguished.
- 4.3.3 All assets and properties of the Transferor Company as on the Appointed Date, whether or not included in the books of the respective Transferor Company, and all assets and properties which are acquired by the Transferor Company on or after the Appointed Date but prior to the Effective Date, shall be deemed to be and shall become the assets and properties of the Transferee Company, and shall under the provisions of Sections 230 to 232 and all other applicable provisions, if any, of the Act, without any further act, instrument or deed, be and stand transferred to and vested in and be deemed to have been

transferred to and vested in the Transferee Company upon the coming into effect of this Scheme. Provided however that no onerous assets shall have been acquired by the Transferor Company after the Appointed Date without the consent of the Transferee Company as provided for in this Scheme.

# 4.4 Transfer of Liabilities:

- Upon the coming into effect of this Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date all liabilities relating to and comprised in the Undertaking including all secured and unsecured debts (whether in Indian rupees or foreign currency), sundry creditors, liabilities (including contingent liabilities), duties and obligations undertakings of the Transferor Company of every kind, nature and description whatsoever and howsoever arising, raised or incurred or utilised for its business activities and operations (herein referred to as the "Liabilities"), shall, pursuant to the sanction of this Scheme by the NCLT under and in accordance with the provisions of Sections 230 to 232 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Act, without any further act, instrument, deed, matter or thing, be transferred to and vested in or be deemed to have been transferred to and vested in the Transferee Company, along with any charge, encumbrance, lien or security thereon, and the same shall be assumed by the Transferee Company to the extent they are outstanding as on the Effective Date so as to become as and from the Appointed Date the liabilities of the Transferee Company on the same terms and conditions as were applicable to the Transferor Company, and the Transferee Company shall meet, discharge and satisfy the same and further it shall not be necessary to obtain the consent of any third party or other person who is a party to any contract or arrangement by virtue of which such Liabilities have arisen in order to give effect to the provisions of this Clause.
- 4.4.2 All debts, liabilities, duties and obligations of the Undertaking as on the Appointed Date, whether or not provided in the books of the respective Transferor Company, and all debts and loans raised, and duties, liabilities and obligations incurred or which arise or accrue to the Undertaking on or after the Appointed Date till the Effective Date, shall be deemed to be and shall become the debts, loans raised, duties, liabilities and obligations incurred by the Transferee Company by virtue of this Scheme.
- 4.4.3 Where any such debts, loans raised, liabilities, duties and obligations of the Undertaking as on the Appointed Date have been discharged or

satisfied by the Transferor Company after the Appointed Date and prior to the Effective Date, such discharge or satisfaction shall be deemed to be for and on account of the Transferee Company.

4.4.4 Loans, advances and other obligations (including any guarantees, letters of credit, letters of comfort or any other instrument or arrangement which may give rise to a contingent liability in whatever form), if any, due or which may at any time in future become due between the Undertaking and the Transferee Company shall, *ipso facto*, stand discharged and come to an end and there shall be no liability in that behalf on any party and appropriate effect shall be given in the books of accounts and records of the Transferee Company.

## 4.5 Encumbrances

- 4.5.1 The transfer and vesting of the assets comprised in the Undertaking to and in the Transferee Company under Clauses 4.1 and 4.3 of this Scheme shall be subject to the mortgages and charges, if any, affecting the same, as and to the extent hereinafter provided.
- 4.5.2 All the existing securities, mortgages, charges, encumbrances or liens (the "Encumbrances"), if any, as on the Appointed Date and created by the Transferor Company after the Appointed Date, over the assets comprised in the Undertaking or any part thereof transferred to the Transferee Company by virtue of this Scheme and in so far as such Encumbrances secure or relate to liabilities of the Transferor Company, the same shall, after the Effective Date, continue to relate and attach to such assets or any part thereof to which they are related or attached prior to the Effective Date and as are transferred to the Transferee Company, and such Encumbrances shall not relate or attach to any of the other assets of the Transferee Company, provided however that no Encumbrances shall have been created by the Transferor Company over its assets after the Appointed Date without the consent of the Transferee Company as provided for in this Scheme.
- 4.5.3 The existing Encumbrances over the assets and properties of the Transferee Company or any part thereof which relate to the liabilities and obligations of the Transferee Company prior to the Effective Date shall continue to relate only to such assets and properties and shall not extend or attach to any of the assets and properties of the Undertaking transferred to and vested in the Transferee Company by virtue of this Scheme.
- 4.5.4 Any reference in any security documents or arrangements (to which the Transferor Company are a party) to the Transferor Company and its assets and properties, shall be construed as a reference to the Transferee

Company and the assets and properties of the Transferor Company transferred to the Transferee Company by virtue of this Scheme. Without prejudice to the foregoing provisions, the Transferor Company and the Transferee Company may execute any instruments or documents or do all the acts and deeds as may be considered appropriate, including the filing of necessary particulars and/or modification(s) of charge(s), with the Registrar of Company to give formal effect to the above provisions, if required.

- 4.5.5 Upon the coming into effect of this Scheme, the Transferee Company alone shall be liable to perform all obligations in respect of the Liabilities, which have been transferred to it in terms of the Scheme.
- 4.5.6 It is expressly provided that, no other term or condition of the Liabilities transferred to the Transferee Company is modified by virtue of this Scheme except to the extent that such amendment is required statutorily or by necessary implication.
- 4.5.7 The provisions of this Clause 4.5 shall operate in accordance with the terms of the Scheme, notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in any instrument, deed or writing or the terms of sanction or issue or any security document; all of which instruments, deeds or writings shall be deemed to stand modified and/or superseded by the foregoing provisions.

## 4.6 **Inter - se Transactions:**

Without prejudice to the provisions of Clauses 4.1 to 4.5, with effect from the Appointed Date, all inter-party transactions between the Transferor Company and the Transferee Company shall be considered as intra-party transactions for all purposes.

# 5. CONTRACTS, DEEDS, ETC.

- 5.1 Upon the coming into effect of this Scheme and subject to the provisions of this Scheme, all contracts, deeds, bonds, agreements, schemes, arrangements, assurances and other instruments of whatsoever nature to which the Transferor Company are a party or to the benefit of which the Transferor Company may be eligible, and which are subsisting or have effect immediately before the Effective Date, shall continue in full force and effect by, for or against or in favour of, as the case may be, the Transferee Company and may be enforced as fully and effectually as if, instead of the Transferor Company the Transferee Company had been a party or beneficiary or obligee or obligor thereto or thereunder.
- 5.2 Without prejudice to the other provisions of this Scheme and notwithstanding the fact that vesting of the Undertaking occurs by virtue of this Scheme itself, the Transferee Company may, at any time after the coming into effect of this Scheme in accordance with the provisions hereof, if so required under any law or otherwise, take such actions and execute such deeds (including deeds of

adherence), confirmations or other writings or arrangements with any party to any contract or arrangement to which the Transferor Company are a party or any writings as may be necessary in order to give formal effect to the provisions of this Scheme. The Transferee Company shall, under the provisions of this Scheme, be deemed to be authorised to execute any such writings on behalf of the Transferor Company and to carry out or perform all such formalities or compliances referred to above on the part of the Transferor Company.

5.3 For the avoidance of doubt and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing, it is clarified that upon the coming into effect of this Scheme, all consents, permissions, licenses, certificates, clearances, authorities, powers of attorney given by, issued to or executed in favour of the Transferor Company shall without any further act or deed, stand transferred to the Transferee Company, as if the same were originally given by, issued to or executed in favour of the Transferee Company, and the Transferee Company shall be bound by the terms thereof, the obligations and duties thereunder, and the rights and benefits under the same shall be available to the Transferee Company. The Transferee Company shall receive relevant approvals from the concerned Governmental Authorities as may be necessary in this behalf.

#### 6. LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

6.1 On and from the Appointed Date, all suits, actions, claims and legal proceedings by or against the Transferor Company pending and/or arising on or before the Effective Date shall be continued and / or enforced as desired by the Transferee Company and on and from the Effective Date, shall be continued and / or enforced by or against the Transferee Company as effectually and in the same manner and to the same extent as if the same had been originally instituted and/or pending and/or arising by or against the Transferee Company. On and from the Effective Date, the Transferee Company shall have the right to initiate, defend, compromise or otherwise deal with any legal proceedings relating to the Undertaking, in the same manner and to the same extent as would or might have been initiated by the Transferor Company as the case may be, had the Scheme not be made; If any suit, appeal or other proceedings relating to the Undertaking, of whatever nature by or against the Transferor Company be pending, the same shall not abate or be discontinued or in any way be prejudicially affected by reason of the amalgamation of the Undertaking or by anything contained in this Scheme but the proceedings may be continued, prosecuted and enforced by or against the Transferee Company in the same manner and to the same extent as it would or might have been continued, prosecuted and enforced by or against the Transferor Company as if this Scheme had not been made.

#### 7. CONDUCT OF BUSINESS

7.1 With effect from the Appointed Date and up to and including the Effective Date:

- 7.1.1 The Transferor Company shall carry on and shall be deemed to have carried on all its business and activities as hitherto and shall hold and stand possessed of and shall be deemed to have held and stood possessed of the Undertaking on account of, and for the benefit of and in trust for, the Transferee Company.
- 7.1.2 All the profits or income accruing or arising to the Transferor Company, and all expenditure or losses arising or incurred (including all taxes, if any, paid or accruing in respect of any profits and income) by the Transferor Company shall, for all purposes, be treated and be deemed to be and accrue as the profits or income or as the case may be, expenditure or losses (including taxes) of the Transferee Company.
- 7.1.3 Any of the rights, powers, authorities and privileges attached or related or pertaining to and exercised by or available to the Transferor Company shall be deemed to have been exercised by the Transferor Company for and on behalf of and as agent for the Transferee Company. Similarly, any of the obligations, duties and commitments attached, related or pertaining to the Undertaking that have been undertaken or discharged by the Transferor Company shall be deemed to have been undertaken or discharged for and on behalf of and as agent for the Transferee Company.
- 7.2 With effect from the first of the date of filing of this Scheme with the High Courts and up to and including the Effective Date:
  - 7.2.1 The Transferor Company shall preserve and carry on their business and activities with reasonable diligence and business prudence and shall not undertake any additional financial commitments of any nature whatsoever, borrow any amounts nor incur any other liabilities or expenditure, issue any additional guarantees, indemnities, letters of comfort or commitments either for itself or on behalf of its group Company or any third party or sell, transfer, alienate, charge, mortgage or encumber or deal with the Undertaking or any part thereof save and except in each case in the following circumstances:
    - 7.2.1.1 if the same is in its ordinary course of business as carried on by it as on the date of filing this Scheme with NCLT; or
    - 7.2.1.2 if the same is permitted by this Scheme; or
    - 7.2.1.3 if consent of the Board of Directors of the Transferee Company has been obtained.
  - 7.2.2 The Transferor Company shall not take, enter into, perform or undertake, as applicable (i) any material decision in relation to its business and operations other than decisions already taken prior to

approval of the Scheme by the respective Board of Directors (ii) any agreement or transaction; and (iii) any new business, or discontinue any existing business or change the capacity of facilities.:(iv) such other matters as the Transferee Company may notify from time to time save and except in each case in the following circumstances:

- 7.2.2.1 if the same is in its ordinary course of business as carried on by it as on the date of filing this Scheme with NCLT; or
- 7.2.2.2 if the same is permitted by this Scheme; or
- 7.2.2.3 if consent of the Board of Directors of the Transferee Company has been obtained.

## 7.3 Treatment of Taxes

- 7.3.1 Any tax liabilities under the Income-tax Act, 1961, Wealth Tax Act, 1957, Customs Act, 1962, Central Excise Act, 1944, Maharashtra Value Added Tax Act, 2002, Central Sales Tax Act, 1956, any other state Sales Tax / Value Added Tax laws, service tax, luxury tax, stamp laws or other applicable laws/ regulations (hereinafter in this Clause referred to as "Tax Laws") dealing with taxes/ duties/ levies allocable or related to the business of the Transferor Company to the extent not provided for or covered by tax provision in the accounts made as on the date immediately preceding the Appointed Date shall be transferred to Transferee Company.
- 7.3.2 All taxes (including income tax, wealth tax, sales tax, excise duty, customs duty, service tax, luxury tax, VAT, etc.) paid or payable by the Transferor Company in respect of the operations and/or the profits of the business on and from the Appointed Date, shall be on account of the Transferee Company and, insofar as it relates to the tax payment (including without limitation income tax, wealth tax, sales tax, excise duty, customs duty, service tax, luxury tax, VAT, etc.), whether by way of deduction at source, advance tax or otherwise howsoever, by the Transferor Company in respect of the profits or activities or operation of the business on and from the Appointed Date, the same shall be deemed to be the corresponding item paid by the Transferee Company, and shall, in all proceedings, be dealt with accordingly.
- 7.3.3 Any refund under the Tax Laws due to Transferor Company consequent to the assessments made on Transferor Company and for which no credit is taken in the accounts as on the date immediately preceding the Appointed Date shall also belong to and be received by the Transferee Company.

7.3.4 Without prejudice to the generality of the above, all benefits including under the income tax, sales tax, excise duty, customs duty, service tax, luxury tax, VAT, etc., to which the Transferor Company are entitled to in terms of the applicable Tax Laws of the Union and State Governments, shall be available to and vest in the Transferee Company.

#### 8. STAFF WORKMEN AND EMPLOYEES

- 8.1 Upon the coming into effect of this Scheme:
  - All the permanent employees of the Transferor Company who are in its employment as on the Effective Date shall become the permanent employees of the Transferee Company with effect from the Effective Date without any break or interruption in service and on terms and conditions as to employment and remuneration not less favourable than those on which they are engaged or employed by the Transferor Company. It is clarified that the employees of the Transferor Company who become employees of the Transferee Company by virtue of this Scheme, shall not be entitled to the employment policies and shall not be entitled to avail of any schemes and benefits that may be applicable and available to any of the employees of the Transferee Company (including the benefits of or under any employee stock option schemes applicable to or covering all or any of the employees of the Transferee Company), unless otherwise determined by the Board of Directors of the Transferee Company. The Transferee Company undertakes to continue to abide by any agreement/ settlement, if any, validly entered into by the Transferor Company with any union/employee of the Transferor Company (as may be recognized by the Transferor Company). After the Effective Date, the Transferee Company shall be entitled to vary the terms and conditions as to employment and remuneration of the employees of the Transferor Company on the same basis as it may do for the employees of the Transferee Company.
  - The existing provident fund, gratuity fund and pension and/or 8.1.2 superannuation fund or trusts or retirement funds or benefits created by the Transferor Company or any other special funds created or existing for the benefit of the concerned permanent employees of the Transferor Company (collectively referred to as the "Funds") and the investments made out of such Funds shall, at an appropriate stage, be transferred to the Transferee Company to be held for the benefit of the concerned employees. The Funds shall, subject to the necessary approvals and permission and at the discretion of the Transferee Company, either be continued as separate funds of the Transferee Company for the benefit of the employees of the Transferor Company or be transferred to and merged with other similar funds of the Transferee Company. In the event that the Transferee Company does not have its own fund with respect to any such Funds, the Transferee Company may, subject to necessary approvals and permissions, continue to maintain the existing

Funds separately and contribute thereto, until such time as the Transferee Company creates its own funds at which time the Funds and the investments and contributions pertaining to the employees of the Transferor Company shall be transferred to such funds of the Transferee Company.

#### 9. SAVING OF CONCLUDED TRANSACTIONS

Subject to the terms of this Scheme, the transfer and vesting of the Undertaking of the Transferor Company under Clause 4 of this Scheme shall not affect any transactions or proceedings already concluded by the Transferor Company on or before the Appointed Date or concluded after the Appointed Date till the Effective Date, to the end and intent that the Transferee Company accepts and adopts all acts, deeds and things made, done and executed by the Transferor Company as acts, deeds and things made, done and executed by or on behalf of the Transferee Company.

#### **PART III**

#### 10. CANCELLATION OF SHARES

The entire issued, subscribed and paid-up share capital of the Transferor Company is held by the Transferee Company along with its nominees. Upon the scheme becoming effective, no shares of the Transferee Company shall be allotted in lieu or exchange of its holding in the Transferor Company and the Paid up share capital of the Transferor Company shall stand cancelled

# 10.1 Increase in authorized share capital of Transferee Company

10.1.1 Upon the Scheme coming into effect, the authorised share capital of the Transferor Company shall be added to that of the Transferee Company and in the Memorandum of Association and Articles of Association it shall be automatically stand enhanced without any further act, instrument or deed on the part of the Transferee Company, including payment of stamp duty and fees payable to Registrar of Companies, by an amount of Rs.8,00,00,000 (Rupees Eight Crores ), and the Memorandum of Association and Articles of Association of the Transferee Company (relating to the authorized share capital) shall, without any further act, instrument or deed, be and stand altered, modified and amended, and the consent of the shareholders to the Scheme shall be deemed to be sufficient for the purposes of effecting this amendment, and no further resolution(s) under sections 13, 14, 61, 64 of the Companies Act, 2013 or any other applicable provisions of the Company Act 2013, would be required to be separately passed. For this purpose, the filing fees and stamp duty already paid by the Transferor Company on the authorised share capital shall be utilized and applied to the increased share capital of the Transferee Company, and shall be deemed to have been so paid by the Transferee Company on such

combined authorised share capital and accordingly, the Transferee Company shall not be required to pay any fees / stamp duty on the authorised share capital so increased.

The capital clause being Clause V of the Memorandum of Association of the Transferee Company shall on the Effective Date stand substituted to read as follows:

"The Authorised Share Capital of the Company is Rs.40,00,00,000 (Rupees Forty Crores Only) divided into 3,80,00,000 equity shares of Rs. 10 each and 2,00,000 Redeemable Preference shares of Rs.100 each with such rights, privileges and conditions as to security, redemption, conversion into equity shares, rate of dividend, right of accumulation of dividend etc., attaching thereto as are provided by the Articles of Association of the Company. The Company shall have power to increase or reduce, consolidate or sub-divide the Share Capital of the Company for the time being and from time to time divide the shares of the new Capital into several classes and denomination and to issue any shares of the original or further Share Capital of the Company for the time being with such preferential, qualified or special rights, privileges or conditions attached thereto respectively including rights to dividend in distribution of assets of the Company from time to time in accordance with the Articles of Association of the Company and subject to the provisions of the Company Act, 1956, for the time being in force."

## **PART IV**

## ACCOUNTING TREATMENT AND DIVIDENDS

## 11. ACCOUNTING TREATMENT

- 11.1 Upon the coming into effect of this Scheme and with effect from the Appointed Date, for the purpose of accounting for and dealing with the value of the assets and liabilities in the books of the Transferee Company, all assets and liabilities recorded in the books of the Transferor Company and transferred to and vested in the Transferee Company pursuant to this scheme shall be recorded by the Transferee Company at their Fair Value
- 11.2 The identity of statutory reserves of the Transferor Companies, if any, shall be preserved and they shall appear in the financial statements of the Transferee Company in the same form and manner in which they appeared in the financial statements of the Transferor Company prior to this Scheme becoming effective.
- 11.3 The balance in the Profit & Loss Account and the Free Reserves Account of the Transferor Company shall be carried as the balances in the accounts of the Transferee Company.
- 11.4 In case of any difference in accounting policy between the Transferor Company

and the Transferee Company, the impact of the same till the Appointed Date will be quantified and adjusted in accordance with Accounting Standard (AS) 5 'Net Profit or loss for the Period, Prior Period Items and Changes in Accounting Policies', in the books of the Transferee Company to ensure that the financial statements of the Transferee Company reflect the financial position on the basis of consistent accounting policy.

- 11.5 The difference between the value of respective investments carried in the books of the Transferee Company and the "Net Book Value" of the assets of the respective Transferor Company, shall be treated as goodwill or capital reserve as the case may be, in the books of the Transferee Company, and dealt with in accordance with the Accounting Standard AS-14 issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India.
- 11.6 Subject to provisions of this Scheme, the Transferee Company shall abide by Accounting Standard AS-14 issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India.
- 11.7 The amalgamation of Transferor Company with the Transferee Company in terms of this Scheme shall take place with effect from the Appointed Date and shall be in accordance with the provisions of Section 2(1B) of the Income Tax Act, 1961.
- 11.8 Inter Company balances shall be cancelled;

# 12. DECLARATION OF DIVIDEND

- 12.1 During the period between the Appointed Date and up to and including the Effective Date, the Transferor Company shall not declare any dividend without the prior written consent of the Board of Directors of the Transferee Company.
- 12.2 For the avoidance of doubt, it is hereby declared that nothing in the Scheme shall prevent the Transferee Company from declaring and paying dividends, whether interim or final, to its equity shareholders as on the Record Date for the purpose of dividend and the shareholders of the Transferor Company shall not be entitled to dividend, if any, declared by the Transferee Company prior to the Effective Date.

# 13. POWER TO GIVE EFFECT TO THIS PART

**13.1.** The Transferee Company shall enter into and/ or issue and/ or execute deeds, writings or confirmations or enter into any tripartite arrangements, confirmations or novations, to which the Transferor

Company will, if necessary, also be party in order to give formal effect to the provisions of this Scheme, if so required. Further, the Transferee Company shall be deemed to be authorised to execute any such deeds, writings or confirmations on behalf of the Transferor Company and to implement or carry out all formalities required on the part of the Transferor Company to give effect to the provisions of this Scheme.

13.2. Upon coming into effect of the Scheme, the Transferee Company and/or the Transferor Company shall, with reasonable dispatch apply for transition of all licenses and statutory registrations of the Transferee Company including but not limited to product registrations (including applications and authorizations for product registrations), ANDAs, manufacturing licenses, product permissions, certificates, CoPPs, market authorizations, filings, dossiers (including experience and prequalification submissions), industrial licences, municipal permissions, approvals, consent, permits, quotas, registration with Food and Drug Administrations of various states, incentives and subsidies. The period between the Effective Date and the last date on which the transfer of all such aforementioned licenses and statutory registrations have occurred is hereinafter referred to as "Transitory Period".

During the Transition Period the Transferee Company, may procure or use or manufacture or sale, all materials and products under the respective country registrations including the packing material, art work, label goods, cartons, stickers, wrappers, labels, containers, point of sale material, sign board, samples, closures, publicity materials in the name and form/format of the Transferor Company under any license and/or statutory registration, if any, while conducting the business of the Undertaking, with a view to avoid any disruption of business, to ensure continuity of operations and uninterrupted supply of the registered medicines for export purposes.

#### **PART V**

# DISSOLUTION OF TRANSFEROR COMPANY AND GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

#### 14. DISSOLUTION OF TRANSFEROR COMPANY

On the coming into effect of this Scheme, the Transferor Company shall stand dissolved without winding-up, and the Board of Directors and any committees thereof of the Transferor Company shall without any further act, instrument or deed be and stand dissolved.

## 15. VALIDITY OF EXISTING RESOLUTIONS, ETC.

Upon the coming into effect of this Scheme the resolutions, if any, of the Transferor Company, which are valid and subsisting on the Effective Date, shall continue to be valid and subsisting and be considered as resolutions of the Transferee Company and if any such resolutions have any monetary limits approved under the provisions of the Act, or any other applicable statutory provisions, then the said limits shall be added to the limits, if any, under like resolutions passed by the Transferee Company and shall constitute the aggregate of the said limits in the Transferee Company.

#### 16. MODIFICATION OF SCHEME

- 16.1Subject to approval of Jurisdictional NCLT, the Transferor Company and the Transferee Company by their respective Board of Directors or any director/executives or any committee authorised in that behalf (hereinafter referred to as the "Delegate") may assent to, or make, from time to time, any modification(s) or addition(s) to this Scheme which Jurisdictional NCLT or any authorities under law may deem fit to approve of or may impose and which the Board of Directors of the Transferor Company and the Transferee Company may in their discretion accept, or such modification(s) or addition(s) as the Board of Directors of the Transferor Company and the Transferee Company or as the case may be, their respective Delegate may deem fit, or required for the purpose of resolving any doubts or difficulties that may arise in carrying out this Scheme. The Transferor Company and the Transferee Company by their respective Boards of Directors or Delegates are authorised to do and execute all acts, deeds, matters and things necessary for bringing this Scheme into effect, or review the position relating to the satisfaction of the conditions of this Scheme and if necessary, waive any of such conditions (to the extent permissible under law) for bringing this Scheme into effect, and/or give such consents as may be required in terms of this Scheme. In the event that any conditions are imposed by NCLT or any Governmental Authorities, which the Board of Directors of the Transferor Company or the Transferee Company find unacceptable for any reason, then the Transferor Company and the Transferee Company shall be at liberty to withdraw the Scheme.
- 16.2 For the purpose of giving effect to this Scheme or to any modification(s) thereof or addition(s) thereto, the Delegates (acting jointly) of the Transferor Company and Transferee Company may give and are authorised to determine and give all such directions as are necessary for settling or removing any question of doubt or difficulty that may arise under this Scheme or in regard to the meaning or interpretation of any provision of this Scheme or implementation thereof or in any matter whatsoever connected therewith (including any question or difficulty arising in connection with any deceased or insolvent shareholders or depositors, if any of the Transferor Company) or to review the position relating to the satisfaction of various conditions of this Scheme and if necessary, to waive any such conditions (to the extent permissible in law) and such determination or directions or waiver, as the case may be, shall be binding on all parties, in the same

manner as if the same were specifically incorporated in this Scheme. For the avoidance of doubt it is clarified that where this Scheme requires the approval of the Board of Directors of the Transferor Company or the Transferee Company to be obtained for any matter, the same may be given through their Delegates.

## 17. FILING OF APPLICATIONS

The Transferor Company and the Transferee Company shall use their best efforts to make and file all applications and petitions under Sections 230 to 232 and other applicable provisions of the Act, before the respective NCLT having jurisdiction for sanction of this Scheme under the provisions of law, and shall apply for such approvals as may be required under law.

#### 18. APPROVALS

The Transferee Company shall be entitled, pending the sanction of the Scheme, to apply to any Governmental Authority, if required, under any law for such consents and approvals which the Transferee Company may require to own the Undertaking and to carry on the business of the Transferor Company.

## 19. SCHEME CONDITIONAL UPON SANCTIONS, ETC.

- 19.1 This Scheme is conditional upon and subject to:
  - 19.1.1 The Scheme being agreed to by the requisite majority of the respective classes of members and/or creditors of the Transferor Company and of the Transferee Company as required under the Act and the requisite orders of the Jurisdictional NCLT being obtained; and
  - 19.1.2 The certified copies of the orders of the Jurisdictional NCLT sanctioning this Scheme being filed with the Registrar of Companies, Ahmedabad and the Registrar of Companies, Maharashtra, Mumbai.

## 20. COSTS, CHARGES, EXPENSES AND STAMP DUTY

All costs, charges and expenses (including any taxes and duties) incurred or payable by the Transferor Company and Transferee Company in relation to or in connection with this Scheme and incidental to the completion of the amalgamation of the Transferor Company with the Transferee Company in pursuance of this Scheme, including stamp duty on the orders of NCLT, if any and to the extent applicable and payable, shall be borne and paid by the Transferee Company.