

NIXA FINCAP PRIVATE LIMITED (Formerly known as XANDER FINANCE PRIVATE LIMITED) ('NFPL)

NOMINATION AND REMUNERATION POLICY

Date of last review: Reviewed and approved in the Board Meeting held on February 25, 2025

1. PREFACE

Nixa Fincap Private Limited ('NFPL') is a non-deposit accepting Non-Banking Financial Company ('NBFC') registered with Reserve Bank of India ('RBI') vide NBFC registration no. B-13.02083. Further, as per the Master Direction-Reserve Bank of India (Non- Banking Financial Company-Scale Based Regulation), Directions, 2023 dated October 19, 2023, as amended from time to time, NFPL is being classified as base layer NBFC having customer interface and not availing public funds.

This policy on nomination and remuneration of Directors, Key Managerial Personnel and Senior Management has been formulated in compliance with Non-Banking Financial Companies – Corporate Governance (Reserve Bank) Directions, 2015 dated July 01, 2015 as amended from time to time, and Master Direction-Reserve Bank of India (Non- Banking Financial Company-Scale Based Regulation), Directions, 2023 dated October 19, 2023, as amended from time to time, and issued by Reserve Bank of India and Section 178 of the Companies Act, 2013 to the extent applicable to the NFPL.

This policy shall act as guidelines on matters relating to the remuneration, appointment, removal and evaluation of performance of the Directors, Key Managerial Personnel and Senior Management.

2. <u>DEFINITIONS:</u>

- **Board**: Board means Board of Directors of NFPL.
- **Director**: Directors means Directors of NFPL.
- Committee: Committee means Nomination and Remuneration Committee of NFPL as constituted or reconstituted by the Board, from time to time.
- Key Managerial Personnel: Key Managerial Personnel (KMP) means-
 - (i) the Chief Executive Officer or the managing director or the manager;
 - (ii) the whole –time Director:
 - (iii) the Chief Financial Officer;
 - (iv) the Company Secretary;
 - (v) such other officer, not more than one level below the Directors who is in whole-time



- employment, designated as Key Managerial Personnel by the Board; and
- (vi) Such other officer may be prescribed under applicable statutory provisions / regulations
- **Senior Management:** The expression "senior management" means personnel of NFPL who are members of its core management team excluding the Board.

Unless the context otherwise requires, words and expressions used in this policy and not defined herein but defined in the Companies Act, 2013 as may be amended from time to time shall have the meaning respectively assigned to them therein

3. POLICY OBJECTIVE

The primary objective of the policy is to provide a framework and set standards for the nomination, remuneration and performance evaluation of the Directors, Key Managerial Personnel and other senior management personnel. The NFPL aims to achieve a balance of merit, experience and skills amongst its Directors, Key Managerial Personnel and Senior Management.

The Committee shall perform the following functions:

- a. To guide the Board in relation to the appointment and changes in Directors, Key Managerial Personnel and Senior Management;
- Identify persons who are qualified to become Director and persons who may be appointed in Key Managerial and Senior Management positions in accordance with the criteria laid down in this policy;
- c. To evaluate the performance of the Members of the Board and provide necessary report to the Board for further evaluation:
- d. To decide and approve remuneration payable to the Directors, Key Managerial Personnel and Senior Management in accordance with the principles of compensation as laid down in the Master Direction-Reserve Bank of India (Non- Banking Financial Company-Scale Based Regulation), Directions, 2023 dated October 19, 2023, as amended from time to time;
- e. To develop a succession plan for the Board and to regularly review the plan;
- f. To determine remuneration based on NFPL's financial position, trends and practices on remuneration prevailing in the industry;
- g. To retain, motivate and promote talent and to ensure long term sustainability of KMPs & Senior Management Personnel and create competitive advantage; and



h. Consider any other matters as may be requested by the Board.

4. CONSTITUTION OF THE NOMINATION AND REMUNERATION COMMITTEE:

The Board has the power to constitute / reconstitute the Committee from time to time in order to make it consistent with NFPL policies and applicable statutory requirements. The committee shall consist of three or more non-executive directors at any point in time.

The terms and the composition of the Committee shall be continued unless terminated by the Board of Directors.

5. MEETINGS:

The meeting of the Committee shall be held at regular intervals as deemed fit and appropriate. The company secretary of NFPL shall act as the Secretary of the Committee.

The Nomination and Remuneration Committee shall setup a mechanism to carry out its functions, any /all of its powers to any of the Executive / Whole-time Directors and/or Senior Management of NFPL, as deemed necessary for proper and expeditious execution.

The members of the Committee present at the meeting shall choose one amongst them to act as Chairman.

Any of the members of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee meeting could be present at the annual general meeting or may nominate some other member to answer the shareholders' queries.

Minimum two (2) members shall constitute a quorum for the Committee meeting.

6. APPLICABILITY & ACCOUNTABILITIES:

The Policy is applicable to

- Directors (Executive and Non-Executive)
- Key Managerial personnel
- Senior Management personnel

The Board is ultimately responsible for the appointment of Board, Key Managerial Personnel and Senior Management Personnel.

The Board has delegated responsibility for assessing and selecting the candidates for the role of Directors, Key Managerial Personnel and the Senior Management of NFPL to the Nomination and Remuneration Committee which makes recommendations and nominations to the Board.



The Nomination and Remuneration Committee is responsible for:

- Reviewing the structure, size and composition (including the skills, knowledge and experience) of the Board at least annually and making recommendations on any proposed changes to the Board to complement NFPL's corporate strategy, with the objective to diversify the Board.
- o Recommending the Board on the selection of individuals nominated for directorship after considering the standards of qualification, expertise and experience of the candidates.
- o Identifying individuals suitably qualified to be appointed as the KMPs or in the senior management of NFPL.
- o Making recommendations to the Board on the remuneration payable to the Directors/KMPs/Senior Officials so appointed/reappointed.
- O Assessing the independence of independent directors, if any.
- O Such other key issues/matters as may be referred by the Board or as may be necessary in view of the Non-Banking Financial Companies Corporate Governance (Reserve Bank) Directions, 2015 and Master Direction-Reserve Bank of India (Non- Banking Financial Company-Scale Based Regulation), Directions, 2023 dated October 19, 2023, as amended from time to time and provisions of the Companies Act 2013 and Rules thereunder to the extent applicable to NFPL.
- to make recommendations to the Board concerning any matters relating to the continuation in office of any Director at any time including the suspension or termination of service of a Whole-time Director as an employee of NFPL subject to the provision of the law and their service contract;
- Ensure that level and composition of remuneration is reasonable and sufficient, relationship of remuneration to performance is clear and meets appropriate performance benchmarks.

7. COMMITTEE MEMBERS' INTERESTS:

A member of the Committee is not entitled to participate in the discussions when his/her own remuneration is discussed at a meeting or when his /her performance is being evaluated.

The Committee may invite such executives, as it considers appropriate, to be present at the meetings of the Committee

8. **VOTING:**



Matters arising for determination at Committee meetings shall be decided by a majority of votes of Members present and voting and any such decision shall for all purposes be deemed a decision of the Committee.

In the case of equality of votes, the Chairman of the meeting will have a casting vote.

9. REVIEW AND AMENDMENT TO THE POLICY

This policy needs to be reviewed by the Board of Directors on an annual basis.

The Board of Directors on its own and/or as per the recommendations of Nomination and Remuneration Committee can amend this policy, as deemed fit from time to time.

Approved for and on behalf of the Board of Directors of
Nixa Fincap Private Limited
(formerly known as Xander Finance Private Limited)

Mansi Gandhi Company Secretary ICSI Membership No.: ACS-58471

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