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Poonawalla Fincorp Ltd

COMPANY INFORMATION

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NSE SYMBOL: POONAWALLA

ISIN: INE511C01022

Industry: Non Banking Financial Company (NBFC)

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MEETING DETAILS

Meeting Type: PB

Voting Deadline: 24th August, 2025

Notice Date: 25th July, 2025

Notice: Click here

Annual Report: FY 2024-25

SES PA Report (Last AGM): Report

E-VOTING DETAILS

e-Voting Platform: NSDL

Cut-off Date: 18th July, 2025

Remote E-voting:

Start: 26th July, 2025
 Ends: 24th August, 2025

ADDENDUM REPORT RELEASE DATE: 19th August, 2025

Research Analyst: Vansh Ganatra

Conflict Disclosure: SES - No Conflict | Analyst - No Conflict

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ADDENDUM

There is a change in the SES recommendation on Resolution #1 from 'AGAINST' to 'FOR' based on the Company's clarification and additional disclosures.

There are no other changes apart from the above.

EXISTING RECOMMENDATION					
S. No	Resolution	Туре	SES Observation [#]	Rec.	Rationale
1	To issue, offer and allot equity shares on Preferential basis.	S	LC TC	AGAINST	Certificate from Company Secretary not disclosed on website of the Company.
REVISED RECOMMENDATIONS					
1	To issue, offer and allot equity shares on Preferential basis.	. S	LC	FOR	No governance concern identified

S – Special Resolution; Rec. - Recommendation

BACKGROUND

SES as per its policy, had emailed its PA Report (weblink) to the Company on 16th August, 2025 in respect of the ongoing PB of the Company.

Post release of PA Report, SES received an email from the Company on 18th August, 2025. The Company, through the email, provided its view point, which is reproduced at the last in *blue text*.

It may be noted that the email of the Company dated 18th August, 2025(as per SES policy framed to comply with SEBI Circular dated 3rd August, 2020 SEBI/HO/IMD/DF1/CIR/P/2020/147) has already been forwarded to SES clients as it is, without any inputs from SES.

This Addendum provides appropriate responses of SES, wherever required.

SES COMMENTS TO COMPANY'S RESPONSE

Resolution 1:

This is in reference to Resolution No. 1 of the Postal Ballot dated July 25, 2025. Please note that the certificate issued by SIUT & Co. LLP, Practicing Company Secretaries, is available under the path: Investors >> Governance >> Other Documents.

SES Comment:

SES had raised a transparency concern due to the non-availability of the certification from the Company Secretary on it's website.

The Company in its response has disclosed that the certificate is available on the website and specified the location as well. SES has verified that the Certificate from the Company Secretary is now available and hence its concern stands addressed.

In view of the above there is a change in SES recommendation w.r.t. to Resolution #1 from 'AGAINST' to 'FOR'

[#]LC - Legally Compliant, NC - Legally Non-Compliant, FC - Fairness Concern, TC - Disclosures & Transparency Concern, GC - Governance Concern



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COMPANY'S EMAIL

Dear ***,

Thank you for sharing the recommendation report.

This is in reference to Resolution No. 1 of the Postal Ballot dated July 25, 2025. Please note that the certificate issued by SIUT & Co. LLP, Practicing Company Secretaries, is available under the path: Investors >> Governance >> Other Documents.

In light of the above, we kindly request you to update SES's view on Resolution No. 1.

Regards,



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Disclaimer Sources

Only publicly available data has been used while making the report. Our data sources include Notice of Shareholders' Meeting, BSE, NSE, SEBI, Capitaline, MCA, Moneycontrol, Businessweek, Reuters, Annual Reports, Sustainability Reports, IPO Documents and Company Website.

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Concern terminology

NC - Compliance Concern: The Company has not met statutory compliance requirements

FC – Fairness Concern: The Company has proposed steps which may lead to undue advantage to a particular class of shareholders and can have adverse impact on non-controlling shareholders including minority shareholders

GC – Governance Concern: SES questions the governance practices of the Company. The Company may have complied with the statutory requirements in letter. However, SES finds governance issues as per its standards. **TC - Disclosures & Transparency Concern:** The Company has not made adequate disclosures necessary for shareholders to make an informed decision. The Company has intentionally or unintentionally kept the shareholders in dark.

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