

# Notice of annual general meeting and explanatory memorandum

# **Adacel Technologies Limited**

ACN 079 672 281

Date: Friday 18 November 2016

Time: 11.00 am (Melbourne time)

Place: Ashurst Australia

Level 26

181 William Street

Melbourne Victoria 3000

### NOTICE OF 2016 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

NOTICE is given that the 2016 Annual General Meeting of Adacel Technologies Limited ACN 079 672 281 ("the Company") will be held at the offices of Ashurst Australia at Level 26, 181 William Street, Melbourne, Victoria 3000 on Friday 18 November 2016 at 11.00 am

### **BUSINESS**

Shareholders are invited to consider the following items of business at the Annual General Meeting:

### **Ordinary Business**

### 1. FINANCIAL AND RELATED REPORTS

Agenda Item 1	Financial and Related Reports
Description	To receive and consider the Financial Report of the Company and its controlled entities and the related Directors' and Auditor's Reports in respect of the financial year ended 30 June 2016.

### 2. ADOPTION OF REMUNERATION REPORT (NON-BINDING VOTE)

Resolution 1	Adoption of Remuneration Report (Non-Binding Vote)								
Description	Shareholders are asked to adopt the Company's Remuneration Report. The Remuneration Report is set out in the 2016 Annual Report and is available from the Company's website (www.adacel.com). In accordance with section 250R of the Corporations Act, the vote on this resolution will be advisory only and will not bind the Directors or the Company.								
Resolution (Ordinary)	To consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as an <b>ordinary resolution</b> :								
	"THAT the Remuneration Report for the financial year ended 30 June 2016 included in the Directors' Report of the Annual Report as required under section 300A of the Corporations Act, be adopted by the Company."								
Voting Exclusion	The Company will disregard any votes cast on this resolution (in any capacity, whethe as proxy or as shareholders) by any of the following persons:								
	(a) Key Management Personnel; and								
	(b) Closely Related Parties of Key Management Personnel.								
	However, the Company need not disregard a vote if it is:								
	(c) cast by a person as a proxy appointed in accordance with the directions of the proxy form that specifies how the proxy is to vote on Resolution 1; and the vote is not cast on behalf of a person described in subparagraphs (a) and (b) above; or								
	(d) cast by the Chair of the Meeting as proxy appointed in accordance with the directions of the proxy form for a person who is entitled to vote, and such appointment on the proxy form expressly authorises the Chair to exercise the proxy even if the resolution is connected directly with the remuneration report; and the vote is not cast on behalf of a person described in subparagraphs (a) and (b) above.								

### 3. RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTOR

Resolution 2A	Re-Election of Silvio Salom as Director						
Description	Mr Silvio Salom retires as a Director of the Company in accordance with article 76.1 of the Company's Constitution and, being eligible, offers himself for re-election under article 76.4 of the Constitution.						
Resolution (Ordinary)	To consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as an <b>ordinary</b> resolution:						
	"THAT Mr Silvio Salom, having retired from his office as a Director in accordance with article 76.1 of the Company's Constitution and, being eligible under article 76.4 of the Constitution, having offered himself for re-election, be re-elected as a Director of the Company."						

Resolution 2B	Re-Election of Natalya Jurcheshin as Director						
Description	Ms Natalya Jurcheshin, who was appointed to the Board by the Directors as an addition to the existing Directors pursuant to article 72.2 of the Company's Constitution, retires as a Director of the Company in accordance with article 72.3 of the Company's Constitution and, being eligible, offers herself for re-election under article 72.3 of the Constitution.						
Resolution (Ordinary)	To consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as an <b>ordinary</b> resolution:						
	"THAT Ms Natalya Jurcheshin, having retired from her office as a Director in accordance with article 72.3 of the Company's Constitution and, being eligible under article 72.3 of the Constitution, having offered herself for re-election, be re-elected as a Director of the Company."						

Dated 17 October 2016

By order of the Board of Adacel Technologies Limited

Sophie Karzis Company Secretary

### **QUESTIONS FROM SHAREHOLDERS**

In order to provide an equal opportunity for all shareholders to ask questions of the Board, we ask you to submit in writing any questions to the Company or to the Company's auditor. PricewaterhouseCoopers. in relation to the conduct of the external audit for the year ended 30 June 2016, or the content of its audit report. Please send your questions to:

The Company Secretary, Adacel Technologies Limited Level 1, 61 Spring Street, Melbourne VIC 3000

T. 03 9286 7500 F. 03 9662 1472

E. sk@ccounsel.com.au

Written questions must be received by no later than 5.00 pm (Melbourne time) on Friday, 11 November 2016.

Your questions should relate to matters that are relevant to the business of the Annual General Meeting, as outlined in this Notice of Meeting and Explanatory Memorandum.

In accordance with the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth) and the Company's policy, a reasonable opportunity will also be provided to shareholders attending the Annual General Meeting to ask questions about, or make comments upon, matters in relation to the Company including Remuneration Report.

During the course of the Annual General Meeting, the Chairman will seek to address as many shareholder questions as reasonably practicable, and appropriate, will give a representative of the Auditor the opportunity to answer written questions addressed to it. However, there may not be sufficient time to answer all questions at the Annual General Meeting. Please note that individual responses may not be sent to shareholders.

### **VOTING INFORMATION**

### Voting by proxy

- A shareholder entitled to attend and vote at the (a) Annual General Meeting may appoint one proxy or, if the shareholder is entitled to cast two or more votes at the meeting, two proxies, to attend and vote instead of the shareholder.
- Where two proxies are appointed to attend and vote (b) at the meeting, each proxy may be appointed to represent a specified proportion or number of the shareholder's voting rights at the meeting.
- A proxy need not be a shareholder of the Company. (c)
- (d) A proxy may be an individual or a body corporate. If a body corporate is appointed, the proxy form must indicate the full name of the body corporate and the full name or title of the individual representative of the body corporate for the meeting.
- A proxy form accompanies this notice. If a (e) shareholder wishes to appoint more than one proxy, they may make a copy of the proxy form attached to this notice. For the proxy form to be valid it must be received together with the power of attorney or

other authority (if any) under which the form is signed, or a (notarially) certified copy of that power of authority by 11.00 am (Melbourne time) on Wednesday 16 November 2016:

- online by going to www.investorvote.com.au or by scanning the QR code, found on the enclosed proxy form with your mobile device
- by post at GPO Box 242, Melbourne, Victoria 3001; or
- by personal delivery at Yarra Falls, 452 Johnston Street, Abbotsford, Victoria, 3067;
- by facsimile: Australia 1800 783 447, overseas - +61 3 9473 2555; or
- Custodian voting For Intermediary Online subscribers only (custodians) please visit www.intermediaryonline.com to submit your voting intentions.

### Voting and other entitlements at the Annual General Meeting

A determination has been made by the Board of the Company under regulation 7.11.37 of the Corporations Regulations 2001 that shares in the Company which are on issue at 7.00 pm (Melbourne time) on Wednesday 16 November 2016 will be taken to be held by the persons who held them at that time for the purposes of the Annual General Meeting (including determining voting entitlements at the meeting).

### Proxy voting by the Chair

The Corporations Amendment (Improving Accountability on Director and Executive Remuneration) Act 2011 (Cth), imposes prohibitions on Key Management Personnel and their Closely Related Parties from voting their shares (or voting undirected proxies) on, amongst other things, remuneration matters.

However, the chair of a meeting may vote an undirected proxy (i.e. a proxy that does not specify how it is to be voted), provided the shareholder who has lodged the proxy has given an express voting direction to the chair to exercise the undirected proxy, even if the resolution is connected with the remuneration of a member of Key Management Personnel. If you complete a proxy form that authorises the Chair of the Meeting to vote on your behalf as proxy, and you do not mark any of the boxes so as to give him directions about how your vote should be cast, then you will be taken to have expressly authorised the Chair to exercise your proxy on Resolution 1. In accordance with this express authority provided by you, the Chairman will vote in favour of Resolution 1. If you wish to appoint the Chair of the Meeting as your proxy, and you wish to direct him how to vote, please tick the appropriate boxes on the form.

The Company's Chairman, Mr Peter Landos, will chair the Meeting and intends to vote all available undirected proxies in favour of each item of business.

If you appoint as your proxy any Director of the Company, except the Chairman, or any other Key Management Personnel or any of their Closely Related Parties and you do not direct your proxy how to vote on Resolution 1, he or she will not vote your proxy on that item of business.

# EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM TO NOTICE OF 2016 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

### 1. FINANCIAL AND RELATED REPORTS

Agenda Item 1	Financial and Related Reports
Explanation	Section 317 of the Corporations Act requires the Company's Financial Report, Directors' Report and Auditor's Report for the financial year ended 30 June 2016 to be laid before the Company's 2016 Annual General Meeting. There is no requirement for a formal resolution on this item.
	The Financial Report contains the financial statements of the consolidated entity consisting of Adacel and its controlled entities.
	As permitted by the Corporations Act, a printed copy of the Company's 2016 Annual Report has been sent only to those shareholders who have elected to receive a printed copy. A copy of the 2016 Annual Report is available from the Company's website (www.adacel.com).
	The Chair of the meeting will allow a reasonable opportunity at the meeting for shareholders to ask questions. Shareholders will also be given a reasonable opportunity at the meeting to ask the Company's auditor PricewaterhouseCoopers questions about its audit report, the conduct of its audit of the Company's financial report for the year ended 30 June 2016, the preparation and content of its audit report, the accounting policies adopted by the Company in its preparation of the financial statements and the independence of PricewaterhouseCoopers in relation to the conduct of the audit.

## 2. ADOPTION OF REMUNERATION REPORT (NON-BINDING RESOLUTION)

Resolution 1	Adoption of Remuneration Report (Non-binding resolution)								
Explanation	Shareholders are asked to adopt the Company's Remuneration Report. The Remuneration Report is set out in the Company's 2016 Annual Report and is available from the Company's website (www.adacel.com).								
	The Remuneration Report:								
	describes the policies behind, and the structure of, the remuneration arrangements of the Company and the link between the remuneration of executives and the Company's performance;								
	sets out the remuneration arrangements in place for each Director and for certain members of the senior management team; and								
	explains the differences between the basis for remunerating non-executive Directors and senior executives, including the Managing Director.								
	The vote on this resolution is advisory only and does not bind the Directors. However, the Board will take into account any discussion on this resolution and the outcome of the vote when considering the future remuneration policies and practices of the Company.								

Voting Exclusion	A voting exclusion statement applies to this resolution, as set out in the Notice.							
Board Recommendation	The Directors unanimously recommend that shareholders vote in favour of adopting the Remuneration Report.							
Chair's available proxies	The Chair of the Meeting intends to vote all available proxies in favour of this Resolution 1.							

### 3. RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

Resolution 2A	Re-Election of Mr Silvio Salom as Director					
Explanation	Article 76.1 of the Constitution requires one third of the Directors (or if their number is not three or a multiple of three, then the number nearest, but not exceeding, one third) to retire at each Annual General Meeting of the Company. Article 76.2 provides that the Director/s to retire under article 76.1 are those who have held office as Director the longest period of time since their last re-election to office.					
	Mr Kevin Courtney has held office as Director for longest period of time since his last re-election, however he advised the Board he would not be seeking re-election at the meeting, and will retire as a Director at the conclusion of the 2016 Annual General Meeting. As Mr Silvio Salom is the next longest serving Director since his last re-election, he retires as Director and at the 2016 Annual General Meeting and being eligible under article 76.4 of the Constitution, offers himself for re-election as Director.					
About Mr Silvio Salom	Mr Salom was Managing Director of Adacel Technologies Limited from incorporation in October 1997 until 16 June 2006, and has been a Non-Executive Director of the Company since that date. Mr Salom was founder and Managing Director of the predecessor Adacel Pty Ltd from establishment in 1987. Silvio has extensive experience in the strategic and operational management of hi-tech companies with particular expertise in information technology related to the manufacturing, environmental, defence, transport, multimedia and telecommunications industry sectors.					
	Mr Salom is a director in a number of private and public companies, however, he does not currently hold and has not held directorships in other listed companies at any time in the 3 years immediately before the end of the financial year.					
	Mr Salom has a relevant interest in 7,861,858 fully paid ordinary shares in the Company.					
Board Recommendation	The Board, with Silvio Salom abstaining, recommends that shareholders vote in favour of this resolution.					
Chair's available proxies	The Chair of the Meeting intends to vote all available proxies in favour of Resolution 2A.					

Resolution 2B	Re-Election of Ms Natalya Jurcheshin as Director					
Explanation	Article 72.2 of the Constitution gives the Directors discretion to appoint another qualified person to be a Director, either to fill a casual vacancy or as an addition to the existing Directors.					
	Article 72.3 provides that any Director appointed under article 72.2 holds office only until the next following general meeting of the Company and is then eligible for re-election, but is not taken into account in determining the number of Directors who are to retire by rotation at that meeting pursuant to article 76.1.					
	Ms Natalya Jurcheshin was appointed to the Board on 7 October 2016 as an addition to the existing Directors pursuant to article 72.2 of the Constitution and, being eligible under article 72.3 of the Constitution, offers herself for re-election as Director.					
About Ms Natalya Jurcheshin	Natalya is a senior financial leader with experience in managing, improving and growing finance functions of companies and playing an instrumental part in their strategic growth. She has over 25 years' experience in finance roles, starting her career in the audit and assurance practice at Arthur Andersen (now part of Ernst & Young), and 12 years' experience as a Chief Financial Officer with ASX listed Circadian Technologies Limited (10 years) and the Melbourne Symphony Orchestra (2 years).					
	Natalya brings a range of finance and corporate governance skills to the Adacel Board which complements and augments the skill set represented by the Board's current composition.					
	Natalya does not hold a relevant interest in any securities in the Company.					
Board Recommendation	The Board, with Natalya Jurcheshin abstaining, recommends that shareholders vote in favour of this resolution.					
Chair's available proxies	The Chair of the Meeting intends to vote all available proxies in favour of Resolution 2B.					

DEFINITIONS						
Board	Means the board of directors of Adacel.					
Company or Adacel	Means Adacel Technologies Group Limited ACN 079 672 281.					
Constitution	Means the constitution of Adacel.					
Director	Means a director of the board of Adacel.					
Closely Related Party (of a member of KMP of an entity)	Has the definition given to it by section 9 of the Corporations Act, and means:  a) a spouse or child of the member; or b) a child of the member's spouse; or c) a dependant of the member or of the member's spouse; or d) anyone else who is one of the member's family and may be expected to influence the member, or be influenced by the member, in the member's dealings with the entity; or e) a company the member controls; or f) a person prescribed by the regulations for the purposes of this definition (nothing at this stage).					
Key Management Personnel or KMP	Means those persons having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the entity, directly or indirectly, including any Director (whether executive or otherwise) of that entity.					

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### Adacel Technologies Limited

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**Proxy Form** XX



### Vote and view the annual report online

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- Follow the instructions on the secure website to vote.

### Your access information that you will need to vote:

Control Number: 999999

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PLEASE NOTE: For security reasons it is important that you keep your SRN/HIN confidential.



For your vote to be effective it must be received by 11.00 am (Melbourne time) Wednesday 16 November 2016

### How to Vote on Items of Business

All your securities will be voted in accordance with your directions.

### **Appointment of Proxy**

Voting 100% of your holding: Direct your proxy how to vote by marking one of the boxes opposite each item of business. If you do not mark a box your proxy may vote or abstain as they choose (to the extent permitted by law). If you mark more than one box on an item your vote will be invalid on that item.

Voting a portion of your holding: Indicate a portion of your voting rights by inserting the percentage or number of securities you wish to vote in the For, Against or Abstain box or boxes. The sum of the votes cast must not exceed your voting entitlement or

Appointing a second proxy: You are entitled to appoint up to two proxies to attend the meeting and vote on a poll. If you appoint two proxies you must specify the percentage of votes or number of securities for each proxy, otherwise each proxy may exercise half of the votes. When appointing a second proxy write both names and the percentage of votes or number of securities for each in Step 1 overleaf.

A proxy need not be a securityholder of the Company.

### Signing Instructions for Postal Forms

Individual: Where the holding is in one name, the securityholder must sign.

Joint Holding: Where the holding is in more than one name, all of the securityholders should sign.

Power of Attorney: If you have not already lodged the Power of Attorney with the registry, please attach a certified photocopy of the Power of Attorney to this form when you return it.

Companies: Where the company has a Sole Director who is also the Sole Company Secretary, this form must be signed by that person. If the company (pursuant to section 204A of the Corporations Act 2001) does not have a Company Secretary, a Sole Director can also sign alone. Otherwise this form must be signed by a Director jointly with either another Director or a Company Secretary. Please sign in the appropriate place to indicate the office held. Delete titles as applicable.

### Attending the Meeting

Bring this form to assist registration. If a representative of a corporate securityholder or proxy is to attend the meeting you will need to provide the appropriate "Certificate of Appointment of Corporate Representative" prior to admission. A form of the certificate may be obtained from Computershare or online at www.investorcentre.com under the help tab, "Printable Forms".

Comments & Questions: If you have any comments or questions for the company, please write them on a separate sheet of paper and return with this form.

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The Chairman of the Meeting intends to vote undirected proxies in favour of each item of business. In exceptional circumstances, the Chairman of the Meeting may change his/her voting intention on any resolution, in which case an ASX announcement will be made.

Individual or Securityholder 1	Securityholder 2		Securityholder 3	Securityholder 3		
Sole Director and Sole Company Secretary	Director	Director		Director/Company Secretary		
Contact		Contact Daytime			,	,
Name		Telephone		Date	,	,



