

## MARKET RELEASE

# **2025 Notice of Annual Meeting and Proxy Form**

**WELLINGTON, 17 July 2025** - Xero Limited (ASX: XRO) attaches its 2025 Notice of Annual Meeting and Proxy Form.

Authorised for release to the ASX by the Xero Board.

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#### **About Xero**

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Below: Xero US customer Scott Goodfriend, founder of Ultimate Food Tours, and his tour group, including Josh, and Bridgett from Xero, in New York — ultimatefoodtours.com



# **DEAR SHAREHOLDER**

On behalf of the Board, I am pleased to invite you to the 2025 Annual Meeting (**Meeting**) of Xero Limited (**Xero**) on Thursday 21 August 2025 at 11.00am NZT (9.00am AEST).

The Meeting will be held online at https://meetings.openbriefing.com/xero25.

Details on how to register, join the Meeting, vote and ask questions are set out in this Notice and in the Virtual Meeting Online Guide on Xero's Investor Centre <a href="xero.com/investors">xero.com/investors</a>. The Meeting will be recorded and the recording made available on Xero's website.

While you can vote during the Meeting, shareholders are strongly encouraged to vote ahead of the Meeting by lodging a directed Proxy Form. You may appoint a proxy by following the steps on the accompanying personalised Proxy Form and lodging it by 11.00am NZT (9.00am AEST) on Tuesday 19 August 2025.

The Meeting is an opportunity for the Board to hear directly from shareholders. If you wish to submit questions before the Meeting, you may do so at <a href="au.investorcentre.mpms.mufg.com">au.investorcentre.mpms.mufg.com</a> by 11.00am NZT (9.00am AEST) on Tuesday 19 August 2025. Shareholders can also ask questions or make comments either online or by telephone during the Meeting.

Shareholders should monitor Xero's website and ASX announcements where updates will be provided if it becomes necessary or appropriate to make alternative arrangements for the Meeting.

I look forward to welcoming you at the Meeting and thank you for your ongoing support.

Sincerely,



David Thodey, AO
Chair



# MERO'S 2025 ANNUAL REPORT

Xero's Annual Report for the financial year ended 31 March 2025, and prior years, is available on our website (xero.com/investors). Shareholders may request an electronic or printed copy of this and all future Annual Reports, free of charge, by emailing Xero's share registrar at <a href="mailto:support@cm.mpms.mufg.com">support@cm.mpms.mufg.com</a> or by updating your communication preferences at the MUFG Corporate Markets (au.investorcentre.mpms.mufg.com).

Xero has not prepared a Concise Report for the year ended March 2025.

# **NOTICE OF 2025 ANNUAL MEETING**

Xero Limited (New Zealand company number 1830488) will hold its 2025 Meeting via an online platform provided by Xero's share registrar, MUFG Corporate Markets (AU) Limited, a division of MUFG Pension & Market Services (**MUFG** Corporate Markets).

**TIME** 11.00am NZT (9.00am AEST)

**VENUE** Online at https://meetings.openbriefing.com/xero25

#### **ITEMS OF BUSINESS**

- A. Chair's introduction and address
- B. Presentation from Xero's Chief Executive Officer
- C. Resolutions
- D. Shareholder questions

# **RESOLUTIONS**

Shareholders will be asked to consider and, if thought fit, to pass the following resolutions:

#### RESOLUTION 1 — AUDITOR'S FEES AND EXPENSES

That the Board is authorised to fix the fees and expenses of Ernst & Young as auditor for the ensuing year.

#### RESOLUTION 2 — RE-ELECTION OF BRIAN MCANDREWS

That Brian McAndrews, retiring from office as a director of Xero at the close of the Meeting and, being eligible, be re-elected as a director of Xero.

#### RESOLUTION 3 — RE-ELECTION OF SUSAN PETERSON

That Susan Peterson, retiring from office as a director of Xero at the close of the Meeting and, being eligible, be re-elected as a director of Xero.

#### RESOLUTION 4 — RE-ELECTION OF DAVID THODEY, AO

That David Thodey, retiring from office as a director of Xero at the close of the Meeting and, being eligible, be re-elected as a director of Xero.

#### **RESOLUTION 5 — ADOPTION OF REMUNERATION REPORT**

That the Remuneration Report contained in the FY25 Annual Report be adopted.

Note: Xero is putting this resolution to shareholders voluntarily as a matter of good governance. This is an advisory resolution and the outcome of the vote will not bind the Board or Xero. A voting exclusion applies to this resolution. See the Explanatory Notes for resolution 5.

Further information about these resolutions is set out in the Explanatory Notes which form part of this Notice of Meeting. By order of the Board.



**Damien Coleman** Chief Legal Officer & Company Secretary 17 July 2025

# EXPLANATORY NOTES

**RESOLUTION 1** 

#### **AUDITOR'S FEES AND EXPENSES**

Under section 207T of the New Zealand Companies Act 1993 (**Companies Act**), Ernst & Young will be automatically reappointed at the Meeting as auditor of Xero. Section 207S of the Companies Act provides that the auditor's fees and expenses must be fixed by the company or in the manner that the company determines at this Meeting. Resolution 1 authorises the Board, consistent with commercial practice, to fix the fees and expenses of Ernst & Young as Xero's auditor for the ensuing year.

#### **BOARD RECOMMENDATION**

The Board recommends that shareholders vote in favour of this resolution.

#### **RESOLUTION 2**

#### **RE-ELECTION OF BRIAN MCANDREWS**



Appointed by the Board as a director on 2 February 2022 Last elected as a director by shareholders on 18 August 2022

 Member of the People and Remuneration Committee and the Nominations and Governance Committee

Brian McAndrews retires as a director at this Meeting as Grequired by ASX Listing Rule 14.4 and clause 21.1 of Xero's constitution and, being eligible, offers himself for re-election as a director.

Brian is an experienced former executive and CEO, having riven growth and innovation for leading technology, SaaS and cloud-based companies, and a professional director. His experience includes leading Pandora Media, a streaming music provider in the US, and aQuantive, a digital marketing Services and technology company that was acquired by Microsoft.

hrian is currently lead director of Frontdoor, the largest provider of home service plans in the United States, and is a director on the board of The New York Times. He is a director of The Wine Group and USA Climbing and senior advisor to Spectrum Equity. He was previously a director of Chewv and Teladoc Health, and chairman of Grubhub.

Brian has been included in the National Association of Corporate Directors Directorship 100, which recognises the most influential board members. He holds a Bachelor of Arts with Honors in Economics from Harvard College and a Master of Business Administration from the Stanford Graduate School of Business.

The Board considers Brian McAndrews to be an independent director.

#### **BOARD RECOMMENDATION**

The Board reviewed the performance of Brian McAndrews and considers his skills, expertise and the contribution he makes to the Board and its Committees valuable. The Board (with Brian abstaining) unanimously recommends that shareholders vote in favour of Brian's re-election.

#### **RESOLUTION 3**

# RE-ELECTION OF SUSAN PETERSON



Independent non-executive director
 Appointed by the Board as a director on 22 February 2017
 Last elected as a director by shareholders on
 18 August 2022

Chair of the People and Remuneration Committee
Susan Peterson retires as a director at this Meeting as rec

Susan Peterson retires as a director at this Meeting as required by ASX Listing Rule 14.4 and clause 21.1 of Xero's constitution and, being eligible, offers herself for re-election as a director.

Susan is an experienced non-executive director and business leader with a particular interest in helping companies to drive growth through technology, innovation and organisational culture. Susan is currently the chair of Vista Group and an independent director of Mercury.

Susan is also a board member of Craigs Investment Partners and was previously a member of the New Zealand Markets Disciplinary Tribunal. Susan is a past director of Arvida Group, ASB Bank and Trustpower, and a past ministerial appointee to the National Advisory Council on the Employment of Women.

Susan holds a Bachelor of Commerce and Bachelor of Laws from the University of Otago.

The Board considers Susan Peterson to be an independent director.

#### **BOARD RECOMMENDATION**

The Board reviewed the performance of Susan Peterson and considers her skills, expertise and the contribution she makes to the Board and its Committees valuable. The Board (with Susan abstaining) unanimously recommends that shareholders vote in favour of Susan's re-election.



Xero UK partner Millie O'Neill, founder of The Highlight Partnership and her client Becky Shoobert, owner of Oh Happy Creative, and her employee Janet Halpin in Leigh-on-Sea — ohhappycreative.com

#### **RESOLUTION 4**

# RE-ELECTION OF DAVID THODEY AO



Independent non-executive director, Chair
Appointed by the Board as a director on 27 June 2019
Last elected as a director by shareholders on
18 August 2022

Chair from 1 February 2020

Member of the Audit and Risk Management Committee and Chair of the Nominations and Governance Committee

David Thodey retires as a director at this Meeting as required by ASX Listing Rule 14.4 and clause 21.1 of Xero's constitution and, being eligible, offers himself for re-election as a director.

David is a business leader who has had a career focused on innovation and technology, with more than 30 years' experience creating brand and shareholder value. He is now active in business, healthcare, public policy, innovation, tertiary education, the environment and corporate governance.

David is chair of Ramsay Health Care (a global hospital group), co-chair of the Great Barrier Reef Foundation, Chancellor at the University of Sydney and a member of the Reserve Bank of Australia Governance Board.

He was CEO of IBM Australia and New Zealand (1999-2001) and Telstra (2009-2015), and has wide experience as a board director including as a past director of Vodafone Global Group, CSIRO, CSL, and Telstra.

David has a Bachelor of Arts in Anthropology and English from Victoria University of Wellington and completed the post-graduate General Management Program at Northwestern University's Kellogg School of Management. He received an honorary Doctorate in Science and Technology from Deakin University in 2016, an honorary Doctorate of Business from University of Technology Sydney in 2018, an honorary Doctorate of Business from University of Sydney in 2022 and was recognised for his services to business and ethical business leadership with an Order of Australia (AO) in 2017.

The Board considers David Thodey to be an independent director.

#### **BOARD RECOMMENDATION**

The Board reviewed the performance of David Thodey and considers his skills, expertise and the contribution he makes to the Board and its Committees valuable. The Board (with David abstaining) unanimously recommends that shareholders vote in favour of David's re-election.

#### **RESOLUTION 5**

#### **ADOPTION OF REMUNERATION REPORT**

Xero is incorporated in New Zealand and subject to
New Zealand law. Under Australian law, listed companies
incorporated in Australia must prepare a Remuneration Report
and put an advisory resolution to shareholders at the Annual
General Meeting that the Remuneration Report be adopted.
This law does not apply to Xero but, as a matter of good
governance, Xero voluntarily publishes a Remuneration Report
each year and will again be voluntarily putting an advisory
resolution to its shareholders.

The Board oversees Xero's governance arrangements and actively engages with a wide range of stakeholders on a variety of issues, including remuneration. Where possible, we actively seek the views of our shareholders and their advisors ahead of making important decisions that impact Xero's ability to attract and retain the global workforce required to successfully deliver on our FY25-27 strategy.

he Remuneration Report can be found on pages 93 to 125
of the FY25 Annual Report and has been enhanced in response
to the stakeholder engagement undertaken over the past
months. The most material enhancements relate to
the disclosure of both STI and LTI performance targets (refer
to pages 118 to 119 of the FY25 Annual Report), additional
information around our CEO and CFO compensation structures
(refer to pages 112 to 116 of the FY25 Annual Report) and more
detail on how Xero links pay with performance in seeking
to attract the right level of global talent to execute our
global strategy.

The Remuneration Report is not intended to fully replicate the statutory disclosure requirements of an Australian company's remuneration report as these requirements do not apply to Xero. However, the information goes beyond New Zealand requirements to provide greater transparency and insight into our remuneration practices.

Resolution 5 will not bind Xero or the Board or have other legal consequences, but the voting outcome and comments will be considered by the Board when setting future remuneration strategy and in the following year's Remuneration Report. Xero remains committed to voluntarily publishing remuneration reports each year and voluntarily putting an advisory resolution to shareholders at each Annual Meeting. We also welcome engagement with shareholders throughout the year, including on our senior executive remuneration arrangements and the role they play in supporting Xero's strategy.

#### **BOARD RECOMMENDATION**

Given each non-executive director has an interest in this matter, the Board does not consider it appropriate to make a recommendation on this resolution.

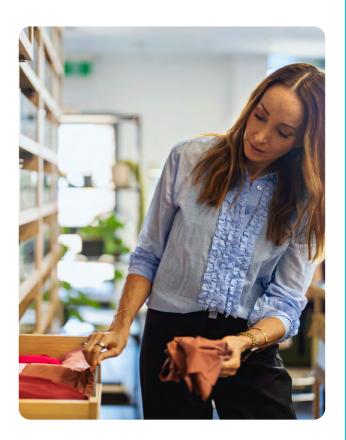
#### **VOTING EXCLUSION**

While Xero is not required to do so, Xero will voluntarily disregard any votes cast on this resolution (Resolution 5):

 by or on behalf of a director or the executives named in Xero's Remuneration Report for the year ended 31 March 2025 or their closely related parties, regardless of the capacity in which the vote is cast; and

as a proxy by a director or the executives named in Xero's Remuneration Report for the year ended 31 March 2025, or their closely related parties, unless the vote is cast as proxy for a person entitled to vote on Resolution 5:

- in accordance with a direction as to how to vote on the Proxy Form; or
- by the Chair of the Meeting pursuant to an express authorisation to exercise the proxy even though Resolution 5 is connected with the remuneration of Xero's directors or the executives named in Xero's Remuneration Report.



Xero Australia customer Rebecca Williams, founder of BODILE in Perth — bodile.com

# IMPORTANT INFORMATION

#### **ATTENDANCE**

The Meeting will be held via an online platform at <a href="https://meetings.openbriefing.com/xero25">https://meetings.openbriefing.com/xero25</a>, which will provide a reasonable opportunity for shareholders to participate. Shareholders will be able to hear the discussion, submit questions regarding each of the resolutions and vote via the online platform. Shareholders can also ask questions or make comments by telephone during the Meeting.

The Chair of the Meeting will also allow a reasonable portunity for shareholders to ask questions about, or make comments on, each resolution at the Meeting.

We strongly recommend that shareholders who wish to participate log in to the online platform at least 15 minutes prior to the scheduled start time.

Gechnical difficulties may arise during the Meeting, so shareholders are encouraged to lodge a directed Proxy Form before the Meeting even if you plan to attend the Meeting online.

The Chair of the Meeting can decide whether and how the Meeting should proceed if a technical difficulty occurs. In making this decision, the Chair of the Meeting will consider the number of shareholders impacted and how the business of the Meeting is affected. If the Chair of the Meeting considers it appropriate, the Chair of the Meeting may continue to hold the Meeting and transact business, including conducting a poll and voting in accordance with valid proxy instructions.

More information on attending the Meeting online, including how to vote and ask questions, is available in the Virtual Meeting Online Guide on Xero's Investor Centre xero.com/investors.

#### **ALL RESOLUTIONS WILL BE BY POLL**

Each resolution considered at the Meeting will be conducted by a poll, rather than on a show of hands.

#### VOTING

Shareholders can vote at the Meeting:

- · through the online platform; or
- by appointing a proxy (see below under the heading "Proxies").

The Board has approved the use of the online platform as a means of participating in and voting electronically at this Meeting under clause 15.16 of Xero's constitution and clause 14 of Schedule 1 of the Companies Act.

#### **VOTING ENTITLEMENTS**

Voting entitlements for the Meeting will be determined as at 9.00pm NZT (7.00pm AEST) on Tuesday 19 August 2025. Shareholders registered at that time will be the only persons entitled to vote at the Meeting and only the shares registered in those shareholders' names at that time may be voted at the Meeting.

#### **PROXIES**

If you are entitled to attend and vote at the Meeting, you may appoint a proxy to attend the Meeting and to act generally on your behalf, including by way of voting for you by completing and following the instructions on the accompanying Proxy Form.

To appoint a proxy online, you will need your Securityholder Reference Number (SRN) or Holder Identification Number (HIN) and postcode or country of residence. If you need to obtain these details, please contact MUFG Corporate Markets well in advance of the Meeting via the contact details in the Proxy Form.

The person you appoint as proxy is not required to be a Xero shareholder and can be an individual or a body corporate. If you are entitled to cast two or more votes at the Meeting, you may appoint two proxies and may specify the proportion or number of votes that each proxy is appointed to exercise.

If the appointment does not specify the proportion or number of votes, each proxy may exercise half of the votes (any fraction votes will be disregarded).

If you appoint a proxy, you may either:

direct your proxy how to vote for you (directed proxy); or
 give your proxy discretion to vote as they see fit
 fundirected proxy).

If you wish to give your proxy discretion, then do not tick any

If you appoint a proxy, you are encouraged to direct your proxy whether to vote for or against or to abstain from voting on each resolution subject to applicable voting exclusions.

you tick more than one box for a resolution without specifying the portion of voting rights to be voted for or against or to abstain, your vote on that resolution will be invalid. If you click the "Abstain" box you are directing your proxy not to vote on your behalf and your votes will not be counted in computing the required majority.

you have directed your proxy to vote and they fail to attend the Meeting or they do not vote in accordance with your instructions, then, on a poll, the Chair of the Meeting will become your proxy and vote your proxies as directed by you.

you appoint the Chair of the Meeting as your proxy, or the Chair of the Meeting becomes your proxy by default, you expressly authorise them to vote any undirected proxies as they see fit, including voting on Resolution 5 even though it is connection with the remuneration of Xero's directors, CEO and CFO.

#fyou return a completed and signed Proxy Form, but do not nominate a proxy, the Chair of the Meeting will become your proxy.

The Chair of the Meeting and any director appointed as proxy for a person who is entitled to vote on a resolution (including where the Chair of the Meeting is appointed as proxy by default) intend to vote all available undirected proxies in favour of the relevant resolution.

Your completed Proxy Form (and any power of attorney under which it is signed) must be received at an address given below by 11.00am NZT (9.00am AEST) on Tuesday 19 August 2025. Any Proxy Form received after that time will not be valid for the Meeting.

Proxy Forms may be lodged:

Online: au.investorcentre.mpms.mufg.com

By mail: Xero Limited

C/- MUFG Corporate Markets

Locked Bag A14

Sydney South NSW 1235

Australia

**By fax:** +61 2 9287 0309

By hand: Delivering it to MUFG Corporate Markets\*

Parramatta Square Level 21, Building 6 & 8 10 Darcy Street Parramatta NSW 2150

\*During business hours (Monday to Friday, 9.00am-5.00pm)

#### **POWERS OF ATTORNEY**

If you have appointed an attorney to attend and vote at the Meeting, or if your Proxy Form is signed by an attorney, you must provide the power of attorney (or a certified copy of the power of attorney) to MUFG Corporate Markets by 11.00am NZT (9.00am AEST) on Tuesday 19 August 2025, unless the document has previously been lodged with MUFG Corporate Markets.

#### **CORPORATE REPRESENTATIVES**

A corporate shareholder may appoint a person to act as its representative. A Certificate of Appointment of Corporate Representative (**Certificate**) must be received by MUFG Corporate Markets by 11.00am NZT (9.00am AEST) on Tuesday 19 August 2025. Any Certificate received after that time will not be valid for the Meeting. MUFG Corporate Markets can provide you with a Certificate.

#### **REQUISITE MAJORITY FOR RESOLUTIONS TO PASS**

All the proposed resolutions for the Meeting are ordinary resolutions requiring the approval of a simple majority (more than 50%) of the votes of those shareholders entitled to vote and voting, in order for the resolutions to be passed.

Resolution 5 is an advisory resolution and will not bind Xero or the Board or have other legal consequences, but the voting outcome and comments will be considered by the Board when setting future remuneration strategy and in the following year's Remuneration Report.

## **SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN QUESTIONS**

addition to asking the company and Xero's auditor questions during the Meeting, any shareholder who is entitled to vote at the Meeting may submit written questions in advance at au.investorcentre.mpms.mufg.com.

All questions must be sent to and received by Xero by 11.00am NZT (9.00am AEST) on Tuesday 19 August 2025.

a question is directed to Xero's auditor, it should be sent o and received by Xero by 11.00am NZT (9.00am AEST) on Thursday 14 August 2025.

The Chair of the Meeting will try to address as many of the more frequently raised relevant questions as possible during the course of the Meeting. However, there may not be sufficient time to address all questions raised. Please note that individual responses will not be sent to shareholders.

The auditor is not obliged to provide written answers.

#### **MORE INFORMATION**

If you have any questions about this Notice of Meeting, please contact Xero's Company Secretary, Damien Coleman, at <a href="companysecretary@xero.com">companysecretary@xero.com</a>.



STEP 1



#### Xero Limited

NZ Company No. 1830488 ARBN 160 661 183

## **LODGE YOUR VOTE**

**ONLINE** 

https://au.investorcentre.mpms.mufg.com



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**BY FAX** 

+61 2 9287 0309



**BY HAND** 

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**ALL ENQUIRIES TO** 

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# PROXY FORM

I/We being a member(s) of Xero Limited (**Xero**) and entitled to attend and vote hereby appoint:

the Chair of the

**OR** if you are **NOT** appointing the Chair of the Meeting as your proxy, please write the name and email of the person or body corporate you are appointing as your proxy. An email will be sent to your appointed

5 Adoption of Remuneration Report

Meeting (mark box)

proxy with details on how to access the virtual meeting.

or failing the person or body corporate named, or if no person or body corporate is named, the Chair of the Meeting, as my/our proxy to act on my/our behalf (including to vote in accordance with the following directions or, if no directions have been given and to the extent permitted by the law, as the proxy sees fit) at the Annual Meeting of Xero to be held at 11.00am NZT (9.00am AEST) on Thursday, 21 August 2025 (the Meeting) and at any postponement or adjournment of the Meeting.

Important: If the Chair of the Meeting is your proxy, either by appointment or by default, and you have not indicated your voting intention below, you expressly authorise the Chair of the Meeting to exercise the proxy in respect of all resolutions, including Resolution 5.

The Meeting will be conducted as a virtual meeting and you can participate by logging in online at https://meetings.openbriefing.com/xero25 (refer to details in the Virtual Meeting Online Guide)

The Chair of the Meeting intends to vote undirected proxies in favour of each item of business (including Resolution 5).

## VOTING DIRECTIONS

Resolutions

Proxies will only be valid and accepted by Xero if they are signed and received no later than 11.00am NZT (9.00am AEST) on Tuesday, 19 August 2025.

Please read the voting instructions overleaf before marking any boxes with an  $\boxtimes$ 

1 Auditor's fees and expenses

For Against Abstain\*

Against Abstain\*

- 2 Re-election of Brian McAndrews
- 3 Re-election of Susan Peterson
- Re-election of David Thodey AO

\* If you mark the Abstain box for a particular resolution, you are directing your proxy not to vote on your behalf on a poll and your votes will not be counted in computing the required majority on a poll.

# SIGNATURE OF SHAREHOLDERS - THIS MUST BE COMPLETED TO ENABLE YOUR DIRECTIONS TO BE IMPLEMENTED

Shareholder 1

Shareholder 2

Shareholder 3

or duly authorised officer or attorney

or duly authorised officer or attorney

or duly authorised officer or attorney

Please provide your name and daytime telephone number in case we need to contact you regarding this proxy form.

Contact Name:

Daytime Telephone:

Date:



#### YOUR NAME AND ADDRESS

This is your name and address as it appears on Xero's share register. If this information is incorrect, please make the correction on the form. Shareholders sponsored by a broker should advise their broker of any changes. Please note: you cannot change ownership of your shares using this form.

#### **APPOINTMENT OF PROXY**

If you wish to appoint the Chair of the Meeting as your proxy, mark the box in Step 1. If you wish to appoint someone other than the Chair of the Meeting as your proxy, please write the name and email address of that individual or body corporate in Step 1. A proxy need not be a shareholder of Xero.

#### **DEFAULT TO CHAIR OF THE MEETING**

Any directed proxies that are not voted on a poll at the Meeting will default to the Chair of the Meeting, who is required to vote those proxies as directed. Any undirected proxies that default to the Chair of the Meeting will be voted in favour of the relevant resolution including where the resolution is connected directly or indirectly with the remuneration of one or more directors, which includes the Chair.

#### **VOTES ON RESOLUTIONS – PROXY APPOINTMENT**

You may direct your proxy how to vote by placing a mark in one of the boxes opposite each resolution. All your shares will be voted in accordance with such a direction unless you indicate only a portion of voting rights are to be voted on any item by inserting the percentage or number of shares you wish to vote in the appropriate box or boxes. If you do not mark a box opposite each resolution, your proxy may vote as he or she chooses on that resolution. If you mark more than one box on a resolution without specifying the portion of voting rights to be voted for or against, your vote on that resolution will be invalid.

#### APPOINTMENT OF A SECOND PROXY

If you are entitled to cast two or more votes at the Meeting, you are entitled to appoint up to two persons as proxies to attend the Meeting and vote on a poll. If you wish to appoint a second proxy, an additional Proxy Form may be obtained by telephoning Xero's share registry or you may copy this form and return them both together.

To appoint a second proxy you must:

(a) on each of the first Proxy Form and the second Proxy Form state the percentage of your voting rights or number of shares applicable to that form. If the appointments do not specify the percentage or number of votes that each proxy may exercise, each proxy may exercise half your votes. Fractions of votes will be disregarded; and

(b) return both forms together.

## SIGNING INSTRUCTIONS

You must sign this form as follows in the spaces provided:

Individual: where the holding is in one name, the holder must sign.

**Joint Holding:** where the holding is in more than one name, either shareholder may sign.

**Power of Attorney:** to sign under Power of Attorney, you must lodge the Power of Attorney (or a certified copy of the Power of Attorney) with the registry. If you have not previously lodged this document for notation, please attach the Power of Attorney (or a certified copy 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 (Cth)) 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 indicate the office held by signing in the appropriate place.

#### **CORPORATE REPRESENTATIVES**

If a representative of the corporation is to attend the Meeting virtually the appropriate "Certificate of Appointment of Corporate Representative" must be received at support@cm.mpms.mufg.com prior to admission in accordance with the Notice of Annual General Meeting. A form of the certificate may be obtained from the Company's share registry or online at www.mpms.mufg.com/en/mufg-corporate-markets.

### **LODGEMENT OF A PROXY FORM**

This Proxy Form (and any Power of Attorney under which it is signed) must be received at an address given below by **11.00am NZT (9.00am AEST) on Tuesday, 19 August 2025,** being not later than 48 hours before the commencement of the Meeting. Any Proxy Form received after that time will not be valid for the scheduled Meeting.

Proxy Forms may be lodged using the reply paid envelope or:



#### ONLINE

#### https://au.investorcentre.mpms.mufg.com

Login to the Investor Centre using the holding details as shown on the Voting/Proxy Form. Select 'Voting' and follow the prompts to lodge your vote. To use the online lodgement facility, shareholders will need their "Holder Identifier" - Securityholder Reference Number (SRN) or Holder Identification Number (HIN).



#### BY MOBILE DEVICE

Our voting website is designed specifically for voting online. You can now lodge your vote by scanning the QR code adjacent or enter the voting link

https://au.investorcentre.mpms.mufg. com into your mobile device. Log in using the Holder Identifier and postcode for your shareholding.



To scan the code you will need a QR code reader application which can be downloaded for free on your mobile device.



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