**WELCOME NOTE**

Good Afternoon everyone...

A warm welcome to all the members and guests for this event.

A warm welcome to our guest panellist –Ms. Ambika Kothari, Ms. Ankita Mittal, Ms. Kriti Bajaj, Ms. Niraali Parekh, Ms. Riddhi Jhaveri, Ms. Sanjana Haribhakti and our moderators - CA. Sudha Bhushan and Ms. Samira Shah

The next generation often wonders whether they should build their entrepreneurial ventures within the legacy business or outside of it?

### GeNext successful entrepreneurs have the drive — of ambition, sheer will, and the willingness to take calculated risks, also the vision of long-term success.

### They believe - All our dreams can come true, if we have the courage to pursue them.

But doing that well is not easy, and there are multiple challenges to navigate along the way.

Today our panellist will share their own experiences and how they have charted their journey so far.

Before we begin, on behalf of the IMC Ladies' Wing, I would like to present our panellist an E-Certificate from Grow Trees consisting of a grove of 5 trees each planted in your honour as a token of our appreciation and gratitude.

Also, here's presenting the Business Environment Committee for the year 2020-2021.

Now, may I request Neela Parikh Chairperson of the Committee to take the event forward.

Thank you.

**Vote of Thanks**

On behalf of the IMC Ladies Wing, I take great pleasure in extending the vote of thanks to our esteemed panellist –Ms. Ambika Kothari, Ms. Ankita Mittal, Ms. Kriti Bajaj, Ms. Niraali Parekh, Ms. Riddhi Jhaveri, Ms. Sanjana Haribhakti.

Nothing about entrepreneurship is straightforward. There is no prescribed formula or established way to develop something revolutionary. Your own family business legend will probably attest to that.

I thank our panellist for sharing their road to success even the winding path, we hope your innovative philosophies help you all to always keep your north star — cultivating entrepreneurial drive-in sight.

I would also like to thank CA. Sudha Bhushan and Ms. Samira Shah for moderating the session so judiciously with their immense expertise and knowledge.

A big thank you to the members of the Business Environment Committee for conceptualising the event.

My sincere gratitude to our members and guests for attending the event.

I would like to inform you all about our next event - Short Stories Discussion with Ms. Soha Parekh scheduled on Thursday, 25th February, 2021 at 3:30 pm on Zoom.

We hope to see you all for the event.

Thank You.