

3rd March 2025

Department of Corporate Services BSE Limited 1st floor, New Trading Ring Rotunda Building, P J Towers Dalal Street, Fort Mumbai - 400 001 Scrip Code: 500710 The Listing Department
National Stock Exchange of India Ltd.
Exchange Plaza, 5th floor,
Bandra-Kurla Complex
Bandra (E)
Mumbai – 400051
Symbol: AKZOINDIA

Dear Sir/Madam,

Sub: Update on pending litigation under Regulation 30 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015

With reference to our earlier disclosure dated 28th November 2024, this is to inform that further to the show cause notice issued by the Karnataka GST Department, the company has received an order on 3rd March 2025.

Accordingly, pursuant to Regulation 30 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 read with SEBI circular SEBI/HO/CFD/CFDPoD-1/P/CIR/2023/123 dated 13th July 2023, an update on the pending litigation, disclosed earlier on 28th November 2024, is enclosed as "Annexure-1".

Kindly take the aforesaid on record.

Thanking you.

Yours truly, for Akzo Nobel India Limited

Rajiv Jha Company Secretary & Compliance Officer Membership No. F5948

Encl: As above



Annexure 1

"Regularly check in until the litigation is concluded or the dispute is resolved."		
SI. No.	Particulars	Details
1.	The details of any change in the status and / or any development in relation to such proceedings;	The Company received a Show Cause Notice from Karnataka GST Department on 28 th November 2024, for the period from April 2020 – March 2021 mentioning disallowance of the input tax credit under u/s 73 of CGST/SGST Act, 2017, and demand of Rs. 1,75,41,188/- (comprising Tax amounting to Rs. 1,00,23,693/-; Interest amounting to Rs. 65,15,126/-; and Penalty amounting to Rs. 10,02,369/-).
		However, basis our response to the said notice along with the supporting documents within the given time limit, the Deputy Commissioner, LGSTO LTU, Bengaluru, Karnataka GST Department reviewed our reply and issued an Order dated 25 th February 2025 (received by the Company on 03.03.2025 at 11:00 am).
		The demand amount as per the aforesaid Order is Rs. 3,92,382/- (Tax amounting to Rs. 2,08,886/-; Interest amounting to Rs. 1,43,496/-; and Penalty amounting to Rs. 40,000/-).
		The said Order is open for further submissions before the relevant authorities, and the Company is in the process of responding within the stipulated time as mentioned in the said Order.
	In the case of litigation against key management personnel or its promoter or ultimate person in control, regularly provide details of any change in the status and / or any development in relation to such proceedings	
	in the event of settlement of the proceedings, details of such settlement including - terms of the settlement, compensation/ penalty paid (if any) and impact of such settlement on the financial position of the listed entity.	Not Applicable