

May 25, 2024

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The Manager- Compliance Department Bombay Stock Exchange Limited Floor 25, P. J. Tower, Dalal Street, Mumbai -400 001. To

The Manager- Compliance Department National Stock Exchange of India Limited 'Exchange Plaza', Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra (East), Mumbai-400 051

BSE Scrip Code: 532761

**NSE symbol: HOVS** 

Sub: Annual Secretarial Compliance Report for the Financial Year 2023-24

Refr: SEBI Circular no. CIR/CFD/CMD/27/2019 dated February 8, 2019

Please find enclosed the Annual Secretarial Compliance Report for the year ended March 31, 2024, issued by J. B. Bhave & Co., Practicing Company Secretaries, the Secretarial Auditor of the Company.

Kindly take the above on record.

Thanking you, Yours faithfully,

For HOV Services Limited

VP-Corporate Affairs & Company Secretary & Compliance Officer



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## Secretarial Compliance Report of HOV Services Limited

for the financial year ended March 31, 2024

[Pursuant to Regulation 24A of Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015]

I, Jayavant B. Bhave, Proprietor of M/s. J. B. Bhave & Co., Company Secretaries in whole-time practice, have examined:

- (a) all the documents and records made available to me and explanation provided by **HOV Services Limited** ("the listed entity"),
- (b) the filings/ submissions made by the listed entity to the stock exchanges,
- (c) website of the listed entity,
- (d) any other document/ filing, as may be relevant, which has been relied upon to make this Report.

For the year ended March 31, 2024 ("Review Period") in respect of compliance with the provisions of:

- The Securities and Exchange Board of India Act, 1992 ("SEBI Act") and the Regulations, circulars, guidelines issued thereunder; and
- II. The Securities Contracts (Regulation) Act, 1956 ("SCRA"), rules made thereunder and the Regulations, circulars, guidelines issued thereunder by the Securities and Exchange Board of India ("SEBI");

The specific Regulations, whose provisions and the circulars/guidelines issued thereunder, have been examined, include the following:

- i. SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations 2015;
- ii. SEBI (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011;
- iii. SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015;
- iv. SEBI (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018; [Not applicable during the Review Period]
- v. SEBI (Share Based Employee Benefits and Sweat Equity) Regulations 2021; [Not applicable during the Review Period]
- vi. SEBI (Issue and Listing of Non-Convertible Securities) Regulations, 2021;
- vii. SEBI (Registrars to an Issue and Share Transfer Agents) Regulations, 1993;
- viii. SEBI (Delisting of Equity Shares) Regulations, 2021; [Not applicable during the Review Period]
- ix. SEBI (Buyback of Securities) Regulations, 2018; [Not applicable during the Review Period]
- x. SEBI (Depositories and Participants) Regulations, 2018 and circulars/guidelines issued thereunder;





and based on the verification above, I hereby report that, during the Review Period,

(a) The listed entity has complied with the provisions of the above Regulations and circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder, except in respect of matters specified below:

Sr. No.	Compliance Requirement (Regulations / circulars/ guide- lines including specific clause)	Regul ation/ Circul arNo.	Devia tions		Type of Action	Details of Violation	Fine Amount	Observatio ns/ Remarks of the Practicing Company Secretary (PCS)	Managemen t Response	Re- marks
	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL

(b) The listed entity has taken the following actions to comply with the observations made in previous reports:

Sr.	Observations/	Observations	Compliance	Details of	Remedial	Comments of
No.	Remarks of the	made in the	Requirement	Violation/	Actions, if any,	the PCS on the
	PCS in the	Secretarial	(Regulations/	deviations and	taken by the	actions taken by
	previous reports	Compliance	Circulars/	actions taken/	listed entity	the listed entity
		Report for the	Guidelines	penalty		
		previous year(s)	including	imposed, if		
			specific clause)	any, on the		
				listed entity		
	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL

I hereby report that, during the Review Period the compliance status of the listed entity is appended as below:

Sr. No	Particulars	Compliance Status (Yes/No/NA)	Observations/ Remarks by PCS
1.	Secretarial Standards: The compliances of the listed entity are in accordance with the applicable Secretarial Standards (SS) issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries India (ICSI).	Yes	



Sr. No	Particulars	Compliance Status (Yes/No/NA)	Observations/ Remarks by PCS
2.	<ul> <li>Adoption and timely updation of the Policies:</li> <li>All applicable policies under SEBI Regulations are adopted with the approval of board of directors of the listed entity.</li> <li>All the policies are in conformity with SEBI Regulations and have been reviewed &amp; updated on time, as per the regulations/circulars/ guidelines issued by SEBI.</li> </ul>	Yes	-
3.	<ul> <li>Maintenance and disclosures on Website:</li> <li>The listed entity is maintaining a functional website.</li> <li>Timely dissemination of the documents/ information under a separate section on the website.</li> <li>Web-links provided in annual corporate governance reports under Regulation 27(2) are accurate and specific which redirects to the relevant document(s)/section of the website.</li> </ul>	Yes	- ,
4.	Disqualification of Director(s):  None of the Director(s) of the listed entity is/ are disqualified under Section 164 of Companies Act, 2013 as confirmed by the listed entity.	Yes	-
5.	Details related to Subsidiaries of listed entity have been examined w.r.t.:  (a) Identification of material subsidiary companies  (b) Disclosure requirement of material as well as other subsidiaries	Yes	-
6.	Preservation of Documents:  The listed entity is preserving and maintaining records as prescribed under SEBI Regulations and disposal of records as per Policy of Preservation of Documents and Archival policy prescribed under SEBI LODR Regulations, 2015.	Yes	-
7.	Performance Evaluation:  The listed entity has conducted performance evaluation of the Board, Independent Directors and the Committees at the start of every financial year/during the financial year as prescribed in SEBI Regulations.	Yes	-



Sr. No	Particulars	Compliance Status (Yes/No/NA)	Observations/ Remarks by PCS
8.	Related Party Transactions:		
	(a) The listed entity has obtained prior approval of AuditCommittee for all related party transactions;	Yes	-
e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e	(b) The listed entity has provided detailed reasons along with confirmation whether the transactions were subsequently approved/ ratified/ rejected by the Audit Committee, in case no prior approval has been obtained.	NA	No such instances during the Review Period
9.	Disclosure of events or information:  The listed entity has provided all the required disclosure(s) under Regulation 30 along with Schedule III of SEBI LODR Regulations, 2015 within the time limits prescribed thereunder.	Yes	
10.	Prohibition of Insider Trading: The listed entity is in compliance with Regulation 3(5) & 3(6) of SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015.	Yes	
11.	Actions taken by SEBI or Stock Exchange(s), if any:  No action(s) has been taken against the listed entity/ its promoters/ directors/ subsidiaries either by SEBI or by Stock Exchanges (including under the Standard Operating Procedures issued by SEBI through various circulars) under SEBI Regulations and circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder.	NA	No such instances during the Review Period
3	The actions taken against the listed entity/ promoters/ directors/ subsidiaries either by SEBI or by Stock Exchanges are specified in the last column.		
12.	Resignation of the Statutory Auditors from the listed entity or its material subsidiaries	NA	No such instance during the Review Period
	In case of resignation of statutory auditor from the listed entity or any of its material subsidiaries during the financial year, the listed entity and / or its material subsidiary(ies) has / have complied with paragraph 6.1 and 6.2 of section V-D of chapter V		Teriou
	of the Master Circular on compliance with the provisions of the LODR Regulations by listed entities.	9	
13.	Additional Non-compliances, if any:  No additional non-compliance observed for any SEBI regulation/circular/guidance note etc. except as per reported above.	NA	No such instances during the review period



## Assumptions & limitation of scope and review:

- 1. Compliance of the applicable laws and ensuring the authenticity of documents and information furnished, are the responsibilities of the management of the listed entity.
- 2. Our responsibility is to report based upon our examination of relevant documents and information. This is neither an audit nor an expression of opinion.
- 3. We have not verified the correctness and appropriateness of financial records and books of account of the listed entity.
- 4. This report is solely for the intended purpose of compliance in terms of Regulation 24A (2) of the SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015 and is neither an assurance as to the future viability of the listed entity nor of the efficacy or effectiveness with which the management has conducted the affairs of the listed entity.

For J. B. Bhave & Co. Company Secretaries

Jayavant B. Bhave

Proprietor

FCS: 4266 CP: 3068 UIN: S1999MH025400

PR No.: 1238/2021

UDIN: F004266F000419252

Place: Pune

Date: 22/05/2024