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SUB : Annual Report for Financial year 2023-24

We would like to inform you that we have dispatched copies of Annual Report today on September 03, 2024 for Annual General Meeting of the Company to be held on September 30, 2024. The copy of the Annual Report is attached herewith.

We request you to treat this as compliance with the provisions of Regulation 34 (1) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements), Regulations, 2015, as amended. Further, as clarified by BSE vide its circular dated 16th May 2019, we shall submit the Annual Report in XBRL mode at the same time of filing Form AOC - 4 XBRL with the Ministry of Corporate Affairs within the prescribed time limit under the Companies Act, 2013.

The Notice of the Annual General Meeting along with the Annual Report for the FY 2023–24 has been sent to the members of the Company through electronic mode only.

We request you to take the same on your records.

Encl: Annual Report for F.Y. 2023-24

For Explicit Finance Limited


Gopal Dave
Chairperson
(DIN:00334120)



EXPLICIT FINANCE LIMITED

30TH ANNUAL REPORT

2023-2024

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Mr. Rajesh Nanda
 Mr. Avinash Mainkar
 Mr. Gopal Dave
 Mr. Pushparaj Mayekar
 Mr. Jitendra Bhanushali
 Ms. Hetal Bhanushali

AUDITORS

M/s. GMCS & Co., Chartered Accountants
 Chartered Accountants

REGISTRAR & TRANSFER AGENTS

Adroit Corporate Services Pvt. Ltd
 17-20, Jaferbhoy Industrial Estate,
 Makwana Road, Marol Naka Andheri (E),
 Mumbai - 400 059.

REGISTERED OFFICE

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 Shivsena Office, Vasai East Thane-401
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NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the Thirtieth (30th) Annual General Meeting of the Members of EXPLICIT FINANCE LIMITED (the Company) will be held on Saturday, 30th September 2024 at 9.30 A.M. (IST) at 101, Lotus Business Complex, Near Vasai Phata, Vasai East, Dist Palghar- 401210, to transact the following business:

ORDINARY BUSINESS:

- 1) To receive, consider and adopt the Audited Balance Sheet as at 31st March, 2024 and the Statement of Profit and Loss of the Company for the financial year ended and the Reports of the Board of Directors and Auditors thereon.

It is proposed to pass the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

“RESOLVED THAT the financials for the year ended March 31, 2024 along with Auditors Report thereupon as recommended by the Audit Committee of the Directors of the company and as approved and signed by the board of directors of the company and as enclosed in the Annual Report enclosed to the notice convening 30th Annual General Meeting of the company for the Financial Year ended March 31, 2024 are be and hereby adopted without any modification(s) and/or suggestion(s) by the members of the Company.”

- 2) To re-appoint Mr. Avinash Mainkar (DIN: 01986289) Non – executive Director liable to retire by rotation and being eligible offers himself for re-appointment.

It is proposed to pass the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

“RESOLVED THAT pursuant to section 156 of the Companies act, 2013 and any other rules and regulations as may be applicable, Mr. Avinash Mainkar (DIN : 01986289) Non – executive Director of the company liable to retire by rotation, being eligible offers himself for re-appointment.”

BY ORDER OF BOARD

GOPAL DAVE
DIN: 00334120

NOTES

1. **A MEMBER ENTITLED TO ATTEND AND VOTE IS ENTITLED TO APPOINT A PROXY TO ATTEND AND VOTE ON POLL ON HIS / HER BEHALF AND THE PROXY NEED NOT BE A MEMBER OF THE COMPANY.** Pursuant to the provisions of Section 105 of the Companies Act, 2013, a person can act as a proxy on behalf of not more than fifty members and holding in aggregate not more than ten percent of the total share capital of the Company. Members holding more than ten percent of the total share capital of the Company may appoint a single person as proxy, who shall not act as a proxy for any other Member. The instrument of Proxy, in order to be effective, should be deposited, either in person or through post, at the Registered Office of the Company, duly completed and signed, not later than 48 hours before the commencement of the meeting. A Proxy Form is annexed to this Report. Proxies submitted on behalf of limited companies, societies, etc., must be supported by an appropriate resolution/letter of authority, as applicable authorizing their representative to attend and vote on their behalf at the AGM. A proxy shall not have a right to speak at the AGM and shall not be entitled to vote except on a Poll.
2. During the period beginning 24 hours before the time fixed for the commencement of the meeting and ending with the conclusion of the meeting, a member would be entitled to inspect the proxies lodged at any time during the business hours of the Company, provided that not less than three days of notice in writing is given to the Company.
3. Corporate Members intending to send their authorized representatives to attend the AGM, pursuant to Section 113 of the Companies Act, 2013, are requested to send to the Company, a certified copy of relevant Board Resolution together with the respective specimen signatures of those representative(s) authorised under the said resolution to attend and vote on their behalf at the meeting.
4. The Register of Directors and Key Managerial Personnel and their shareholding maintained under Section 170 of the Companies Act, 2013 will be available for inspection by Members at the AGM.
5. There being no special resolution Explanatory Statement pursuant to Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013 is not enclosed.
6. There being no Explanatory Statement, requirement of inspection of documents is not applicable.
7. Brief Profile and other required information about the Directors proposed to be appointed/reappointed, as required under Regulations 26 (4) and 36 (3) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (“Listing Regulations”) and as required under Secretarial Standard 2, pursuant to Section 118 (10) of the Act, issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India, relating to Directors proposed to be appointed/re-appointed, is provided in the Annexure to this Notice.
8. Pursuant to Section 91 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rule 10 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 read with Regulation 42 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, the Register of Members and Share Transfer Books of the Company will remain closed from Thursday, September 26, 2024 to Monday, September 30, 2024 (both days inclusive)
9. Members are requested to send all communication relating to share (Physical and Electronic) to the Company’s Registrar and Share Transfer Agent at Adroit Corporate Services Private Limited ,17-20, Jafferbhoy Industrial Estate, Makwana Road, Marol, Andheri (East), Mumbai – 400059, Tel No.: 91-22-42270400, Email:info@adroitcorporate.com.
10. The Securities Exchange Board of India (SEBI) Vide its circular dated 20th April 2018 has mandated registration of Permanent Account Number (PAN) and Bank Account Details for all securities holders. Members holding shares in physical form are therefore, requested to submit their PAN and Bank

Account details to the Company's Registrar and Transfer Agent ("RTA") i.e. M/s. Adroit Corporate Services Private Limited having its office at 17-20, Jafferbhoy Industrial Estate, Makwana Road, Marol, Andheri (East), Mumbai – 400 059 by sending a duly signed letter copy along with self- attested copy of PAN Card and original cancelled cheque. The original cancelled cheque should bear the name of the Member. In the alternative Members are requested to submit a copy of bank passbook/statement attested by the bank. Members holding shares in demat form are requested to submit the aforesaid information to their respective Depository Participant.

11. SEBI has recently amended relevant provisions of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 to disallow listed companies from accepting request for transfer of securities which are held in physical form, with effect from 1st April, 2019. The shareholders who continue to hold shares and other types of securities of listed companies in physical form even after this date, will not be able to lodge the shares with company / its RTA for further transfer. They will need to convert them to demat form compulsorily if they wish to effect any transfer. Only the requests for transmission and transposition of securities in physical form, will be accepted by the listed companies / their RTAs.
12. Members holding shares in physical form are requested to consider converting their holdings to dematerialized form to eliminate all risks associated with physical shares and for ease of portfolio management. Members can contact the Company or Company's Registrar and Share Transfer Agents for assistance in this regard.
13. Members holding shares in the electronic form are advised to inform any changes in address / bank mandate / Email ID directly to their respective Depository Participants. The Company will not act on any direct request from such members for change/ deletion in such bank details.
14. Nomination facility for shares is available for members. For members holding shares in physical form, the prescribed format can be obtained from the Company's Registrar and Share Transfer Agents, M/s. Adroit Corporate Services Private Limited. For members holding shares in electronic form, you are requested to approach your Depository Participant (DP) for the same.
15. In case of joint holders attending the Meeting, the member whose name appears as the first holder in the order of names as per the Register of Members of the Company will be entitled to vote.
16. Members desirous of obtaining any information concerning the Financial Statements and operations of the Company are requested to send their queries to the Chief Financial Officer or the Company Secretary of the Company at least seven days prior to the Meeting so that the required information can be made available at the Meeting.
17. Pursuant to Section 101 and Section 136 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with the relevant Rules made thereunder, companies can serve Annual Reports and other communications through electronic mode to those Members who have registered their e-mail address with the RTA or with Depository Participant(s). Members holding shares in demat form are requested to register their e-mail address with their Depository Participant(s) only and member holding shares in Physical form are requested to register to RTA. Members of the Company who have registered their e-mail address are also entitled to receive such communication in physical form upon request.
18. The Notice of AGM, Annual Report and Attendance Slip are being sent in electronic mode to Members whose e-mail address is registered with the Company or the Depository Participant(s), unless the Members have registered their request for the hard copy of the same. Physical copy of the Notice of AGM, Annual Report and Attendance Slip are being sent to those Members who have not registered their e-mail address with the Company or Depository Participant(s). Members who have received the Notice of AGM, Annual Report and Attendance Slip in electronic mode are requested to print the Attendance Slip and submit a duly filled in Attendance Slip at the Registration Counter at the AGM.

19. A Route Map Showing the direction to reach the venue of Annual General Meeting is given at the end of this Notice as per the requirement of the Secretarial Standards-2 on General Meeting.
20. Pursuant Voting through electronic means In compliance with provisions of Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014, as amended from time to time and the provisions of Regulation 44 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, the Company is pleased to provide members, facility to cast their votes on all Resolutions set forth in the Notice of the Annual General Meeting ('AGM') using electronic voting system from a place other than the venue of the AGM ('remote e-voting'), provided by Central Depository Services Limited (CDSL) and the business may be transacted through such voting.

SHAREHOLDER INSTRUCTIONS FOR REMOTE E-VOTING

- (i) The voting period begins on Friday September 27, 2024 at 9:00 AM and ends on Sunday September 29, 2024 at 5:00 PM. During this period shareholders' of the Company, holding shares either in physical form or in dematerialized form, as on the cut-off date Monday, September 23, 2024 may cast their vote electronically. The e-voting module shall be disabled by CDSL for voting thereafter.
- (ii) Shareholders who have already voted prior to the meeting date would not be entitled to vote at the meeting venue.
- (iii) Pursuant to SEBI Circular No. **SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD/CIR/P/2020/242 dated 09.12.2020**, under Regulation 44 of Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, listed entities are required to provide remote e-voting facility to its shareholders, in respect of all shareholders' resolutions. However, it has been observed that the participation by the public non-institutional shareholders/retail shareholders is at a negligible level.

Currently, there are multiple e-voting service providers (ESPs) providing e-voting facility to listed entities in India. This necessitates registration on various ESPs and maintenance of multiple user IDs and passwords by the shareholders.

In order to increase the efficiency of the voting process, pursuant to a public consultation, it has been decided to enable e-voting to **all the demat account holders, by way of a single login credential, through their demat accounts/ websites of Depositories/ Depository Participants**. Demat account holders would be able to cast their vote without having to register again with the ESPs, thereby, not only facilitating seamless authentication but also enhancing ease and convenience of participating in e-voting process.

Step 1 : Access through Depositories CDSL/NSDL e-Voting system in case of individual shareholders holding shares in demat mode.

- (iv) In terms of SEBI circular no. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD/CIR/P/2020/242 dated December 9, 2020 on e-Voting facility provided by Listed Companies, Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode are allowed to vote through their demat account maintained with Depositories and Depository Participants.

Shareholders are advised to update their mobile number and email Id in their demat accounts in order to access e-Voting facility.

Pursuant to abovesaid SEBI Circular, Login method for e-Voting for **Individual shareholders holding securities in Demat mode CDSL/NSDL** is given below:

Type of shareholders	Login Method
Individual Shareholders holding securities in Demat mode with CDSL Depository	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Users who have opted for CDSL Easi / Easiest facility, can login through their existing user id and password. Option will be made available to reach e-Voting page without any further authentication. The users to login to Easi / Easiest are requested to visit cdsl website www.cdslindia.com and click on login icon & New System Myeasi Tab. 2) After successful login the Easi / Easiest user will be able to see the e-Voting option for eligible companies where the evoting is in progress as per the information provided by company. On clicking the evoting option, the user will be able to see e-Voting page of the e-Voting service provider for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting. Additionally, there is also links provided to access the system of all e-Voting Service Providers, so that the user can visit the e-Voting service providers' website directly. 3) If the user is not registered for Easi/Easiest, option to register is available at cdsl website www.cdslindia.com and click on login & New System Myeasi Tab and then click on registration option. 4) Alternatively, the user can directly access e-Voting page by providing Demat Account Number and PAN No. from a e-Voting link available on www.cdslindia.com home page. The system will authenticate the user by sending OTP on registered Mobile & Email as recorded in the Demat Account. After successful authentication, user will be able to see the e-Voting option where the evoting is in progress and also able to directly access the system of all e-Voting Service Providers.
Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with NSDL Depository	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) If you are already registered for NSDL IDeAS facility, please visit the e-Services website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the following URL: https://eservices.nsdl.com either on a Personal Computer or on a mobile. Once the home page of e-Services is launched, click on the "Beneficial Owner" icon under "Login" which is available under 'IDeAS' section. A new screen will open. You will have to enter your User ID and Password. After successful authentication, you will be able to see e-Voting services. Click on "Access to e-Voting" under e-Voting services and you will be able to see e-Voting page. Click on company name or e-Voting service provider name and you will be re-directed to e-Voting service provider website for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period. 2) If the user is not registered for IDeAS e-Services, option to register is available at https://eservices.nsdl.com. Select "Register Online for IDeAS "Portal or click at https://eservices.nsdl.com/SecureWeb/IdeasDirectReg.jsp 3) Visit the e-Voting website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the following URL: https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/ either on a Personal Computer or on a mobile. Once the home page of e-Voting system is launched, click on the icon "Login" which is available

	<p>under ‘Shareholder/Member’ section. A new screen will open. You will have to enter your User ID (i.e. your sixteen digit demat account number hold with NSDL), Password/OTP and a Verification Code as shown on the screen. After successful authentication, you will be redirected to NSDL Depository site wherein you can see e-Voting page. Click on company name or e-Voting service provider name and you will be redirected to e-Voting service provider website for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period.</p>
<p>Individual Shareholders (holding securities in demat mode) login through their Depository Participants (DP)</p>	<p>You can also login using the login credentials of your demat account through your Depository Participant registered with NSDL/CDSL for e-Voting facility. After Successful login, you will be able to see e-Voting option. Once you click on e-Voting option, you will be redirected to NSDL/CDSL Depository site after successful authentication, wherein you can see e-Voting feature. Click on company name or e-Voting service provider name and you will be redirected to e-Voting service provider website for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period.</p>

Important note: Members who are unable to retrieve User ID/ Password are advised to use Forget User ID and Forget Password option available at abovementioned website.

Helpdesk for Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode for any technical issues related to login through Depository i.e. CDSL and NSDL

Login type	Helpdesk details
Individual Shareholders holding securities in Demat mode with CDSL	Members facing any technical issue in login can contact CDSL helpdesk by sending a request at helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com or contact at toll free no. 1800 21 09911
Individual Shareholders holding securities in Demat mode with NSDL	Members facing any technical issue in login can contact NSDL helpdesk by sending a request at evoting@nsdl.co.in or call at : 022 - 4886 7000 and 022 - 2499 7000

Step 2 : Access through CDSL e-Voting system in case of shareholders holding shares in physical mode and non-individual shareholders in demat mode.

(v) Login method for Remote e-Voting for **Physical shareholders and shareholders other than individual holding in Demat form.**

- 1) The shareholders should log on to the e-voting website www.evotingindia.com.

- 2) Click on “Shareholders” module.
- 3) Now enter your User ID
 - a. For CDSL: 16 digits beneficiary ID,
 - b. For NSDL: 8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digits Client ID,
 - c. Shareholders holding shares in Physical Form should enter Folio Number registered with the Company.
- 4) Next enter the Image Verification as displayed and Click on Login.
- 5) If you are holding shares in demat form and had logged on to www.evotingindia.com and voted on an earlier e-voting of any company, then your existing password is to be used.
- 6) If you are a first-time user follow the steps given below:

	For Physical shareholders and other than individual shareholders holding shares in Demat.
PAN	Enter your 10 digit alpha-numeric *PAN issued by Income Tax Department (Applicable for both demat shareholders as well as physical shareholders) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shareholders who have not updated their PAN with the Company/Depository Participant are requested to use the sequence number sent by Company/RTA or contact Company/RTA.
Dividend Bank Details OR Date of Birth (DOB)	Enter the Dividend Bank Details or Date of Birth (in dd/mm/yyyy format) as recorded in your demat account or in the company records in order to login. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If both the details are not recorded with the depository or company, please enter the member id / folio number in the Dividend Bank details field.

- (vi) After entering these details appropriately, click on “SUBMIT” tab.
- (vii) Shareholders holding shares in physical form will then directly reach the Company selection screen. However, shareholders holding shares in demat form will now reach ‘Password Creation’ menu wherein they are required to mandatorily enter their login password in the new password field. Kindly note that this password is to be also used by the demat holders for voting for resolutions of any other company on which they are eligible to vote, provided that company opts for e-voting through CDSL platform. It is strongly recommended not to share your password with any other person and take utmost care to keep your password confidential.
- (viii) For shareholders holding shares in physical form, the details can be used only for e-voting on the resolutions contained in this Notice.
- (ix) Click on the EVSN for the relevant <Company Name> on which you choose to vote.

- (x) On the voting page, you will see “RESOLUTION DESCRIPTION” and against the same the option “YES/NO” for voting. Select the option YES or NO as desired. The option YES implies that you assent to the Resolution and option NO implies that you dissent to the Resolution.
- (xi) Click on the “RESOLUTIONS FILE LINK” if you wish to view the entire Resolution details.
- (xii) After selecting the resolution, you have decided to vote on, click on “SUBMIT”. A confirmation box will be displayed. If you wish to confirm your vote, click on “OK”, else to change your vote, click on “CANCEL” and accordingly modify your vote.
- (xiii) Once you “CONFIRM” your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.
- (xiv) You can also take a print of the votes cast by clicking on “Click here to print” option on the Voting page.
- (xv) If a demat account holder has forgotten the login password then Enter the User ID and the image verification code and click on Forgot Password & enter the details as prompted by the system.
- (xvi) There is also an optional provision to upload BR/POA if any uploaded, which will be made available to scrutinizer for verification.
- (xvii) **Additional Facility for Non – Individual Shareholders and Custodians –For Remote Voting only.**
- Non-Individual shareholders (i.e. other than Individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) and Custodians are required to log on to www.evotingindia.com and register themselves in the “Corporates” module.
 - A scanned copy of the Registration Form bearing the stamp and sign of the entity should be emailed to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com.
 - After receiving the login details a Compliance User should be created using the admin login and password. The Compliance User would be able to link the account(s) for which they wish to vote on.
 - The list of accounts linked in the login will be mapped automatically & can be delink in case of any wrong mapping.
 - It is Mandatory that, a scanned copy of the Board Resolution and Power of Attorney (POA) which they have issued in favour of the Custodian, if any, should be uploaded in PDF format in the system for the scrutinizer to verify the same.
 - Alternatively Non Individual shareholders are required mandatory to send the relevant Board Resolution/ Authority letter etc. together with attested specimen signature of the duly authorized signatory who are authorized to vote, to the Scrutinizer and to the Company at the email address viz; explicit_finance@rediffmail.com (designated email address by company), if they have voted from individual tab & not uploaded same in the CDSL e-voting system for the scrutinizer to verify the same.

PROCESS FOR THOSE SHAREHOLDERS WHOSE EMAIL/MOBILE NO. ARE NOT REGISTERED WITH THE COMPANY/DEPOSITORIES.

- a. For Physical shareholders- please provide necessary details like Folio No., Name of

shareholder, scanned copy of the share certificate (front and back), PAN (self attested scanned copy of PAN card), AADHAR (self attested scanned copy of Aadhar Card) by email to **Company/RTA email id.**

- b. For Demat shareholders -, Please update your email id & mobile no. with your respective Depository Participant (DP)
- c. For Individual Demat shareholders – Please update your email id & mobile no. with your respective Depository Participant (DP) which is mandatory while e-Voting & joining virtual meetings through Depository.

If you have any queries or issues regarding e-Voting from the CDSL e-Voting System, you can write an email to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com or contact at toll free no. 1800 21 09911

All grievances connected with the facility for voting by electronic means may be addressed to Mr. Rakesh Dalvi, Sr. Manager, (CDSL,) Central Depository Services (India) Limited, A Wing, 25th Floor, Marathon Futorex, Mafatlal Mill Compounds, N M Joshi Marg, Lower Parel (East), Mumbai - 400013 or send an email to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com or call at toll free no. 1800 21 09911

ANNEXURE TO AGM NOTICE

The Statement of disclosures pursuant to Secretarial Standard-2 on General Meetings and Regulation 36(3) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended, is as under:

CS. Avinash Mainkar is a Commerce and Law Graduate of Mumbai University. He is a member of the Institute of Company Secretaries of India since 1988. He has over three decades experience in the areas of Legal and administration.

He is been associated with our Company for about 25 years and has contributed a lot to the business of the Company. His association is a big asset to the Company.

BOARD'S REPORT

To,
The Members

Your directors have pleasure in presenting their Thirty (30th) Annual Report on the business and operations of the company along with the Audited Financial accounts for the Financial Year ended 31st March, 2024.

FINANCIAL RESULTS

(Amount in Lacs)

Particulars	Year Ended 31 st March 2024	Year Ended 31 st March 2023
Total Revenue	940.18	2,286.51
Less: Operating Expenses & Provisions	938.36	2,285.68
Profit/(Loss) before Tax	1.82	0.83
Less: Provision for Taxation	0.30	0
Profit/(Loss) after Tax	1.52	0.83
Comprehensive Income/(Loss)	0	0
Profit/(Loss) After Tax (PAT) including Other	1.52	0.83
Earnings per Share (EPS) (Rs.)	0.02	0.01

REVIEW OF OPERATION:

During the financial year under review total income of the Company is Rs. 940.18 Lacs as compared to last year's total income of Rs. 2,286.51 Lacs. Company has earned profit of Rs. 1.52 lacs as compare to profit of Rs. 0.83 lacs of the previous year.

BUSINESS REVIEW:

Explicit Finance Limited ("The Company") is a non-banking financial company engaged in Secondary capital market activities and also provide a wide range of services including: -

- Individual/Corporate Finance
- Loans against Shares and securities
- Loans against property
- Financial Consultancy Services

DIVIDEND:

Due to insufficient profits the Board of Directors has not recommended any dividend.

MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION ANALYSIS REPORT:

The Management Discussion and Analysis forms an integral part of this Report and gives details of the overall industry structure, economic developments, performance and state of affairs of your Company's various businesses, internal controls and their adequacy, risk management systems and other material developments during the financial year 2023-2024.

A. INDUSTRY STRUCTURE & DEVELOPMENT RISKS AND CONCERNS:

NBFC is amongst highly regulated sectors and is exposed to market risk and liquidity risk. In the present economic situation in country and globally all the financial institutions are at very heavy risk. The secondary market is also highly volatile and with unstable trends of market it is also pro risk area.

For controlling inflation RBI keeps on changing norms periodically which impacts working pattern and cash flow.

OPPORTUNITIES

Micro financing and unsecured consumer loans are emerging as new avenue and with increasing purchasing power and having direct nexus to working population the available consumer base is very huge and number of NBFC/Banks/FIS catering in the area are not sufficient to cater the demand resulting in favorable demand and supply ratio for NBFCs

INTERNAL CONTROL SYSTEMS AND THEIR ADEQUACY

Internal Control measures and systems are established to ensure the correctness of the transactions and safe guarding of the assets. Considering the size and nature of activities, the company has adequate internal control system covering both accounting and administrative control. In addition, the internal audit is carried out periodically. The management ensuring an effective internal control system so that the financial statements and reports give a true and fair view and during the year under review no material or serious observation has been received from the Internal Auditors of the Company for inadequacy or ineffectiveness of such control.

B. HUMAN RESOURCES

The company always regards human resources as its most valuable asset and continuously evolves policies and process to attract and retain its substantial pool of managerial resources through friendly work environment that encourages initiatives by individuals and recognizes their performance.

C. CAUTIONARY NOTE

Certain Statements in the Management Discussion and Analysis describing the company's views about the industry, expectations, objectives, etc. may be understood 'forward looking statement' within the meaning of applicable laws and regulations. Factors like changes in Government regulations, tax laws and other factors such as industrial relations and economic developments etc. may further influence the company's operations or performance. Actual results may differ substantially or materially from those expressed or implied.

RESERVES:

The reserves are transferred in accordance with statutory provisions(s).

SHARE CAPITAL:

The Company had not issued any equity shares either with or without differential rights during the F.Y. 2023-2024 and hence, the disclosure requirements under Section 43 and Rule 4 (4) of the Companies (Share Capital and Debentures) Rules, 2014, are not applicable.

DEPOSITS:

The Company has neither accepted nor renewed any deposits from public or members during the year under review under Section 73 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Chapter V of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Companies (Acceptance of Deposits) Rules, 2014. There are no unclaimed deposits, unclaimed / unpaid interest, refunds due to the deposit holders or to be deposited to the Investor Education and Protection Fund as on 31st March, 2024.

DIRECTORS:

In accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and Articles of Association of the Company:

- a) Mr. Rajesh Nanda, (DIN: 06399927) (Managing Director) of the company, for the term of five years from August 14, 2023.
- b) Ms. Hetal Bhanushali (DIN: 10266055) is appointed as an Independent Director under category of additional director w.e.f. August 14, 2023 and was regularized in annual general meeting of the company held on September 30, 2023.
- c) Mrs. Swati Dave, (DIN: 03299627) (Managing Director) of the Company has tendered her resignation from the Board of the Company w.e.f. August 07, 2023.
- d) Mr. Jayesh Jain, (DIN: 02303327) (Non- Executive Independent Director) of the Company has tendered his resignation from the Board of the Company w.e.f. July 24, 2023.
- e) Mr. Nirmal Singh Raju, (DIN: 10636825), was appointed as an independent director (Additional director) of the Company w.e.f. June 01, 2024.

CHANGES IN KEY MANAGERIAL PERSONNEL (KMP'S) DURING THE YEAR 2023-2024:

Ms. Taruna Deepak Ghanekar, was appointed as Chief Financial Officer of the Company w.e.f. May 30, 2022. Ms. Taruna Deepak Ghanekar resigned w.e.f. August 14, 2023.

Mr. Siddhesh Patil was appointed as Chief Financial Officer w.e.f. July 15, 2023. Mr. Siddhesh Patil has experience in Finance sector for more than a decade at the senior position and will be adding value to the organization with his expertise and experience going hand in hand.

DIRECTOR'S RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT:

Pursuant to Section 134(3)(c) & 134(5) of the Companies Act, 2013, the Board of Directors of the Company hereby confirm that:

- i. In the preparation of the annual accounts, the applicable accounting standards have been followed along with proper explanation relating to material departures;
- ii. The directors have selected such accounting policies and applied them consistently and made judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent so as to give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company at the end of the financial year and of the loss of the company for that period;
- iii. Proper and sufficient care has been taken for the maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of this Act for safeguarding the assets of the company and for preventing and detecting fraud and other irregularities;
- iv. Proper annual accounts have been prepared on a going concern basis;
- v. Internal financial controls to be followed by the company and that such internal financial controls are adequate and were operating effectively; and
- vi. Proper systems to ensure compliance with the provisions of all applicable laws and that such systems were adequate and operating effectively.

DECLARATION BY INDEPENDENT DIRECTOR:

All Independent Directors have submitted the declaration of Independence, as required pursuant to Section 149(7) of the Act, stating that they meet the criteria of Independence as provided in section 149(6) of the Companies Act, 2013 and are not disqualified from continuing as Independent Directors.

EVALUATION OF DIRECTORS, COMMITTEE AND BOARD:

Pursuant to the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Listing Regulations, the Board of Directors has carried out evaluation of the Board, its Committees and Individual Directors. The evaluation process has been explained in the Report on Corporate Governance, which forms part of this Board's Report.

Also, the Independent Directors, at their meeting reviewed the performance of the Board, its Chairman and Non-Executive Directors of the Company.

NUMBER OF BOARD MEETINGS HELD DURING THE PERIOD:

A notice of the Board Meeting is circulated well in advance with Agenda, including detailed explanation to be discussed, to enable the Board to take an informed decision.

The intervening gap between the meetings was within the period prescribed under the Companies Act, 2013 and the Listing Agreement/Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

Further, 05 (Five) Board Meetings were held during the year ended 31st March 2024, the dates are May 30, 2023, July 05, 2023, August 14, 2023 November 09, 2023 and February 14, 2024. Detailed information on the Board Meetings with regard to attendance of each of the Directors thereat have been included in the Corporate Governance Report, which forms part of this Board Report.

Additionally, during the financial year ended 31st March 2024 a separate meeting of the Independent Directors was held on February 14, 2024, in compliance with the requirements of Schedule IV of the Companies Act, 2013 and Regulation 25(3) and 25(4) of the Listing Regulations.

Post the Independent Directors Meeting, the collective feedback of each of the Independent Director was scaled and measured on defined ratings, thereby covering the performance of Board as a whole, performance of the non-independent directors and performance of the Chairman.

COMMITTEES OF THE BOARD:

The Board of Directors of your company has constituted various committees in compliance with the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and Listing Regulations.

- Audit Committee
- Nomination & Remuneration Committee
- Stakeholder Relationship Committee

All decisions pertaining to the constitution of Committees, appointment of members and fixing of terms of reference/ role of the committees are taken by the Board of Directors. A detailed note on the Board and its Committees is provided under the Corporate Governance Section in this Annual Report.

NOMINATION & REMUNERATION POLICY:

The Board has, on the recommendation of the Nomination & Remuneration Committee framed a policy for selection and appointment of Directors, Senior Management and their remuneration. The appointment and Remuneration Policies stated in the Corporate Governance Report of the Company that forms part of the Annual Report.

PARTICULARS OF EMPLOYEES AND REMUNERATION:

Information as required under the provisions of Section 197(12) of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rule 5 of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014 (including any statutory modification(s)/amendment(s)/re-enactment thereof, for the time being in force), is set out in Annexure-I hereto, which forms part of this Board's Report.

DETAILS OF SUBSIDIARY/JOINT VENTURES/ASSOCIATE COMPANY:

The Company does not have any subsidiary or associate company and has not entered into joint venture with any other company during the financial year ended 31st March 2024. Accordingly, a statement under the provisions of Section 129(3) of the Companies Act, 2013, containing salient features of the financial statements of the Company's subsidiary(ies) in **Form AOC-1** is not enclosed.

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE REPORT:

As stipulated under the provision of Regulation 34 (3) read with Schedule V (c) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 a separate report on Corporate Governance Report forms integral part of this Board Report. The requisite compliance certificate as required under Part E of Schedule V of the Listing Regulation is issued by the Auditors, pertaining to the compliance of the conditions of Corporate Governance is Annexed thereto.

EXTRACT OF ANNUAL RETURN:

The extract of the Annual Return pursuant to the provisions of Section 92 read with Rule 12 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 is annexed herewith as Annexure -II to this report.

In accordance with the requirements mentioned under Section 134(3)(a) and Section 92(3) of the Act and circulars issued thereon, the Annual Return of the Company for the FY 2023-24 is available on the Company's website at <https://www.explicitfinance.net/>.

STATUTORY AUDITORS:

M/s. GMCS & Co., Chartered Accountants, (Firm Reg. No: 141236W) as a statutory auditor of the company, for a term of five consecutive years starting from Financial Year 2023-24 till the Annual General Meeting for the year ended March 31, 2028. The resolution passed at the Annual General Meeting of the meeting along with this consent and eligibility certificate.

AUDITORS' REPORT:

Independent Auditor's Report

There are no qualifications, reservation or adverse remark or disclaimer in the Independent Auditor's Report provided by M/s. GMCS & Co, Chartered Accountants, for the F.Y. 2023-2024. The notes to accounts forming part of financial statements are self-explanatory and need no further clarification.

Secretarial Audit Report:

Pursuant to Provision of Section 204 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rules framed there under Board of Directors have appointed M/s. Vishal Manseta, Practicing Company Secretaries to conduct Secretarial Audit. The Secretarial Audit Report for the Financial Year ended 31st March, 2024 forms the integral part of the Board Report as **Annexure-III**. There are no qualifications, reservation or adverse remark or disclaimer in Secretarial Audit Report.

DETAILS IN RESPECT OF FRAUDS REPORTED BY AUDITORS UNDER SUB-SECTION (12) OF SECTION 143 OTHER THAN THOSE WHICH ARE REPORTABLE TO THE CENTRAL GOVERNMENT:

There are no such frauds committed by the Company which are reported by auditors.

PARTICULARS OF LOANS, GUARAUNTEES OR INVESTMENTS:

Pursuant to Section 186 (11) of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 11(2) of the Companies (Meetings of Board and its Powers) Rules, 2014, the loan made, guarantee given or security provided in the ordinary course of business by a Non- Banking Financial Company (NBFC) registered with Reserve Bank of India are exempt from the applicability of provisions of Section 186 of the Act.

PARTICULARS OF CONTRACTS OR ARRANGEMENTS MADE WITH RELATED PARTIES:

All related party transactions that were entered into during the financial year were on arm's length basis and were in the ordinary course of the business. There are no materially significant related party transactions made by the company with Promoters, Key Managerial Personnel or other designated persons which may have potential conflict of interest with the company at large. Accordingly, disclosures of related party transactions in Form AOC-2 have not been furnished. All Related Party Transactions were placed before Audit Committee and Board for their approval. Your Company has formulated policy of Related Party Transaction which is also available on the website of the Company.

MATERIAL CHANGES AND COMMITMENT AFFECTING FINANCIAL POSITION OF THE COMPANY:

No material changes and commitments which could affect the Company's financial position have occurred till date of this report.

TRANSFER OF AMOUNTS TO INVESTOR EDUCATION AND PROTECTION FUND:

The Company does not have any funds lying unpaid or unclaimed for a period of seven years. Therefore, there were no funds which were required to be transferred to Investor Education and Protection Fund (IEPF).

CONSERVATION OF ENERGY, TECHNOLOGY ABSORPTION, FOREIGN EXCHANGE

EARNINGS AND OUTGO:

- **Conservation of Energy & Technology Absorption**

The Company is not engaged in manufacturing activities and therefore provisions relating to conservation of energy and technology absorption are not applicable to it. However, efforts are being made to minimize consumption of energy, wherever possible.

- **Foreign Exchange Earnings and Outgo**

During the year under review there were no Foreign Exchange earnings and outgo.

RISK MANAGEMENT POLICY:

The Board of Directors of the Company has approved Risk Management policy and guidelines, wherein all material risks faced by the company are identified and assessed. Moreover, in the said Risk Management Policy the Board has defined a structured approach to manage uncertainty, cultivating the same in their decision-making process pertaining to all business divisions and corporate functions. For each of the risks identified, corresponding controls are assessed and policies and procedures are put in place for monitoring, mitigating and reporting on periodic basis.

CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY:

The provisions of Corporate Social Responsibility are not applicable to the company as company does not fall into ambit of the provisions of section 135 of Companies Act, 2013 and Companies (Corporate Social Responsibility Policy) Rules, 2014.

ADEQUACY OF INTERNAL FINANCIAL CONTROL WITH REFERENCE TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS:

In respect of internal financial control, the Board has adopted the policies and procedures for ensuring the orderly and efficient conduct of its business, including adherence to the Company's policies, the safeguarding of its assets, the timely prevention and detection of frauds and errors, the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records and the timely preparation of reliable financial information. Further, the management regularly reviews the control for any possible changes and takes appropriate actions.

INTERNAL CONTROL SYSTEMS AND THEIR ADEQUACY:

The details in respect of internal control systems and their adequacy are included in the Management Discussion and Analysis Report, which forms part of this report.

CHANGES IN NATURE OF BUSINESS, IF ANY:

During the year under review there is no change in the nature of business of the Company.

VIGIL MECHANISM/WHISTLE BLOWER POLICY:

In pursuant to the provisions of section 177(9) and (10) of the Companies Act, 2013, a Whistle Blower Policy / Vigil Mechanism for directors and employees to report genuine concerns has been established by the Company in order to maintain highest standards of ethical, moral and legal conduct, adopted Vigil Mechanism/Whistle Blower policy to provide an avenue to its employees to raise concerns of any violations of legal or regulatory

requirements, incorrect or misrepresentations of any financial statements and reports, etc. The Audit committee of the company oversees the said mechanism from time to time. None of the Company personnel has been denied access to the Audit Committee. The Whistle Blower Policy of the Company is also available on the website of the Company www.explicitfinance.net.

DISCLOSURE UNDER THE HARASSMENT OF WOMEN AT WORKPLACE (PREVENTION, PROHIBITION AND REDRESSAL) ACT, 2013:

The company has in place an Anti-Harassment policy in line with the requirements of the sexual harassment of women at the workplace (Prevention, Prohibition & Redressal) Act, 2013. Internal Complaints Committee (ICC) has been set up to redress complaints received regarding sexual harassment. All employees (permanent, contractual, temporary, trainees) are covered under this policy. During the year under review, company has not received any Sexual Harassment Complaints. Company has zero tolerance policy in case of sexual harassment at workplace and is committed to provide a healthy environment to each and every employee of the company.

RBI GUIDELINES

The company continues to comply with all the requirements prescribed by the Reserve Bank of India from time to time as applicable.

SIGNIFICANT ORDERS PASSED BY REGULATORS, COURTS OR TRIBUNALS IMPACTING GOING CONCERN AND COMPANY'S OPERATIONS:

No orders have been passed by any Regulator or Court or Tribunal which can have an impact on the going concern status and the Company's operations in future.

COMPLIANCE WITH SECRETARIAL STANDARDS ON BOARD AND GENERAL MEETING:

Pursuant to Clause 9 of the Revised Secretarial Standard-1(SS-1) and Standard-2 (SS-2), your company has complied with applicable Secretarial Standard issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India during the financial year under review.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The Directors takes this opportunity to thank all their colleagues at Explicit Finance Ltd. for their professionalism and dedication to the task at hand. The board also wishes to place on record their appreciation for valuable support given by the Bankers, Clients and Shareholders.

For and on behalf of the Board of Directors

SD/-
Gopal Dave
DIN : 00334120

ANNEXURE- I

Particulars of Employees

Disclosure in Board's Report as per the provision Section 197 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 5(1) of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014 (as amended)

Sr. No	Requirements	Disclosures	
1	Ratio of remuneration of each director to median remuneration of employees for the financial year	Chairman & Managing Director – NA	
2	Percentage increase in remuneration of each Director, CFO, CEO, Company Secretary or Manager, if any, in the financial year	KMP	
		Mrs. Swati Dave* (Managing Director) Mr. Rajesh Nanda\$ (Managing Director)	0%
		Mrs. Taruna Boble# Mr. Siddhesh Patil@	0%
3	Percentage increase in median remuneration of employees in the financial year	10%	
4	Number of permanent employees on the rolls of the company	4 (Four)	
5	Average percentile increases already made in the salaries of employees other than the Managerial Personnel in the last financial year and its comparison with the percentile increase in the managerial remuneration and justification thereof and point out if there are any exceptional circumstances for increase in the managerial remuneration	The average increase in the salaries of employees was 10.00% and the average increase in the managerial remuneration during the last financial year was 0%.	
6	Affirmation that the remuneration is as per the remuneration policy of the company	Yes	

* Mrs. Swati dave has tendered resignation as Managing Director of the company w.e.f. August 07, 2023

\$ Mr. Rajesh Nanda was appointed as Managing Director w.e.f. August 14, 2023

Mrs. Taruna Boble has tendered resignation as CFO of the company w.e.f. July 14, 2023

@ Mr. Siddhesh Patil was appointed as CFO w.e.f. July 15, 2023

**ANNEXURE-II
FORM NO. MGT9**

EXTRACT OF ANNUAL RETURN as on financial year ended on 31st March 2024

Pursuant to Section 92 (3) of the Companies Act, 2013 and rule 12(1) of the Company (Management & Administration) Rules, 2014.

I. REGISTRATION & OTHER DETAILS:

1	CIN	L65990MH1994PLC076788
2	Registration Date	24-02-1994
3	Name of the Company	EXPLICIT FINANCE LIMITED
4	Category/Sub-category of the Company	Public Ltd/ Company Limited by Shares
5	Address of the Registered office & contact details	305, Sohan Commercial Plaza, Vasai (E), Palghar - 401210
6	Whether listed company	Listed
7	Name, Address & contact details of the Registrar & Transfer Agent, if any.	M/s Adroit Corporate Services Private Limited 17-20, Jafferbhoy Industrial Estate, Makhwana Rd, Marol Andheri (East) Mumbai (M.H.) -400 059 Tel: 022-42270400

II. PRINCIPAL BUSINESS ACTIVITIES OF THE COMPANY

(All the business activities contributing 10 % or more of the total turnover of the company shall be stated)

S. No.	Name and Description of main products / services	NIC Code of the Product/service	% to total turnover of the company
1	Finance & Investment activities	6492	100%

III. PARTICULARS OF HOLDING, SUBSIDIARY AND ASSOCIATE COMPANIES

S N	Name and address of the Company	CIN/G LN	Holding/ Subsidiary / Associate	% of shares held	Applicable Section
	N.A	N.A	N.A	N.A	N.A

IV. SHAREHOLDING PATTERN

Category of Shareholders	No. of Shares held at the beginning of the year [As on 31-March-2023]				No. of Shares held at the end of the year [As on 31-March-2024]				% Change during the year
	Demat	Physical	Total	% of	Demat	Physical	Total	% of Total	
A. Promoters									
(1) Indian									
a) Individual/ HUF	1,75,800	-	1,75,800	1.90%	1,75,800	-	1,75,800	1.90%	0.00%
b) Central Govt	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
c) State Govt(s)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
d) Bodies Corp.	9,45,000	-	9,45,000	10.20%	9,45,000	-	9,45,000	10.20%	0.00%
e) Banks / FI	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sub Total (A) (1)	11,20,800	-	11,20,800	12.09%	11,20,800	-	11,20,800	12.09%	0.00%
(2) Foreign									
a) NRI Individuals	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
b) Other Individuals	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
c) Bodies Corp.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
d) Any other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sub Total (A) (2)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL (A)	11,20,800	-	11,20,800	12.09%	11,20,800	-	11,20,800	12.09%	0.00%
B. Public Shareholding									
1. Institutions									
a) Mutual Funds	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
b) Banks / FI	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
c) Central Govt	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
d) State Govt(s)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
e) Venture Capital	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
f) Insurance Companies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
g) FIIs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
h) Foreign Venture Capital Funds	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
i) Others (specify)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sub-total (B)(1):-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2. Non-Institutions									
a) Bodies Corp.									
i) Indian	50,99,915	1,11,000	52,10,915	56.23%	50,94,450	1,11,000	52,05,450	56.17%	-0.06%
ii) Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

b) Individuals									
i) Individual shareholders holding nominal share capital upto Rs.2 lakh	8,48,383	11,59,599	20,07,982	21.67%	9,43,046	11,34,199	20,77,245	22.41%	0.74%
ii) Individual shareholders holding nominal share capital in excess of Rs 2 lakh	7,72,091	1,03,500	8,75,591	9.45%	7,71,512	54,100	8,25,612	8.91%	-0.54%
c) Others (specify)									
Non Resident Indians	2,725	9,200	11,925	0.13%	200	4,400	4,600	0.05%	-0.07%
Overseas Corporate Bodies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Foreign Nationals	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Clearing Members	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
HUF	40,387	-	40,387	0.44%	33,893	-	33,893	0.37%	-0.07%
Trusts	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Foreign Bodies - DR	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sub-total (B)(2):-	67,63,501	13,83,299	81,46,800	87.35%	68,43,101	13,03,699	81,46,800	87.91%	0.00%
Total Public (B)	67,63,501	13,83,299	81,46,800	87.91%	68,43,101	13,03,699	81,46,800	87.91%	0.00%
C. Shares held by Non-Promoter Non-Public	-	-	-						
Total	78,84,301	13,83,299	92,67,600	100.00%	79,63,901	13,03,699	92,67,600	100.00%	0.00%

V. INDEBTEDNESS

Indebtedness of the Company including interest outstanding/accrued but not due for payment.(Am. Rs./Lacs)

Particulars	Secured Loans	Unsecured	Deposits	
Indebtedness at the beginning of the financial year				
i) Principal Amount	Nil	Nil	Nil	
ii) Interest due but not paid	Nil	Nil	Nil	
iii) Interest accrued but not due	Nil	Nil	Nil	
Total (i+ii+iii)	-	-	-	
Change in Indebtedness during the financial year				
* Addition	Nil	Nil	Nil	
* Reduction	Nil	Nil	Nil	
Net Change	-	-	-	
Indebtedness at the end of the financial year				
i) Principal Amount	Nil	Nil	Nil	
ii) Interest due but not paid	Nil	Nil	Nil	
iii) Interest accrued but not due	Nil	Nil	Nil	
Total (i+ii+iii)	-	-	-	

VI. REMUNERATION OF DIRECTORS AND KEYMANAGERIAL PERSONNEL

Remuneration to Managing Director, Whole-time Directors and/or Manager: Name of the Managing Director:-

- a) Mrs. Swati Dave till August 07, 2023.

Sr	Particulars of Remuneration	Total
1	Gross salary	1 Lacs
	(a) Salary as per provisions contained in section 17(1) of the Income-tax Act, 1961	-
	(b) Value of perquisites u/s 17(2) Income-tax Act, 1961	
	(c) Profits in lieu of salary under section 17(3) Income- tax Act, 1961	
2	Stock Option	-
3	Sweat Equity	-
4	Commission	-
	- as % of profit	
	- others, specify	
5	Others, please specify	
	Total (A)	1 Lacs
	Ceiling as per the Act	
	- as % of profit	
	- others, specify	
6	Others, please specify	

VII. PENALTIES / PUNISHMENT/ COMPOUNDING OF OFFENCES:

Type	Section of the Companies Act	Brief Description	Details of Penalty / Punishment/ Compounding fees	Authority [RD / NCLT/ COURT]	Appeal made, if any (give details)
THERE ARE NO PENALTIES OR PUNISHMENT LEVIED ON THE COMPANY AND/OR DIRECTORS DURING THE FINANCIAL YEAR 2023-24					

Annexure – III
FORM NO. MR - 3
SECRETARIAL AUDIT REPORT

FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2024

[Pursuant to Section 204(1) of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rule 9 of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014]

To,
The Members,
Explicit Finance Limited
305, Sohan Commercial Plaza,
Vasai (East)
Palghar - 401 210.

I have conducted the secretarial audit of the compliance of applicable statutory provisions and the adherence to good corporate governance practices adopted by **Explicit Finance Limited** (hereinafter called '**the Company**') for the period from April 01, 2023 to March 31, 2024. Secretarial Audit was conducted in a manner that provided a reasonable basis for evaluating the corporate conducts / statutory compliances and expressing my opinion thereon.

- i) Based on my verification of the Company's books, papers, minute books, forms and returns filed and other records maintained by the Company and also the information provided by the Company, its officers, agents and authorized representatives during the conduct of secretarial audit, I hereby report that in my opinion, the Company has, during the audit period complied with the statutory provisions listed hereunder and also that the Company has proper Board-processes and compliance mechanism in place to the extent, in the manner and subject to the reporting made hereinafter:

I have examined the books, papers, minute books, forms and returns filed and other records maintained by the Company for the financial year ended March 31, 2024 according to the provisions of:

- ii) The Companies Act, 2013 ('**the Act**') and the rules made thereunder;

As per documents, information and explanation provided to me for inspection, the Company has maintained minutes book, statutory registers and has filed such e-forms as may be required by the Act and the rules made thereunder.

- iii) The Securities Contracts (Regulation) Act, 1956 ('**SCRA**') and the rules made thereunder;

→Not Applicable

- iv) Foreign Exchange Management Act, 1999 and the rules and regulations made thereunder to the extent of Foreign Direct Investment and Overseas Direct Investment (External Commercial Borrowings is not applicable to the Company during the audit period);

→Not Applicable

- v) The following Regulations and Guidelines prescribed under the Securities and Exchange Board of India Act, 1992 ('**SEBI Act**')

- a. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011;

→Not Applicable

- b. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015;

The company has generally complied with the regulations during the audit period.

- c. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018;

→Not Applicable

- d. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Share Based Employee Benefits and Sweat Equity) Regulations, 2021;

→Not Applicable

- e. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Non-Convertible Securities) Regulations, 2021;

→Not Applicable

- f. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Registrars to an Issue and Share Transfer Agents) Regulations, 1993 regarding the Companies Act and dealing with client;

- g. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Delisting of Equity Shares) Regulations, 2021;

→Not Applicable and

- h. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Buy-back of Securities) Regulations, 2018;

→Not Applicable

vi) The list of other acts / regulations specifically applicable to the Company are as under:

- a. Tax Deducted at Source (TDS) under Income Tax Act, 1961 & Indirect tax related statutes.

I have also examined compliance with the applicable clauses of the following:

- (i) Secretarial Standards issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India; and
- (ii) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (the Listing Regulations).

I report that during the period under review, the Company has complied with the provisions of the Act, Rules, Regulations, Guidelines, Standards etc. mentioned above to the extent applicable.

I further report that:

- (i) The Board of Directors of the Company is duly constituted with proper balance of Executive Directors, Non-Executive Directors and Independent Directors. The changes in the composition of the Board of Directors that took place during the period under review were carried out in compliance with the provisions of the Act and the Listing Regulations.
- (ii) The Board-level committees are duly constituted in line with the provisions of the Act read with rules made thereunder and the Listing Regulations read with circulars issued thereon.
- (iii) There was no change in composition of the Board of Directors of the Company during the audit period
- (iv) Adequate notice was given to all directors to schedule the Board / Committees meetings, agenda and detailed notes on agenda were sent at least seven days in advance to the extent possible, and a system exists for seeking and obtaining further information and clarifications on the agenda items before the meeting and for meaningful participation at the meeting. There was no gap of more than 120 days between two board meetings. All the Independent Directors as on 31st March, 2024 are registered in data bank of Independent Directors’.
- (v) All the decisions in the meeting of the Board of Directors / Committees were passed unanimously. In case of resolution(s) involving interest of any one of the directors present in the meeting, the respective director has abstained / recused from discussion and voting on such resolution(s).

I further report that:

- (i) No special resolutions were passed by the members at the 29th Annual General Meeting of the Company held on September 30, 2023.

I further report that there are adequate systems and processes in the Company commensurate with the size and operations of the Company to monitor and ensure compliance with applicable laws, rules, regulations and guidelines.

I further report that during the audit period, there are no specific events /actions undertaken by the Company, having a bearing on the Company’s affairs in pursuance of the above referred laws, rules, regulations, guidelines, standards, *etc.*

**For Vishal N. Manseta
Practicing Company Secretary**

Place: Mumbai

Date : August 28, 2024

UDIN: A025183F001066476

**Vishal N. Manseta
CP No : 8981
ACS No : 25183
PRC No.:1584/2021**

Annexure-A

To
The Members,
Explicit Finance Limited
305, Sohan Commercial Plaza,
Vasai (E), Palghar - 401210

Our report of even date is to be read along with this letter.

1. Maintenance of secretarial record is the responsibility of the management of the company. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these secretarial records based on our audit.
2. We have followed the audit practices and processes as applicable to obtain reasonable assurance about the correctness of the contents of the Secretarial records. The verification was done on test basis to ensure that correct facts are reflected in secretarial records. We believe that the processes and practices, we followed provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.
3. We have not verified the correctness and appropriateness of financial records and Books of Account of the company.
4. Where ever required, we have obtained the management representation about the compliance of laws, rules and regulations and happening of events, etc.
5. The compliance of the provisions of Corporate and other applicable laws, rules, regulations, standards is the responsibility of management. Our examination was limited to the verification of procedures on test basis.
6. The Secretarial Audit report is neither an assurance as to the future viability of the company nor of the efficacy or effectiveness with which the management has conducted the affairs of the company.

For **Vishal N. Manseta**
(Practicing Company Secretary)

Place: Mumbai
Date: 28-08-2024

Vishal N. Manseta
M. No : 25183
C.P. No: 8981
PRC No.: 1584/2021

REPORT ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

The Report is in compliance with the principles of Corporate Governance as prescribed by The Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

1. COMPANY’S PHILOSOPHY ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

- Ensure that quantity, quality and frequency of financial and managerial information, which management shares with the Board are fully in control of the Company’s affairs.
- Ensure that the Board exercises its fiduciary responsibilities towards Shareholders and Creditors, thereby ensuring high accountability.
- Ensure that the extent to which the information is disclosed to present and potential investors is maximized.
- Ensure that the Board, the employees and all concerned are fully committed to maximizing long-term value to the Shareholders and the Company through ethical business conduct.

2. BOARD OF DIRECTORS & BOARD MEETINGS:

a. Composition:

Board of Directors (“the Board”) facilitates effective fulfillment of the Board’s tasks and provides leadership and guidance to the Company’s management and helps in supervising the performance of the Company and helps achieving goals. The Board is comprised of experienced professionals drawn from diverse fields.

The composition of the Board complies with the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. As on 31st March, 2024 the Board comprised of Six Directors, out of which 1 (One) is Executive Director, 2 (Two) are Non-Executive Non Independent Director and 3 (Three) are Non-Executive Independent Directors.

b. Board Meetings:

During the Financial Year 2023-2024, 4 (Four) Board Meetings were held on 30-05.2023, 14-08-2023, 09-11-2023 and 14-02-2024.

c. The composition of the Board, Directorships/Membership of Committee of other Companies as on 31st March 2024, no. of meetings held and attended during the financial year are as under:

Sr. No.	Name of director	Designation & Category	Relation with other directors	Number of shares held by the director	Number of Board Meeting attended	Attendance of previous AGM held on 30 th September, 2023	Directorship in another Public Ltd. Companies *	Directorship in another listed entities & category
1.	@Mr. Rajesh Nanda	Managing Director, Executive	-	Nil	3	Yes	-	-

2.	Mr. Avinash Mainkar	Non-Executive Director	-	72,800	5	Yes	-	-
3.	@Ms. Hetal Bhanushali	Non- Executive, Independent Director		NIL	3	Yes	-	-
4.	Mr. Gopal Dave	Non- Executive, Non-Independent Director	-	103,000	5	Yes	-	-
5.	Mr. Pushpraj Mayekar	Non- Executive, Independent Director	-	NIL	5	Yes	-	-
6.	Mr. Jitendra Bhanushali	Non- Executive, Independent Director	-	NIL	4	Yes	-	-
7.	\$Mr. Jayesh Jain	Non- Executive, Independent Director	-	NIL	2	Yes	-	-
8.	\$Ms. Swati Dave	Managing Director	-	NIL	2	Yes	-	-

Notes :

@ Mr. Rajesh Nanda and Ms. Hetal Bhanushali appointed w.e.f. August 14, 2023.

\$ Mr. Jayesh Jain resigned w.e.f. July 24, 2023 and Mrs. Swati Dave resigned w.e.f. August 07, 2023.

*As required under Regulation 26 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements), Regulation 2015, it does not include directorship in Foreign Companies, companies registered under Section 8 of the Companies Act, 2013 and private limited companies.

The Board periodically reviews the compliance report of all laws applicable to the Company. All the Directors have made necessary disclosures about the directorships and committee positions they occupy in other companies.

None of the Directors on Board is Member of Board level committees and Chairman of such committees, across all other public/Listed Ltd. companies in which he or she is a director.

d. Particulars of Directors seeking appointment and re-appointment:

As required under Regulation 36(3) of the SEBI Listing Regulations, particulars of Director(s) seeking re-appointment at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting (AGM) are given in the Annexure to the Notice convening the said AGM.

e. Code of Conduct:

The Company has adopted a Code of Conduct for its Board Members and Senior Management and has posted the Code on the website of the Company in terms of Regulation 17 (5) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (Listing Regulations). The Managing Director has affirmed the compliance of the Code of Conduct by the Board Members and Senior Management for the year under review. A declaration to this effect signed by the Managing Director, Mr. Rajesh Nanda forms part of this report.

f. Board Independence:

Based on the confirmation/disclosures received from the Directors, 3 Non-Executive Directors are independent in terms of Section 149(6) of the Companies Act, 2013 and Regulation 16(1) of the Listing Regulations.

There are no material pecuniary relationships or transactions between the Independent Directors and the Company. Company does not pay any compensation and sitting fees to Non-Executive Directors.

g. Directors' Induction & Familiarization:

The Independent Directors are familiarized, with the Company, their duties, roles and responsibilities, the nature of the industry, the business model of the Company, in line with the "Familiarization programme of Independent Directors", the details of which can be viewed at company's website and the web link for the same is: <http://www.explicitfinance.net>

h. Board Evaluation:

During the financial year under review, the Board of Directors/Independent Directors/Nomination and Remuneration Committee (as applicable) has carried out an annual evaluation of its own performance, performance of all individual Directors including Independent Directors, the performance of its Committees and the evaluation of Chairman of the Board, in terms of provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and Regulation 25(3) and (4) of the Listing Regulations.

Separate exercise was carried out to evaluate the performance of individual Directors including the Board Chairman who were evaluated on parameters such as attendance, contribution at the meetings and otherwise, independent judgment, safeguarding of minority shareholders interest etc. The performance evaluation of the Independent Directors was carried out by the entire Board, excluding the Director being evaluated. The performance evaluation of the Chairman and the Non-Independent Directors was carried out by the Independent Directors who also reviewed the performance of the Board as a whole.

i. Matrix/Table Containing Skills, Expertise and Competencies of the Board of Directors:

The Board Members are from diversified areas having the required knowledge. Competency, skills, and experience to effectively discharge their responsibilities. The range of experience of the Board Members includes in the areas of Banking & Finance, Taxation and Legal.

The broad policies are framed by the Board of Directors. All strategic decisions are taken by the Board after due deliberation between the Board Members which consists of Managing Director, Executive Directors, Non-Executive Director and, Independent Directors. The Company has identified and broadly categorized its Core Skills, Expertise and Competencies as mentioned hereunder:

Matrix/Table of Core Skills, Expertise and Competencies of Board of Directors as Whole

Particulars	Detailed List of Core Skills, Expertise and Competencies
Core Skills	Strategic policy formulation and advising, Regulatory framework knowledge, financial performance, advising on Risk mitigation and Compliance requirements
Expertise	Knowledge of, Commercial acumen and able to guide in building the right environment for Human Assets Development
Competencies	Strategic Leadership, execution of policies framed by the Board, identifying the growth areas for expanding the business in India and advising on Business Risks & environment.

j. Board Confirmation on Independent director:

In the opinion of the board, the independent directors fulfill the condition specified in SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosures Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and are independent of the management.

3. AUDIT COMMITTEE

The audit committee comprised of

1. Mr. Pushpraj Mayekar - Chairman & Non-Executive, Independent Director
2. Mr. Gopal Dave - Member & Non-Executive, Non-Independent
3. Mr. Jitendra Bhanushali - Member & Non-Executive, Independent Director

The Audit Committee comprises of experts specializing in accounting / financial management. All the members of the Audit Committee are 'financially literate'. Moreover, the Audit Committee has members, who have 'accounting or related financial management expertise'.

Statutory Auditors are also invited to attend the meetings.

Mr. Jayesh Jain, Independent Director and member of audit committee resigned w.e.f July 24, 2023.

a. Meetings & Attendance

The Audit Committee has four (4) meetings during the Financial Year 2023-2024 and were held on the following dates:

Sr. No	Name of Director	Number of meetings eligible to attend	Number of meetings attended
1	Mr. Jayesh Jain	1	1
2	Mr. Pushparaj Mayekar	4	4
3	Mr. Jitendra Bhanushali	3	3
4	Mr. Gopal Dave	4	4

The Audit Committee Meetings were held on 30-05-2023, 14-08-2023, 09-11-2023 and 14-02-2024 which were attended by all the members.

All the members have attended all the meetings.

- b. The terms of reference of the Audit Committee are in line with Section 177 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Regulation 18 of the Listing Regulations.

The terms of reference of audit committee are briefly described as follows:

The terms of reference of the Audit Committee were enlarged by the Board in order to cover the matters specified under revised Regulation 18 of Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and Section 177 of the Companies Act, 2013. This Committee has powers and roles comprising of Financial Reporting and disclosure, recommendation of appointment/removal of Auditors, reviewing of company's results, evaluation of Independent Directors performances, and other powers as mentioned in the Regulation 18(3) Part C of Schedule II of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and section 177 of The Companies Act, 2013.

4. NOMINATION AND REMUNERATION COMMITTEE (NRC)

Remuneration Committee comprised of

1. Mr. Pushpraj Mayekar - Chairman & Non-Executive, Independent Director
2. Mr. Jitendra Bhanushali - Member & Non-Executive, Independent Director
3. Mr. Gopal Dave - Member and Non-Executive Non-Independent Director

Mr. Jayesh Jain, Independent Director and member of nomination and remuneration committee resigned w.e.f July 24, 2023.

Sr. No	Name of Director	Number of meetings eligible to attend	Number of meetings attended
1	Mr. Jayesh Jain	1	1
2	Mr. Pushparaj Mayekar	4	4
3	Mr. Jitendra Bhanushali	3	3
4	Mr. Gopal Dave	4	4

The Nomination and Remuneration Committee Meetings were held on 30-05-2023, 14-08-2023, 09-11-2023 and 14-02-2024 which were attended by all the members.

- a. The terms of reference and role of the Nomination & Remuneration Committee as per the provisions of Section 178 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Regulation 19 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (Listing Regulations) are as under:

Nomination and Remuneration Committee formulates criteria for determining qualifications, positive attributes and independence of a director and recommend to the board of directors a policy relating to, the remuneration of the directors, key managerial personnel and other employees, formulating criteria for evaluation of performance of independent directors and the board of directors, identifying persons who are qualified to become directors and who may be appointed in senior management in accordance with the criteria laid down, and recommend to the board of directors their appointment and removal, and such other roles as per section 178 of the Companies Act, 2013, Regulation 19 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

- b. Remuneration of Executive Directors:

Remuneration of Rs. 1,00,000/- was paid to the Managing Director during the financial year 2023-2024.

The Company currently does not pay any compensation and sitting fees to Non-Executive Directors. The Company currently has no stock option plans for any of its Directors and hence it does not form part of the remuneration package payable to the Managing Director. During the year under review, none of the Directors was paid any performance linked incentive. No Severance fees is payable to him on termination of employment.

There is no pecuniary relationship or transactions of the Non-Executive Directors vis-a-vis the Company and as per the present criteria.

- c. Performance evaluation criteria for Independent Directors:

One of the key functions of the Board is to monitor and review the Board evaluation framework. The Board works with the Nomination and Remuneration Committee to lay down the evaluation criteria for the performance evaluation of Executive/Non-Executive/Independent Directors. The questionnaire of the survey is a key part of the process of reviewing the functioning and effectiveness of the Board and for identifying possible paths for improvement.

The following are the criteria on the basis of which the Directors are evaluated:

- 1) Knowledge to perform the role.
- 2) Time and Level of Participation.

- 3) Performance of Duties and Level of Oversight.
- 4) Professional Conduct and Independence.

d. Appointment and Remuneration Policy:

The Committee has adopted a Charter which, inter alia, deals with the manner of selection of Board of Directors, CEO & Managing Director, Key Managerial Personnel and their remuneration. This Policy is accordingly derived from the said Charter.

This Committee has powers to recommend/ approve remuneration, Identification of Persons who are qualified to become director, Recommend to the Board their appointment and removal, approve remuneration of Non- Executive Directors.

- Criteria of selection of Non-Executive Directors:

The Non-Executive Directors shall be of high integrity with relevant expertise and experience so as to have a diverse Board with Directors having expertise in the fields of marketing, finance, taxation, law, governance and general management. In case of appointment of Independent Directors, the Committee shall satisfy itself with regard to the independent nature of the Directors vis-à-vis the Company so as to enable the Board to discharge its function and duties effectively

The Committee shall ensure that the candidate identified for appointment as a Director is not disqualified for appointment under Section 164 of the Companies Act, 2013. The Committee shall consider the following attributes / criteria, whilst recommending to the Board the candidature for appointment as Director.

- 1) Qualification, expertise and experience of the Directors in their respective fields;
- 2) Personal, Professional or business standing;
- 3) Diversity of the Board

In case of re-appointment of Non-Executive Directors, the Board shall take into consideration the performance evaluation of the Director and his engagement level.

- CEO & Managing Director - Criteria for selection / appointment:

For the purpose of selection of the CEO & MD, the Committee shall identify persons of integrity who possess relevant expertise, experience and leadership qualities required for the position and shall take into consideration recommendation, if any, received from any member of the Board.

The Committee will also ensure that the incumbent fulfills such other criteria with regard to age and other qualifications as laid down under the Companies Act, 2013 or other applicable laws.

- Remuneration for the CEO & Managing Director:

At the time of appointment or re-appointment, the CEO & Managing Director shall be paid such remuneration as may be mutually agreed between the Company (which includes the Nomination and Remuneration Committee and the Board of Directors) and the CEO & Managing Director within the overall limits prescribed under the Companies Act, 2013.

The remuneration of the CEO & Managing Director comprises only of fixed component. The fixed component comprises salary, allowances and perquisites.

- Remuneration Policy for the Senior Management Employees:

In determining the remuneration of the Senior Management Employees (i.e. KMPs and Executive Committee Members) the Committee shall ensure the relationship of remuneration and performance benchmark is clear.

The Managing Director will carry out the individual performance review based on the criticality of roles played and responsibility shouldered, overall experience and personal traits, annual increments are determined based on individual performance

5. STAKEHOLDERS RELATIONSHIP COMMITTEE

In compliance with the provisions of section 178 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Regulation 20 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, the Board has constituted Stakeholders Relationship Committee and the terms of reference of said Committee are as follows:

To look into the redressal of complaints of security-holders on matters relating to transfer of shares, dematerialization of shares, non-receipt of annual report, non-receipt of dividend, matters relating to issue of new share certificates etc.

To look into matters that can facilitate better security-holders services and relations.

To consider and approve issue of share certificates on requests for duplicate certificates, consolidation of folios etc. To do all such acts, deeds, matters and things as may be necessary or expedient for performing any of the above acts.

The details of composition of the Committee are as under:

Sr. No	Name of Director	Number of meetings eligible to attend	Number of meetings attended
1	Mr. Jayesh Jain	1	1
2	Mr. Pushparaj Mayekar	4	4
3	Mr. Jitendra Bhanushali	3	3
4	Mr. Gopal Dave	4	4

Mr. Jayesh Jain, Independent Director and chairman of stakeholders relationship committee resigned w.e.f July 24, 2023.

The Stakeholders Relationship Committee has Four (4) meetings during the Financial Year 2023-2024 and were held on 30-05-2023, 14-08-2023, 09-11-2023 and 14-02-2024 which were attended by all the members.

There were no investors complaints received during the year. There were no requests for share transfer/transmission/deletions of names etc. pending as on 31st March 2024 and all such requests were processed and delivered within prescribed time of lodgment with the Company.

Mr. Avinash Mainkar, Company Secretary has been designated as the Compliance Officer of the Company as per the requirement of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations & Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

6. SEPARATE MEETING OF INDEPENDENT DIRECTORS

During the financial year under review, in Compliance with the requirements of Schedule IV of the Companies Act, 2013 and Regulation 25(3) and 25(4) of the Listing Regulations, a separate meeting of Independent Directors was held, on 14-02-2024 *inter alia* to:

1. Review the performance of Non-Independent Directors and the Board as a whole;
2. Review the performance of the Chairperson of the Company taking into account the views of the Executive Director and the Non-Executive Director;
3. Assess the quality, quantity and functions of flow of information between the Company management and the Board that is necessary for the Board to effectively and reasonably perform their duties.

7. GENERAL BODY MEETINGS

Financial Year	Day & Date of the Meeting	No. of Special Resolution(s) passed	Special Resolutions passed
2020-21	Thursday 30 th September, 2021 at 9.30 A.M. at 305, Sohan Commercial Plaza, Vasai (E), Palghar – 401210	-	No special resolutions passed.
2021-2022	Thursday 30 th September, 2022 at 9.30 A.M. at 305, Sohan Commercial Plaza, Vasai (E), Palghar - 401210	-	No special resolutions passed.
2022-2023	Saturday, 30 th September 2023 at 9.30 A.M. (IST) at 305, Sohan Commercial Plaza, Vasai (E), Palghar - 401210	-	No special resolutions passed.

During the financial year under review, no special resolution was passed through Postal Ballot.

8. MEANS OF COMMUNICATIONS

The Company has promptly reported all material information including Quarterly Results and press releases to the BSE Ltd. where the Company's securities are listed. The quarterly results were communicated to the shareholders by way of advertisement in a national daily and in a vernacular language newspaper. Also same are posted on our website: www.explicitfinance.net Further, all other price sensitive and other information is sent to the Stock Exchange where shares of the Company are listed, enabling them to display the same on their website.

The Company has made no presentation to any Institutional Investors/Analysts during the financial year. Management Discussion and Analysis is covered as part of this Annual Report.

Further, Company has in place the (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015 which came in to force from 15th May, 2015. Accordingly, the Directors have approved and adopted the ‘Code of internal procedures and conduct for regulating, monitoring and reporting of trading by insiders’ in terms of SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015 (“Code”). Company Secretary is the Compliance Officer for the purpose of this Code.

9. General Shareholder Information

A) Annual General Meeting

Day, Date and Time	Monday, 30 th September, 2024 at 9.30 A.M.
Venue	305, Sohan Commercial Plaza, Vasai (E), Palghar -401210

B) Schedule of Board Meeting

For the quarter ended June 30, 2024	held on August 14, 2024
For the quarter and half ended September 30, 2024	On or before November 14, 2024
For the quarter and nine months ended December 31, 2024	On or before February 14, 2024
For the Quarter and year ended March 31, 2025	On or before May 30, 2025

C) Financial Year:

The Company follows April- March as its financial year. The results for every quarter are declared within prescribed time as per the Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligation and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

D) Book Closure:

The book closure period is from Sunday September 26, 2024 till Saturday September 30, 2024.

E) Dividend :

The Company has not declared any dividend for the year ended March 31, 2024.

F) Listing on Stock Exchange:

The Company's shares are listed on Bombay Stock Exchange Limited (BSE), PhirozeJeejeebhoy Towers, Dalal Street, Fort, Mumbai – 400 001.

The company has paid the listing fees for the financial year 2024-25 for the stock exchange on which Company's shares are listed.

G) Stock Code:

BSE Security Code	530571
ISIN	INE335G01019
CIN Number	L65990MH1994PLC076788

H) Market Price Data

Month	High (Rs.)	Low (Rs.)
Apr – 23	5.14	4.45
May – 23	4.65	4.45
June – 23	4.87	4.51
July – 23	4.73	3.32
Aug – 23	3.65	2.95
Sep – 23	4.40	3.00
Oct – 23	8.81	4.40
Nov – 23	7.69	5.42
Dec – 23	6.30	4.76
Jan – 24	7.50	5.94
Feb – 24	7.86	6.57
Mar – 24	8.08	6.35

I) Registrar and Transfer Agent

Adroit Corporate Services Private Limited is the Registrar and Transfer Agent of the Company.

J) Share Transfer System

The application for Transfer, Transmission and issue of duplicate shares are received at the office of Registrar and Share Transfer Agent. If the Transfers & Transmission documents are in order, the Transfers & Transmission of shares in physical form is processed with prescribed time from the date of receipt of documents complete in all respect.

K) Distribution of Shareholding

Distribution range of Shares	Share holders		Share holdings	
	Number	%	No. of Shares	%
Upto-5000	1641	66.76	3,32,689	3.59
5001-10000	390	15.87	3,36,904	3.64
10001-20000	189	7.69	2,97,803	3.21
20001-30000	59	2.40	1,50,389	1.62
30001-40000	50	2.03	1,80,503	1.95
40001-50000	25	1.02	1,17,490	1.27
50001-100000	54	2.20	3,98,147	4.30
100001 & Above	50	2.03	74,53,675	80.42
Total	2458	100	9267600	100

L) Shareholding pattern as on March 31, 2024

Sr. No.	Categories	No. of shares	% of Shareholding
1	Promoter and promoter group	11,20,800	12.09%
2	Private Corporate Bodies	52,05,450	56.17%
3	Residential Individual	29,36,750	31.69%
4	NRI/OCBs/HUF	38,493	0.42%
5	Mutual Fund/Bank/FII	0	
6	Corporate Body –Broker	0	
7	Clearing Member	0	
Total		92,67,600	

M) Dematerialization of Shares:

Your Company's Shares are traded compulsorily in electronic form and company has established connectivity with both the depositories. i.e National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL) and Central Depository Service (India) Limited (CDSL).

As on 31st March, 2024, 85.93 % of shares have been held in Dematerialized form and rest are in physical form. Entire promoter's shareholding is in dematerialized form (100%)

N) Outstanding GDR's/ADRs/Warrants/Convertible Instruments and their impact on Equity the Company has not issued any GDR's /ADRs / Convertible Instruments.

O) Address for correspondence

Shareholders, beneficial owners and depository participants (DPs) are requested to send /deliver the documents/Correspondence relating to the Company's share transfer activity etc. to Adroit Corporate Services Private Limited as our Registrar and Transfer Agent of the Company at the following addresses:

Adroit Corporate Services Private Limited. Unit: Explicit Finance Limited.

17-20, Jaferbhoy Industrial Estate, 1st Floor, Makwana Road, Marol Naka, Andheri (East), Mumbai-400 059

Tel No.: 42270400

Email: info@adroitcorporate.com

For the benefit of shareholders, documents will continue to be accepted at the following registered office of the Company:

Explicit Finance Ltd.

305, Sohan Commercial Plaza, Vasai (E), Palghar – 401210

10. OTHER DISCLOSURES

a. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The transactions with related parties as per Ind AS - 24 are set out in Notes to accounts under Note no. 24 forming part of financial statements. All transactions entered into with Related Parties as defined under the Companies Act, 2013 and Regulation 19 of Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 during the financial year were in the ordinary course of business and on an arm's length pricing basis. There were no materially significant

transactions with related parties during the financial year which were in conflict with the interest of the Company.

The Company has framed Related Party Transaction Policy and is placed on the Company's website and the web link for the same is: www.explicitfinance.net

b. DETAILS OF NON-COMPLIANCE(S) BY THE COMPANY

Company has complied with the requirements of the Stock Exchange/SEBI and/or Statutory Authority on all matters related to capital markets during last three years. There are no penalties imposed on the company by the Stock Exchanges or SEBI or any authorities.

c. WHISTLE BLOWER POLICY/VIGIL MECHANISM

The Company has formulated Whistle Blower Policy for vigil mechanism as defined under Regulation 22 of SEBI Listing Regulations for directors and employees to report unethical behavior, fraud or violation of the code of conduct of the Company. The policy provides adequate safeguards against victimization of director(s) /employee(s) who avail the mechanism. During the year under review, no employee was denied access to the Audit Committee. During the year under review, there were no instances of whistleblower reported.

d. COMPLIANCE

The Company has complied with the mandatory requirements in terms of the Corporate Governance guidelines. Adoption of discretionary requirement of SEBI Listing Regulations is being reviewed by the company from time to time.

e. SUBSIDIARY COMPANIES:

The Company does not have any material non-listed Indian subsidiary company in terms of Regulation 16 of the Listing Regulations.

f. COMMODITY PRICE RISK/ FOREIGN EXCHANGE RISK AND HEDGING

The Company did not engage in hedging activities.

g. CERTIFICATE UNDER REGULATION 34(3) OF SEBI LISTING REGULATION

Company has obtain a certificate pursuant to the Regulation 34(3) read with Schedule V of the Listing Regulations M/s Vishal Manseta, Practicing company secretaries confirming that none of the directors

on the board of the company have been debarred or disqualified from being appointed or continuing as directors of companies by Securities and Exchange Board of India or the Ministry of Corporate Affairs or any other statutory authorities. The said certificate forms part of this report.

h. FEES PAID TO STATUTORY AUDITORS

The total fees incurred by the company for services rendered by Statutory Auditors and its affiliates entities is given below.

(Amount in Rs.)

Particulars	F.Y. 2023-24
Audit Fees (Excluding GST)	100,000/-
Any Other Fess/Charges	Nil
Total	100,000/-

i. DISCLOSURE UNDER THE SEXUAL HARASSMENT OF WOMEN AT WORKPLACE (PREVENTION, PROHIBITION AND REDRESSAL) ACT, 2013

The company has in place an Anti-Harassment policy in line with the requirements of The sexual harassment of women at the workplace (Prevention, Prohibition & Redressal) Act, 2013. Internal Complaints Committee (ICC) has been set up to redress complaints received regarding sexual harassment. All employees (permanent, contractual, temporary, trainees) are covered under this policy. During the year under review, company has not received any Sexual Harassment Complaints.

- j. There is no Non-Compliance of any requirement of Corporate Governance Report as per Part C of Schedule V of the SEBI Listing Regulations.

11. REVIEW OF LEGAL COMPLIANCE REPORTS

During the year, the Board periodically reviewed compliance report with respect to the various laws applicable to the company, as prepared and placed before it by the management.

For and on behalf of the Board of Director

Sd/-
Gopal Dave

Place: Vasai

Date: August 14, 2024

MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS REPORT

Definition:

According to the Reserve Bank of India (Amendment Act) 1997, A Non-Banking Finance Company means:

- (i) A Financial Institution which is a company;
- (ii) A non-banking institution which is a company and which has as its principal business the receiving of deposits under any scheme or arrangement or in any other manner or lending in any manner;
- (iii) Such other non-banking institution or class of such institutions as the bank may with the previous approval of the Central Government specify.

(a) Industry structure and developments

Risks And Concerns

NBFC is amongst highly regulated sectors and is exposed to market risk and liquidity risk. In the present economic situation in country and globally all the financial institutions are at very heavy risk. The secondary market is also highly volatile and with unstable trends of market it is also pro risk area. For controlling inflation RBI keeps on changing norms periodically which impacts working pattern and cash flow.

(b) Opportunities and threats

Micro financing and unsecured consumer loans are emerging as new avenue and with increasing purchasing power and having direct nexus to working population the available consumer base is very huge and number of NBFC/Banks/FIS catering in the area are not sufficient to cater the demand resulting in favourable demand and supply ratio for NBFCs.

(C) Outlook

Micro Finance sector as a whole is poised for attractive growth and expected to see enhanced performance during the FY 2023-24. The earnings momentum is projected to remain strong through controlled credit cost and balanced interest rates towards borrowing and lending.

(d) Risks and Concerns

Your Company is exposed to the fluctuations of economy and industry cycles. The company manages these risks by remaining very conservative and following other risk management practices. The management believes that efficient business planning risk management and product diversification would help mitigate such risks.

(e) Internal Control Systems and their adequacy

The Company has an internal control system, commensurate with the size, scale and nature of its operations. Testing of such systems forms a part of review by the Internal Audit function. The Internal Audit function monitors and evaluates the efficacy and adequacy of Internal Control system in the Company to ensure that financial reports are reliable, operations are effective and efficient and activities comply with the required policies and procedures. Based on the report, the concerned officials take corrective action, if any, in their respective areas and thereby strengthen the controls. Significant audit observations and corrective actions thereon are presented to the Audit Committee of the Company from time to time.

(f) Human Resource Development

The human capital today is one of the most decisive factors in the success of a company and thus we strive for excellence in the entire employee life cycle. Your Company continuously recruits skilled professionals from various streams and undertake several initiatives to retain the talent pool. Your Company also places emphasis on development and enhancement of skills and capabilities of employees to prepare them for future challenges. As in the past, the company enjoyed cordial relations with the employees at all levels. The Company focuses on improved Employee Engagement through several enterprise level initiatives. The Rewards and Recognition Programs here appreciate outstanding performers for their professionalism, dedication and outstanding contributions.

MD/CFO Certificate

To,

The Board of Directors Explicit Finance Ltd.

Subject: Compliance Certificate as required under Regulation 17(8) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015:

We, Swati Dave, Managing Director along with CFO of Explicit Finance Limited hereby certify that:

- A. We have reviewed financial statements and the cash flow statement of the Company for the financial year ended 31st March 2023 and that to the best of our knowledge and belief:
1. these statements do not contain any materially untrue statement or omit any material fact or contain statements that might be misleading;
 2. these statements together present a true and fair view of the Company's affairs and are in compliance with existing accounting standards, applicable laws and regulations.
- B. There are, to the best of our knowledge and belief, no transactions entered into by the Company during the year, which are fraudulent, illegal or violative of the Company's code of conduct.
- C. We accept responsibility for establishing and maintaining internal controls for financial reporting and that we have evaluated the effectiveness of internal control systems of the Company pertaining to financial reporting and we have disclosed to the auditors and the Audit Committee, deficiencies in the design or operation of such internal controls, if any, of which we are aware and the steps we have taken or propose to take to rectify these deficiencies.
- D. We have indicated to the auditors and the Audit Committee that there is no:
- i. Significant changes in internal control over financial reporting during the year;
 - ii. Significant changes in accounting policies during the year requiring disclosure in the notes to the financial statements; and
 - iii. Instances of significant fraud of which we have become aware and the involvement therein, if any, of the management or an employee having a significant role in the Company's internal control system over financial reporting.

For **Explicit Finance Limited**

Rajesh Nanda
Managing Director
DIN: 06399927

DECLARATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH CODE OF CONDUCT

As required under Schedule V (D) of the Securities & Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligation and Disclosures Requirement) Regulation 2015, all the Members of the Board of Directors and the Senior Management Personnel have confirmed compliance with the Code of Conduct for the year ended 31st March, 2023.

For **Explicit Finance Limited**

Rajesh Nanda
Managing Director
DIN: 06399927

**CERTIFICATE BY THE PRACTICING COMPANY SECRETARY
ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE**

To,
The Members of
Explicit finance Limited

I have examined the compliance of conditions of Corporate Governance by Goenka Diamond & Jewels Limited, for the year ended on March 31, 2024, as stipulated under SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

The compliance of conditions of Corporate Governance is the responsibility of the management. My examination was limited to procedures and implementation thereof, adopted by the company for ensuring the compliance of the conditions of the Corporate Governance. It is neither an audit nor an expression of opinion on the financial statements of the company.

In my opinion and to the best of my information and according to the explanations given to me, and the representations made by the management I certify that the company has generally complied with conditions of Corporate Governance as stipulated.

I further state that such compliance is neither an assurance as to the future viability of the Company nor the efficiency or effectiveness with which the management has conducted the affairs of the Company.

For **Vishal N. Manseta**
Practicing Company Secretary

Place: Mumbai
Date : August 28, 2024
UDIN: A025183F001066322

Vishal N. Manseta
CP No : 8981
ACS No : 25183
PRC No.:1584/2021

CERTIFICATE OF NON-DISQUALIFICATION OF DIRECTORS
(Pursuant to Regulation 34(3) and Schedule V Para C clause (10)(i) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015)

To,
The Members of
Explicit Finance Limited

I have examined the relevant registers, records, forms, returns and disclosures received from the Directors of Explicit finance Limited (hereinafter referred to as 'the Company'), produced before me by the Company for the purpose of issuing this Certificate, in accordance with Regulation 34(3) read with Schedule V Para-C Sub clause 10(i) of the Securities Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

Based on the documents / information provided to me and according to the verifications (including Directors Identification Number (DIN) status at the portal www.mca.gov.in) done by me, as considered necessary and explanations furnished to me by the Company & its officers, I hereby certify that none of the Directors on the Board of the Company as stated below for the financial year ended on March 31, 2024 have been debarred or disqualified from being appointed or continuing as Directors of companies by the Securities and Exchange Board of India, Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) or any such other Statutory Authority: -

Ensuring the eligibility of directors for the appointment or continuity of Directors on the Board is the responsibility of the management of the Company. My responsibility is to express an opinion on these based on verification. This certificate is neither an assurance as to the future viability of the Company nor of the efficiency or effectiveness with which the management has conducted the affairs of the Company.

For Vishal N. Manseta
(Practicing Company Secretary)

Place : Mumbai
Date : August 28, 2024
UDIN : **A025183F001066289**

Membership No.: A25183
CP No.: 8981
PRC No : 1584/2021

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON IND AS FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

To
The Members of Explicit Finance Limited

Opinion

We have audited the standalone financial statements of **Explicit Finance Limited** (“the Company”), which comprise the balance sheet as at 31st March 2024, and the statement of Profit and Loss, and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the aforesaid standalone financial statements give the information required by the Act in the manner so required and give a true and fair view in conformity with the accounting principles generally accepted in India, of the state of affairs of the Company as at March 31, 2024, and profit/loss, and its cash flows for the year ended on that date.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with the Standards on Auditing (SAs) specified under section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013. Our responsibilities under those Standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the Code of Ethics issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements under the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Rules there under, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the Code of Ethics. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Key Audit Matters

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgment, were of most significance in our audit of the financial statements of the current period. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters. For each matter below, our description of how our audit addressed the matter is provided in that context.

We have determined the matter described below to be key audit matters to be communicated in our report. We have fulfilled the responsibilities described in the Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the standalone Ind AS financial statements section of our report, including in relation to these matters. Accordingly, our audit included the performance of procedures designed to respond to our assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the standalone Ind AS financial statements. The results of our audit procedures, including the procedures performed to address the matters below, provide the basis of our audit opinion on the accompanying standalone Ind AS financial statements.

Key Audit Matter	How our audit addressed the key audit matter
<p>1) Impairment of financial assets (expected credit losses) :- <i>Ind AS 109 requires the Company to recognize impairment loss allowance towards its financial assets (designated at amortised cost and fair value through other comprehensive income) using the expected credit loss (ECL) approach. Such ECL allowance is required to be measured considering the guiding principles of Ins AS 109 including :-</i></p> <p><i>Unbiased , probability weighted outcome under various scenarios;</i></p> <p><i>Time value of money;</i></p> <p><i>Impact arising from forward looking macro-economic factors and;</i></p> <p><i>Availability of reasonable and supportable information without undue costs;</i></p>	<p><i>We read and assessed the Company's accounting policies for impairment of financial assets and their compliance with Ind AS 109</i></p> <p><i>We tested the criteria for staging of loans on their past due status to check compliance with requirements of Ind AS 109 . Tested a sample of performing (stage 1) loans to assess whether any loss indicators were present requiring them to be classified under stage 2 or 3 and vice versa.</i></p> <p><i>We have evaluated the reasonableness of the Management estimates by understanding the process of ECL estimation ad tested the controls around data extraction and validation</i></p> <p><i>Tested the ECL model, including assumptions and underlying computation</i></p>
<p><i>Applying these principles involves significant estimation in various aspects , such as;</i></p> <p><i>Grouping of borrowers based on homogeneity by using appropriate statistical techniques;</i></p> <p><i>Staging of loans and estimation of behavioral life;</i></p> <p><i>Determining macro-economic factors impacting credit quality of receivables;</i></p> <p><i>Estimation of losses for loan products with no/minimal historical defaults.</i></p> <p><i>Considering the significance of such allowance to the overall financial statements and the degree of estimation involved in computation of expected credit losses, this area is considered as a key audit matter.</i></p>	<p><i>Assessed the floor/minimum rates of provisioning applied by the Company for loan products with inadequate historical defaults</i></p> <p><i>Audited disclosure included in the Ind AS financial statements in respect of expected credit losses.</i></p>

Information other than the Financial Statements and Auditors' Report thereon

The Company's Board of Directors are responsible for the preparation of the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the Board's Report including Annexure(s) to Board's Report, but does not include the Financial Statements and our auditor's report thereon.

Our opinion on the Financial Statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the Financial Statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the Standalone Financial Statements or our knowledge obtained during the course of our audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information; we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Standalone Financial Statements

The Company's Board of Directors is responsible for the matters stated in section 134(5) of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act") with respect to the preparation of these standalone financial statements that give a true and fair view of the financial position, financial performance and cash flows of the Company in accordance with the accounting principles generally accepted in India, including the accounting Standards specified under section 133 of the Act. This responsibility also includes maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of the Act for safeguarding of the assets of the Company and for preventing and detecting frauds and other irregularities; selection and application of appropriate implementation and maintenance of accounting policies; making judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent; and design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls, that were operating effectively for ensuring the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, relevant to the preparation and presentation of the financial statement that give a true and fair view and are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so. Those Board of Directors are also responsible for overseeing the Company's financial reporting process.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the standalone Ind AS Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with SA's will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements. (Refer appendix to our report of even date)

Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

As required by the Companies (Auditor's Report) Order, 2020 ("the Order"), issued by the Central Government of India in terms of sub-section (11) of section 143 of the Companies Act, 2013, we give in the **Annexure – 1** a statement on the matters specified in paragraphs 3 and 4 of the Order, to the extent applicable.

As required by Section 143(3) of the Act, we report that:

- a) We have sought and obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purposes of our audit.
- b) In our opinion, proper books of account as required by law have been kept by the Company so far as it appears from our examination of those books.
- c) The Balance Sheet, the Statement of Profit and Loss, and the Cash Flow Statement dealt with by this Report are in agreement with the books of account
- d) In our opinion, the aforesaid standalone financial statements comply with the Accounting Standards specified under Section 133 of the Act, read with Rule 7 of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014.
- e) On the basis of the written representations received from the directors as on 31st March, 2024 taken on record by the Board of Directors, none of the directors is disqualified as on 31st March, 2024 from being appointed as a director in terms of Section 164 (2) of the Act.
- f) As proviso to rule 3(1) of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014 is applicable for the Company only with effect from 1 April 2024 reporting under Rule 11(g) of the Companies reporting under Rule 11(g) of the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014 is not applicable.
- g) With respect to the adequacy of the internal financial controls over financial reporting of the Company and the operating effectiveness of such controls, refer to our separate Report in "Annexure A".
- h) With respect to the other matters to be included in the Auditor's Report in accordance with Rule 11 of the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014, in our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us:
 - i. The Company does not have any pending litigations which would impact its financial position.
 - ii. The Company did not have any long-term contracts including derivative contracts for which there were any material foreseeable losses.
 - iii. There were no amounts which were required to be transferred to the Investor Education and Protection Fund by the Company.
 - iv. The Management has represented that, to the best of its knowledge and belief, no funds have been advanced or loaned or invested (either from borrowed funds or share premium or any other sources or kind of funds) by the Company to or in any other person(s) or entity(ies), including foreign entities ('Intermediaries'), with the understanding, whether recorded in writing or otherwise, that the Intermediary shall, directly or indirectly lend or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the Company ('Ultimate Beneficiaries') or provide any guarantee, security or the like on behalf of the ultimate beneficiaries.

- v. The Management has represented, that, to the best of its knowledge and belief, no funds have been received by the Company from any person(s) or entity(ies), including foreign entities ('Funding Parties'), with the understanding, whether recorded in writing or otherwise, that the Company shall, directly or indirectly, lend or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the funding party ('Ultimate Beneficiaries') or provide any guarantee, security or the like on behalf of the ultimate beneficiaries.
- vi. Based on audit procedures which we considered reasonable and appropriate in the circumstances, nothing has come to our notice that has caused us to believe that the representations under subclause (i) and (ii) contain any material mis-statement.
- vii. The company has not declared or paid any dividend during the year in contravention of the provisions of section 123 of the Companies Act, 2013.

For GMCS & Co.
Chartered Accountants
FRN: 141236W

Amit Bansal
M.no 424232
UDIN: **24424232BKCXDS2428**
Place: Thane
Dated:30-05-2024

Annexure – 1 to our report of even date Re: Explicit Finance Limited (“the company”)

In our opinion, and on the basis of such checks of the books and records as we considered appropriate and according to the information and explanations given to us during the normal course of audit, which were necessary to the best of our knowledge and belief, we report that:

- (1) (a) The Company has maintained proper records showing full particulars including quantitative details and situation of its fixed assets.
- (b) The Management has physically verified certain assets during the year in accordance with a program of verification, which in our opinion provides for physical verification of the fixed assets at reasonable intervals. According to the information and explanations given to us no material discrepancies were noticed on such verification. During the year, Company has not disposed of any substantial / major part of fixed assets.
- (c) There is no immovable properties are held by the company hence this clause is not applicable.
- (2) (a) The Company is registered non banking financial company and main business is to grant and obtain loans and advances and apart from this company invest surplus funds in shares and securities and in view of the same there is no trading activity carried on during the year, hence there is no closing stock as on 31st March 2024.
- (b) As company does not deal in trading activity, therefore procedures of physical verification of inventory by the management is not required.
- (c) As company does not deal in trading activity, therefore maintaining proper records of inventory is not required.
- (3) According to the information and explanation given to us, the company has not granted any loans, secured or unsecured to companies, firms, limited liability partnerships or other parties covered in the register maintained under section 189 of the Companies Act, 2013. As the company is NBFC, Loan and advances given in the normal course of business have not been considered here for reporting. Accordingly, the provision of clause 3(iii)(a), (b) and (c) of the order are not applicable to company and hence not commented upon.
- (4) In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, the company has wherever applicable complied the provisions of Section 185 and Section 186 of the Companies Act, 2013 in respect of loans, investments, guarantees and security.
- (5) According to the records of the company and information and explanations given to us, the company has not accepted any deposit as per directive issued by Reserve Bank of India and the provision of the section 73 to 76 or any other relevant provision of the Companies Act 2013 and rules framed there under.
- (6) To the best of our knowledge and as explained, the company is engaged in Non-Banking Financial Company and not dealt in any sale of goods, hence the Central Government has not prescribed the maintenance of cost records by the company under sub – section (1) of section 148 of the Companies Act, 2013 for any of its products.
- (7) (a) According to the records of the company and information and explanations given to us in respect of statutory dues and other dues, the company has been generally regular in

depositing undisputed statutory dues including Income Tax, sales tax, goods & services tax , wealth tax, service tax, duty of custom, duty of excise, value added tax, cess and any other statutory dues with the appropriate authorities during the year.

(b) According to the information and explanation provided by the management and the records examined by us, there are no dues of Sales tax, Wealth tax, Goods & Service tax, Customs duty, Excise duty, Value Added Tax, Cess which have not been deposited on account of any dispute.

(8) According to records of the company, the company has not borrowed funds from financial institutions, banks, government or issued debentures till 31st March 2024. Hence, in our opinion, the question of reporting on default in repayment of dues to financial institutions or banks or debenture holders does not arise.

(9)

a. In our opinion and according to the information and explanation provided by the management and the records examined by us, the Company has not defaulted in repayment of loans or other borrowings or in the payment of interest thereon to any lender.

b. According to the information and explanation provided by the management and the records examined by us and on the basis of our audit procedures, we report that the Company has not been declared wilful defaulter by any bank or financial institution or any other lender.

c. According to the information and explanation provided by the management and the records examined by us, the Company has not obtained any term loans during the year. Hence, reporting under clause 3(ix)(c) of the said Order is not applicable to the Company.

d. According to the information and explanations given to us, and the procedures performed by us, and on an overall examination of the financial statements of the Company, we report that no funds raised on short-term basis have been used for long-term purposes by the Company.

e. According to the information and explanation provided by the management and the records examined by us, the Company does not have any subsidiaries, associates or joint ventures. Hence reporting under clause 3(ix)(e) of the said Order pertaining to meeting the obligations of the subsidiaries, joint ventures and associate companies is not applicable to the Company.

f. According to the information and explanation provided by the management and the records examined by us, the Company does not have any subsidiaries, associates or joint ventures. Hence reporting under clause 3(ix)(f) of the said Order pertaining to raising of loans on the pledge of securities held in its subsidiaries, joint ventures and associate companies is not applicable to the Company

(10)

a. The Company has not raised moneys by way of initial public offer or further public offer (including debt instruments) during the year and hence reporting under paragraph 3(x)(a) of the Order is not applicable.

b. The Company has not made preferential allotment or private placement of shares or convertible debentures (fully or partly or optionally) during the year under review and hence reporting under paragraph 3(x)(b) of the Order is not applicable to the Company

(11)

a. To the best of our knowledge, no fraud by the Company and no material fraud on the Company has been noticed or reported during the year.

- b. No report under section 143(12) of the Companies Act, 2013, has been filed in Form ADT-4 as prescribed under rule 13 of Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014 with the Central Government, during the year and up to the date of this report.
 - c. We have taken into consideration the whistle blower complaints received by the Company during the year (and up to the date of this report), while determining the nature, timing and extent of our audit procedures.
- (12) According to records of the company, the company is not covered under the category of Nidhi company, therefore provision of clause 3(xi) of the order are not applicable to the company and hence not commented upon.
- (13) According to the information and explanations given to us, the company has complied with Section 177 and 188 of Companies Act, 2013 in respect of transactions with related parties and details have been disclosed in the financial statements as required by the applicable accounting standards.
- (14) To the best of our knowledge and belief and according to information and explanations given to us the company has not made any preferential allotment or private placements of shares or fully or partly convertible debentures during the year. Hence the provisions of Section 42 of the Companies Act, 2013 do not apply.
- (15) To the best of our knowledge and belief and according to the information and explanations given to us, the company has wherever applicable complied with provisions of Section 192 of the Companies Act, 2013 in respect of any non cash transactions entered with directors or persons connected with him.
- (16) The company is registered Non Banking Financial Company and the company is holding certificate of registration vide registration number 13.00685 under Section 45-IA of the RBI Act, 1934.
- (17) The Company has not incurred cash losses during the financial year covered by our audit and in the immediately preceding financial year
- (18) The previous statutory auditor has resigned during the year on completion of their term. There were no issues, objections or concerns raised by the outgoing auditor.
- (19) On the basis of the financial ratios, aging and expected dates of realisation of financial assets and payment of financial liabilities, other information accompanying the standalone financial statements, our knowledge of the Board of Directors and Management plans and based on our examination of the evidence supporting the assumptions, nothing has come to our attention, which causes us to believe that any material uncertainty exists as on the date of the audit report, that Company is not capable of meeting its liabilities existing at the date of balance sheet as and when they fall due within a period of one year from the balance sheet date. We, however, state that this is not an assurance as to the future viability of the Company. We further state that our reporting is based on the facts up to the date of the audit report and we neither give any guarantee nor any assurance that all liabilities falling due within a period of one year from the balance sheet date, will get discharged by the Company as and when they fall due
- (20)
 - a. There are no unspent amounts towards Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) on other than ongoing projects requiring a transfer to a fund specified in Schedule VII to the Companies Act in compliance with second proviso to sub-section (5) of section 135 of the said Act. Accordingly, reporting under paragraph 3(xx)(a) of the Order is not applicable for the year.

- b. In respect of ongoing projects, the Company has transferred unspent Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) amount as at the end of the previous financial year, to a special account within a period of 30 days from the end of the said financial year in compliance with the provision of section 135(6) of the Act. NOT APPLICABLE
- c. In respect of ongoing projects, the Company has not transferred the unspent Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) amount as at the balance sheet date out of the amounts that was required to be spent during the year, to a special account till the date of our report. However, the time period for such transfer i.e. 30 days from the end of the financial year as permitted under section 135(6) of the Act, has not elapsed till the date of our report. NOT APPLICABLE

(12)

The reporting under rule 11(G) of the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014 is applicable from 01-04-2023. The Company has used accounting software for maintaining its books of accounts, which have a feature of recording audit trail (edit log) facility and the same has operated through out the year for all relevant transactions recorded in the respective software.

For GMCS & Co.
Chartered Accountants
FRN: 141236W

Amit Bansal
M.no 424232
UDIN: **24424232BKCXDS2428**
Place: Thane
Dated: 30-05-2024

Annexure – 2 to our report of even date Re: Explicit Finance Limited (“the company”)

Report on the Internal Financial Controls under Clause (i) of Sub-section 3 of Section 143 of the Companies Act, 2013 (“the Act”)

We have audited the internal financial controls over financial reporting of **Explicit Finance Limited** (“the Company”) as of 31st March 2024 in conjunction with our audit of the financial statements of the Company for the year ended on that date.

Management’s Responsibility for Internal Financial Controls:

The Company’s management is responsible for establishing and maintaining internal financial controls based on the internal control over financial reporting criteria established by the Company considering the essential components of internal control stated in the Guidance Note on Audit of Internal Financial Controls over Financial Reporting issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India. These responsibilities include the design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls that were operating effectively for ensuring the orderly and efficient conduct of its business, including adherence to company’s policies, the safeguarding of its assets, the prevention and detection of frauds and errors, the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, and the timely preparation of reliable financial information, as required under the Companies Act, 2013.

Auditors’ Responsibility:

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Company's internal financial controls over financial reporting based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with the Guidance Note on Audit of Internal Financial Controls Over Financial Reporting (the “Guidance Note”) and the Standards on Auditing, issued by ICAI and deemed to be prescribed under section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013, to the extent applicable to an audit of internal financial controls, both applicable to an audit of Internal Financial Controls and, both issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India. Those Standards and the Guidance Note require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether adequate internal financial controls over financial reporting was established and maintained and if such controls operated effectively in all material respects.

Our audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the adequacy of the internal financial controls system over financial reporting and their operating effectiveness. Our audit of internal financial controls over financial reporting included obtaining an understanding of internal financial controls over financial reporting, assessing the risk that a material weakness exists, and testing and evaluating the design and operating effectiveness of internal control based on the assessed risk. The procedures selected depend on the auditor’s judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion on the Company’s internal financial controls system over financial reporting.

Meaning of Internal Financial Controls over Financial Reporting:

A company's internal financial control over financial reporting is a process designed to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. A company's internal financial control over financial reporting includes those policies and procedures that:

- (1) Pertain to the maintenance of records that, in reasonable detail, accurately and fairly reflect the transactions and dispositions of the assets of the company;

- (2) Provide reasonable assurance that transactions are recorded as necessary to permit preparation of financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, and that receipts and expenditures of the company are being made only in accordance with authorizations of management and directors of the company; and
- (3) Provide reasonable assurance regarding prevention or timely detection of unauthorized acquisition, use, or disposition of the company's assets that could have a material effect on the financial statements

Inherent Limitations of Internal Financial Controls over Financial Reporting:

Because of the inherent limitations of internal financial controls over financial reporting, including the possibility of collusion or improper management override of controls, material misstatements due to error or fraud may occur and not be detected. Also, projections of any evaluation of the internal financial controls over financial reporting to future periods are subject to the risk that the internal financial control over financial reporting may become inadequate because of changes in conditions, or that the degree of compliance with the policies or procedures may deteriorate.

Opinion:

In our opinion, the Company has, in all material respects, an adequate internal financial controls system over financial reporting and such internal financial controls over financial reporting were operating effectively as at 31st March 2024, based on the internal control over financial reporting criteria established by the Company considering the essential components of internal control stated in the Guidance Note on Audit of Internal Financial Controls Over Financial Reporting issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India.

Explanatory Paragraph:

We also have audited, in accordance with the standard on Auditing issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India, as specified under section 143(10) of the Act, the financial statement of Explicit Finance Limited, which comprises the Balance Sheet as at 31st March 2024, and the related statement of Profit & Loss and Cash Flow Statement for the year then ended, and summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information, and our report dated 31st May 2024 and expressed an unqualified opinion thereon.

For GMCS & Co.

Chartered Accountants

FRN: 141236W

Amit Bansal

M.no 424232

UDIN: 24424232BKCXDS2428

Place: Thane

Dated:30-05-2024

Explicit Finance Limited
Balance sheet as at 31 March 2024

(Rupees in lacs)

Particulars	Note no.	As at 31 March 2024	As at 31 March 2023
ASSETS			
Non-current assets			
Property, plant and equipment	2	1.07	0.75
Financial assets			
- Loans and Advances	3	621.49	575.68
Current assets			
Inventories	4	44.71	52.46
Financial assets			
- Trade and other receivables	5	0.47	0.00
- Cash and cash equivalents	6	118.83	159.13
- Loans and Advances	7	0.00	0.00
Assets for current tax (net)	7A	9.01	4.20
TOTAL		795.57	792.22
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
Equity			
Equity Share capital	8A	926.76	926.76
Other equity	8B	(135.82)	(137.34)
Non-current liabilities			
Financial liabilities			
- Borrowings	9	0.00	0.00
- Other financial liabilities	10	0.00	0.00
Deferred tax liabilities (Net)	11	0.00	0.00
Current liabilities			
Financial liabilities			
- Trade and other payables	12		
- Other financial liabilities	13	0.00	0.00
Provisions	14	4.63	2.80
TOTAL		795.57	792.22
See accompanying notes to the financial statements	1 to 30		

In terms of our report of even date

For GMCS & Co.

Chartered Accountants

Firm Registration No. 141236W

Amit Bansal

Partner

M. No. 424232

Place: Mumbai

Date: 30.05.2024

For and on behalf of the Board of
Directors

Rajesh Nanda
Managing Director

DIN: 06399927

Avinash
Mainkar

Director

DIN : 01986289

Explicit Finance Limited
Statement of Profit and loss for the year ended 31st March 2024

(Rupees in lacs)

Particulars	Note no.	For the year ended 31 March 2024	For the year ended 31 March 2023
Revenue from operations	15	875.76	2,231.14
Other income	16	64.42	55.37
Total revenue		940.18	2,286.51
Expenses			
Purchase of Shares	17	858.41	2,147.19
Changes in Inventories	18	7.76	97.00
Employee benefit expense	19	14.17	14.37
Finance cost	20		0.83
Depreciation and amortisation expense	2	0.40	0.33
Other expense	21	57.62	25.97
Total expenses		938.36	2,285.68
Profit/ (loss) before exceptional items and tax		1.82	0.83
Exceptional items			-
Profit/ (loss) before tax		1.82	0.83
Tax expense			
a) Current tax	14	0.30	-
b) Deferred tax	11	-	-
Profit/ (loss) for the year		1.52	0.83
Other comprehensive income		-	-
Total comprehensive income for the year		1.52	0.83
<i>(Profit/ loss + other comprehensive income)</i>			
Earnings per equity share	22	0.02	0.01
a) Basic and Diluted			
See accompanying notes to the financial statements		1 to 30	

In terms of our report of even date
For GMCS & Co.
Chartered Accountants
Firm Registration No. 141236W

Amit Bansal
Partner

Place : Mumbai
Date : 30.05.2024

For and on behalf of the Board of Directors

Rajesh Nanda Avinash
Mainkar

Managing Director Director
Din : 06399927 01986289

Statement of Cash Flow for the year ended 31 March 2024

(Rupees in lacs)

	Particulars	As at	As at
		31.03.2024	31.03.2023
A.	Cash flows from operating activities:		
	Profit for the year before tax and other comprehensive income after interest, depreciation and Exceptional items	1.52	0.83
	Adjustments:		
	Depreciation and amortization expense	0.40	0.33
	Dividend Income	-0.08	-0.18
	Changes in operating assets and liabilities;		
	Trade receivables	-0.47	0.00
	Inventories	7.75	97.00
	Trade payables, other liabilities and provisions	0.00	-0.06
	Other current liabilities	0.00	-
	Loans and advances	-50.63	-9.42
	Provisions	1.83	-
	Cash generated from operating activities before taxes	-39.66	88.50
	Net cash generated from operating activities	-39.66	88.50
B.	Cash flows from investing activities:		
	Purchase of property, plant and equipment	-0.72	-0.78
	Proceeds from sale of Non Current Investments	0.00	0.00
	Dividend Income	0.08	0.18
	Net cash used in investing activities	-0.64	-0.6
C.	Cash flows from financing activities:		
	Net cash used in financing activities	-	-
	Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents during the year	-40.31	87.9
	Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year	159.13	71.23
	Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	118.83	159.13
		-40.30	87.9

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8 Statement of Changes in Equity

A. Equity Share Capital

(Rupees in lacs)

Balance as at April 1, 2023	Changes during the year	Balance as of March 31, 2023	Balance as of March 31, 2024
926.76	-	926.76	926.76

Balance as at April 1, 2022	Changes during the year	Balance as of March 31, 2022	Balance as of March 31, 2023
926.76	-	926.76	926.76

B. Other Equity

Particulars	Share Premium	Capital reserve	Retained earnings	Total Other Equity
Balance as at April 1, 2023	-	-	-137.34	-137.34
Total Comprehensive income for the year				-
Profit for the year				-
Other comprehensive income for the year			-	-
Total comprehensive income for the year			-	-
Balance as at March 31 , 2024	-	-	-137.34	-137.34

B. Other Equity

Particulars	Share Premium	Capital reserve	Retained earnings	Total Other Equity
Balance as at April 1, 2023	-	-	-137.34	-137.34
Profit for the year			1.52	1.52
Other Comprehensive Income for the year			-	-
Total comprehensive income for the year			1.52	1.52
Balance as at March 31 , 2024	-	-	-135.82	-135.82

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1. Corporate Information and Significant Accounting Policies

A. General Information

Explicit Finance Limited is a public company incorporated under the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and listed with BSE Ltd. The Company is NBFC duly registered with RBI.

B. Basis of preparation of financial statement

I. Compliance with Ind AS

Financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Indian Accounting Standards (hereafter referred to as the "Ind AS") as notified by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs pursuant to Section 133 of Companies Act, 2013 (the "Act") read with the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards (Ind AS) Rules, 2015 as amended and other relevant provisions of the Act and rules framed thereunde.

II. Historical cost convention:

The financial statements have been prepared on a historical cost basis.

III. Rounding of amounts:

All the amounts disclosed in the financial statements and notes are presented in Indian Rupees and have been rounded off to the nearest lakhs as per the requirement of Schedule III, unless otherwise states.

IV. Current and Non-current classification:

All assets and liabilities have been classified as current or non-current as per the Company's normal operating cycle (twelve months) and other criteria set out in the schedule III to the act.

C. Property, Plant and Equipment

Property, plant and equipment are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses, if any. Cost includes purchase price and expenditures directly attributable to bringing them into working condition for its intended use.

Depreciation on property, plant and equipments is provided under the written down value method over the useful lives of assets as prescribed in Schedule II to the Companies Act 2013 ("Act"), and management believes that useful life of assets are same as those prescribed in Schedule II to the Act. The residual values are not less than 5% of the Original cost of the asset. The assets residual values and useful lives are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at the end of each reporting period. Gain or losses arising from derecognition of property, plant and equipment are measured as difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the assets and are recognized in the statement of profit and loss when the asset is derecognised.

D. Inventories:

Inventories are valued at lower of cost or Market value computed on FIFO basis.

E. Revenue Recognition (to change as per last year BS)

1. Recognition of Dividend:- Income Dividend from investments are recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss when the right to receive payment is established.

2. Recognition of Interest Income :-Interest income from a financial asset is recognised when it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Company and the amount of income can be measured reliably. Interest income is accrued on a time basis, by reference to the principal outstanding.

3. Other Income :-The Gains / Losses from Sale and Purchase of investments are recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss on the trade day and cost of securities is determined on Weighted Average Cost Method.

F. Employee Benefits

Eligible Employees receive benefit from Provident Fund which is a defined benefit plan both the employees and the company make monthly contribution to the Provident Fund equally to specified percentage of the covered employee salary and contribution to Government Administered Fund, however Provident Fund Act is not applicable to the Company as on date.

G. Income tax

Current tax comprises the expected tax payable or receivable on the taxable income or loss for the year and any adjustment to the tax payable or receivable in respect of previous years. The amount of current tax payable or receivable is the best estimate of the tax amount expected to be paid or received after considering uncertainty related to income taxes, if any. It is measured using tax rates enacted or substantively enacted at the reporting date.

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities for financial reporting purposes and the amounts used for taxation purposes.

H. Earnings per share

(i) Basic earnings per share

Basic earnings per share is calculated by dividing:

- the profit attributable to owners of the Company
- by the weighted average number of equity shares outstanding during the financial year, adjusted for bonus elements in equity shares issued during the year and excluding treasury shares

(ii) Diluted earnings per share Diluted earnings per share adjusts the figures used in the determination of basic earnings per share to take into account:

- the after income tax effect of interest and other financing costs associated with dilutive potential equity shares, and
- the weighted average number of additional equity shares that would have been outstanding assuming the conversion of all dilutive potential equity shares

I. Use of estimates and Judgements

The estimates and judgements used in the preparation of financial statements are continuously evaluated by the management and are based on historical experience and various other assumptions and factors that the management believes to be reasonable under existing circumstances. Difference between actual results and

and estimates are recognized in the period in which the results are known/materialized. The said estimates are based on the facts and the events, that existed as at the reporting date, or that date but provide additional evidence about conditions existing on the reporting date.

I. Impairment of non financial assets:

Assessment is done at each Balance Sheet date to evaluate whether there is any indication that a non financial asset may be impaired. An asset's recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's fair value less costs of disposal and its value in use. It is determined for an individual asset, unless the asset does not generate cash inflows that are largely independent of those from other assets or a groups of assets. Where the carrying amount of an asset exceeds its recoverable amount, the asset is considered impaired and is written down to its recoverable amount. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset. In determining fair value less costs of disposal, recent market transactions are taken into account, if no such transactions can be identified, an appropriate valuation model is used.

II. Depreciation/amortization and useful lives of property, plant and equipment/intangible assets:

Property, plant and equipment are depreciated over the estimated useful lives of the assets, after taking into account their estimated residual value. Management reviews the estimated useful lives and residual values of the assets annually in order to determine the amount of depreciation to be recorded during any reporting period. The useful lives and residual values are based on the Company's historical experience with similar assets and take into account anticipated technological changes. The depreciation for future periods is adjusted if there are significant changes from previous estimates.

III. Recoverability of trade receivables:

Judgments are required in assessing the recoverability of overdue trade receivables and determining whether a provision against those receivables is required. Factors considered include the credit rating of the counter party, the amount and timing of anticipated future payments and any possible actions that can be taken to mitigate the risk of non-payment.

IV. Provisions and contingent liabilities:

Provisions are recognised when the Group has a present legal or constructive obligation as a result of past events, it is probable that an outflow of resources will be required to settle the obligation and the amount can be reliably estimated. If the effect of the time value of money is material, provisions are discounted using a current pre-tax rate that reflects, when appropriate, the risks specific to the liability. When discounting is used, the increase in the provision due to the passage of time is recognised as a finance cost. Contingent Liabilities are disclosed in respect of possible obligations that arise from past events but their existence will be confirmed by the occurrence or non-occurrence of one or more uncertain future events not wholly within the control of the Group or where any present obligation cannot be measured in terms of future outflow of resources or where a reliable estimate of the obligation cannot be made.

J. Functional and Presentation currency

These financial statements are prepared in Indian rupees; the national currency of India, which is functional currency of the company.

Note 2**Property, Plant and Equipments**

(Rupees in lacs)

Particulars	Air Conditioner	TOTAL
Gross block		
As at 1st April 2023	1.47	1.47
Additions/Revaluation surplus		-
Disposals/Adjustments		-
As at 31st March 2023	1.47	1.47
Accumulated Depreciation		
As at 1st April 2023		-
Charge for the year	0.40	0.40
Disposals/Adjustments		-
As at 31st March 2024	0.40	0.40
Net Block		
As at 31st March 2024	1.07	1.07

3. Loans and Advances - Non Current

(Rupees in lacs)

	As at	As at
Particulars	31.03.2024	31.03.2023
<u>a. Security and Other deposits</u>	-	-
Unsecured, considered good	0.00	0.00
<u>b. Other loans and advances</u>	-	-
Secured, considered good	177.00	205.65
Unsecured, considered good	444.49	370.03
Total	621.49	575.68

4. Inventories

(Rupees in lacs)

	As at	As at
Particulars	31.03.2024	31.03.2023
Stock In Trade	44.71	52.46
Total	44.71	52.46

5. Trade and Other Receivables

(Rupees in lacs)

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Particulars	Outstanding for following periods from due date of payments as at 31.03.2024					
	Less than 6 months of payments	6 months – 1 year	1-2 years	2-3 years	More than 3 years	Total
Undisputed trade receivables-considered good	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	-
Undisputed trade receivables-considered doubtful	0.47	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.47
Disputed trade receivablesconsidered good	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	-
Disputed trade receivablesconsidered doubtful	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	-

(Rupees in lacs)

Particulars	Outstanding for following periods from due date of payments as at 31.03.2023					
	Less than 6 months of payments	6 months – 1 year	1-2 years	2-3 years	More than 3 years	Total
Undisputed trade receivables-considered good	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	-
Undisputed trade receivables-considered doubtful	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	-
Disputed trade receivablesconsidered good	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	-
Disputed trade receivablesconsidered doubtful	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	-

6. Cash and Cash Equivalents

(Rupees in lacs)

Particulars	As at	As at
	31.03.2024	31.03.2023
a. Cash on hand	3.97	0.96
b. Balances with banks in current account	114.86	158.17
Total	118.83	159.13

7. Loans and Advances – Current

(Rupees in lacs)

Particulars	As at	As at
	31.03.2024	31.03.2023
Others	0.00	0.00
Total	0.00	0.00

7A. Assets for Current Tax (Net)

(Rupees in lacs)

	As at	As at
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Particulars	31.03.2024	31.03.2023
GST and Income Tax TDS Receivables	9.00	4.2
Total	9.00	4.20

8.(A) Share Capital

(Rupees in lacs)

	As at	As at
Particulars	31.03.2024	31.03.2023
-	-	-
Authorised Share Capital		
1,00,00,000 Equity Shares of Rs.10 each (1,00,00,000)	100.00	100.00
Issued, Subscribed and Paid up		
92,67,600 Equity Shares of Rs.10 each (92,67,600)	926.76	926.76
Total	926.76	926.76

8.1

Shares in the Company held by shareholder holding more than 5% shares

SR NO	Name of Shareholder	31.03.2024		31.03.2023	
		No. of Shares held	% of Holding	No. of Shares held	% of Holding
1	Angelica Trading Pvt. Ltd.	1375000	14.84%	1375000	14.84%
2	Brij Plantation Pvt Ltd.	1230000	13.27%	1230000	13.27%
3	Transdeal Sec P ltd	1225000	13.22%	1225000	13.22%
4	Tungareshwar Foodproducts P Ltd	1225000	13.22%	1225000	13.22%
5	Trunadhanya Trading P Ltd	945000	10.20%	945000	10.20%

8.2. Shareholding of Promoters (as on 31-03-2024)

Sr.No	Promoter's Name	No. of shares (31.03.2023)	% of total shares	No. of shares (31.03.2024)	% of total shares	Change in shareholding	% change during the year
1	Gopal Dave	103000	1.11	103000	1.11	0	NA
2	Avinash Mainkar	72800	0.79	72800	0.79	0	NA
3	Trunadhanya Trading Pvt Ltd	945000	10.2	945000	10.2	0	NA
	Total	1120800	12.1	1120800	12.1	0	NA

8.3

Equity Shares: The Company has only one class of Equity Shares having a par value of Rs. 10 per share. Each shareholder is eligible for one vote per share held. In the event of liquidation, the equity shareholders are eligible to receive the remaining assets of the Company after distribution of all preferential amounts, in proportion to their shareholding.

8(B) Other Equity

(Rupees in lacs)

	As at	As at
Particulars	31.03.2024	31.03.2023
Retained earnings	-135.82	-
Total	-135.82	137.34

9. Borrowings

(Rupees in lacs)

	As at	As at
Particulars	31.03.2024	31.03.2023
Secured Loans	0.00	0.00
Unsecured loans	0.00	0.00
Total	0.00	0.00

10. Other Financial liabilities

(Rupees in lacs)

	As at	As at
Particulars	31.03.2024	31.03.2023
Others	0.00	-
Total	0.00	-

11. Deferred Tax

(Rupees in lacs)

	As at	As at
Particulars	31.03.2024	31.03.2023
Property, Plant and Equipment (Depreciation) Opening Balance	0.00	0.00
Add Charge during the year	0.00	0.00
Net Deferred tax liability	0.00	0.00

12. Trade and other payables

(Rupees in lacs)

Particulars	Outstanding for following periods from due date of payments as at 31.03.2024					
	Less than 6 months of payments	6 months – 1 year	1-2 years	2-3 years	More than 3 years	Total
MSME	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Others	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	-
Disputed dues-MSME good	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Disputed dues-Others doubtful	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

(Rupees in lacs)

Particulars	Outstanding for following periods from due date of payments as at 31.03.2023					
	Less than 6 months of payments	6 months – 1 year	1-2 years	2-3 years	More than 3 years	Total
MSME	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Others	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Disputed dues-MSME good	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Disputed dues-Others doubtful	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

The information regarding suppliers holding permanent registration certificate as an Ancillary Industrial Undertaking or a Small Scale Industrial undertaking issued by the Directorate of Industries of State or Union Territory is not available from the relevant parties. There is no overdue outstanding to MSME Creditors as on 31.03.2023.

13. Other current financial liabilities

(Rupees in lacs)

Particulars	As at	As at
	31.03.2024	31.03.2023
Others	0.00	0
Total	-	-

14. Provisions

(Rupees in lacs)

Particulars	As at	As at
	31.03.2024	31.03.2023
Provision	4.63	2.80
Total	4.63	2.80

15. Revenue from Operations

(Rupees in lacs)

	Year Ended	Year Ended
Particulars	31.03.2024	31.03.2023
Sale of Shares	875.76	2,231.14
Total	875.76	2,231.14

16. Other Income

(Rupees in lacs)

	Year Ended	Year Ended
Particulars	31.03.2024	31.03.2023
Interest Income	63.83	54.56
Dividend Income	0.08	0.18
Other income	0.51	0.63
Total	64.42	55.37

17. Purchase of Shares

(Rupees in lacs)

	Year Ended	Year Ended
Particulars	31.03.2024	31.03.2023
Purchase of Shares	858.41	2,147.19
Total	858.41	2,147.19

18. Changes in Inventories

(Rupees in lacs)

	Year Ended	Year Ended
Particulars	31.03.2024	31.03.2023
Opening stock	52.46	149.46
(-) Closing stock	44.71	52.46
Total	7.76	97.00

19. Employee Benefit Expenses

(Rupees in lacs)

	Year Ended	Year Ended
Particulars	31.03.2024	31.03.2023
Salaries and Wages	13.18	13.57
Staff Welfare Expenses	0.99	0.80
Total	14.17	14.37

20. Finance Cost

(Rupees in lacs)

	Year Ended	Year Ended
Particulars	31.03.2024	31.03.2023
Interest Paid	0.00	0.83
Total	0.00	0.83

21. Other Expenses

(Rupees in lacs)

	Year Ended	Year Ended
Particulars	31.03.2024	31.03.2023
Audit Fees	1.00	0.50
Professional & Legal Fees	2.25	1.75
Listing Fee and Other Charges	3.90	3.74
Demat Charges	0.05	0.11
Bad Debts W/Off	36.18	13.10
Conveyance Charges	0.89	1.60
Miscellaneous Expenses	13.35	5.17
Total	57.62	25.97

22. Basic and Diluted Earnings per Share

	Year Ended	Year Ended
Particulars	31.03.2024	31.03.2023
Net Profit/(loss) for the year (lacs)	1.52	-27.43
Weighted average number of equity shares of Rs.10/- each (Nos.)	926.76	926.76
Basic and Diluted earning per share (Rs.)	0.02	-0.30

23. Expenditure in foreign currency

Expenses incurred by the Company include Rs. Nil (Nil) in Foreign Exchange on Foreign travelling.

24. Related Party Disclosure

1. Key Managerial Personnel and Relatives

Mr. Gopal Dave	- Director
Mr. Rajesh Nanda	- Managing Director
Mr. Avinash Mainkar	- Director
Mr. Pushparaj Mayekar	- Director
Mr. Jitendra Bhanushali	- Director
Ms. Hetal Bhanushali	- Director
Mr. Siddhesh Patil	- CFO

2. The Following transactions were carried out with the related parties in ordinary course of business.

(Rupees in lacs)

Transaction	31.03.2024	31.03.2023
a) Salary	-	-
Mrs. Swati Dave	1.00	3.00

Mr. Gopal Dave (Rent Paid)	2.09	-
Mr. Siddhesh Patil	3.60	3.60
<u>c) Loan Received & Repaid</u>	-	-
Gopal Dave	12.13	28.75

25. Segment Reporting

The Company is NBFC company registered with RBI. Hence segment reporting as defined in Ind AS 33 is not given.

26. IMPACT OF COVID19 PANDEMIC ON THE COMPANY

Due to COVID 19 pandemic and consequent lockdown restrictions imposed by the National Government from time to time, the impact on various business activities has been disclosed in financial statements, which caused unforeseen disruption in operation of manufacturing, marketing, demand, supply, orders, debtors, creditors, and other financial activities during the financial year.

27. In the opinion of the Management, current assets, loans and advances have a value on realization at least equal to the amount at which they are stated in the Books of Accounts and provision for all known liabilities has been made, except as mentioned otherwise.

28. Corporate Social Responsibility

As per section 135 of the Companies Act, 2013 a CSR committee has been formed by the company. The Company is not liable to pay any amount under CSR.

29. Ratios.

Particulars	31.03.2024	31.03.2023
Equity (Equity + Reserve and Surplus)	7,90,94,323.21	7,89,42,000.00
Total Debt	-	-
Current Assets	1,73,01,050.40	2,15,79,000.00
Current Liabilities	4,62,797.00	2,80,000.00
Net Working Capital	1,68,38,253.40	2,12,99,000.00
Trade Receivable	0	0.00
Trade Payable	-	-
Revenue from Operations (Turnover)	8,75,75,966.61	22,31,14,000.00
Purchase	8,58,40,738.15	21,47,19,000.00
Inventory	44,70,666.00	52,46,000.00
Finance Costs	0	0.83
EBITDA	2,22,651.95	1,98,508.00
PAT	1,52,323.21	82,508.00

Financial Ratio		
Current Ratio	37.38	77.07
Debt-Equity Ratio	-	-
Debt Service Coverage Ratio	-	-

Return on Equity Ratio	0.00	0.00
Inventory Turnover Ratio	19.59	42.53
Trade Receivables Turnover Ratio	0	0
Trade Payables Turnover Ratio	NA	NA
Net Capital Turnover Ratio	5.20	10.48
Net Profit Ratio	0.00	0.00
Return on Capital Employed	0.00	0.00

Methodology :

- 1 . Current Ratio = Current Asset/Current Liability
2. Debt-Equity Ration = Total Debt/(Total Debt + Equity)
3. Debt Service Coverage Ratio = EBITDA/Finance Cost
4. Return on Equity Ratio = Profit After Tax/Total Equity
5. Inventory Turnover Ratio = Turnover/Inventory
6. Trade Receivable Turnover Ratio = Turnover/Trade Receivable
7. Trade Payables turnover ratio = Turnover/Trade Payable
8. Net Capital turnover ratio = Turnover/(Current Asset - Current Liability)
9. Net Profit ratio = Profit After Tax/Revenue From Operations
10. Return Capital Employed = Profit After tax/Total Equity

30. The figures for previous year have been regrouped/rearranged wherever necessary to make them comparable.

In terms of our report of even date
For **GMCS & Co.**
Chartered Accountants
Firm Registration No. 141236W

For **& on behalf of Board of Directors**

Amit Bansal
Mainkar
Partner
M. No : 424232
Place : Mumbai
Date : 30.05.2024

Rajesh Nanda **Avinash**
Managing Director **Director**
DIN : 06399927 **Din : 01986289**

EXPLICIT FINANCE LIMITED
CIN No.: L65990MH1994PLC076788

Registered Office: 305, Sohan Commercial Plaza, Vasai (E), Opp. Shivsena Office, Palghar- 401210

Form No. MGT-11
Proxy Form
[Pursuant to section 105(6) of the Companies Act, 2013 and rule 19(3) of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014]

Name of the Company: EXPLICIT FINANCE LIMITED	
CIN	: L65990MH1994PLC076788
Registered Office	: 305, Sohan Commercial Plaza, Vasai (E), Opp. Shivsena Office Palghar-401210
Name of the Member(s) :	
Registered Address:	
E-mail Id :	
Folio No./Client ID :	
DP ID :	

I/We, being the member (s) of shares of the above named company, hereby appoint

1.	Name			
	Address			
	E-mail ID		Signature	
	Or Failing him			
2.	Name			
	Address			
	E-mail ID		Signature	
	Or Failing him			
3.	Name			
	Address			
	E-mail ID		Signature	

as my/our proxy to attend and vote (on a poll) for me/us and on my/our behalf at the 29th Annual General Meeting of the Company, to be held on the September 30, 2024 At 9.30 a.m. at 101, Lotus Business Complex, Near Vasai Phata, Vasai East, Dist Palghar- 401210 and at any adjournment thereof in respect of such resolutions as are indicated below:

Resolution Number	Resolutions
1	To receive, consider and adopt the Audited Balance Sheet as at 31st March, 2024 and the Statement of Profit and Loss of the Company for the financial year ended and the Reports of the Board of Directors and Auditors thereon.
2	To re-appoint Mr. Avinash Mainkar (DIN: 01986289) Non – executive Director liable to retire by rotation and being eligible offers himself for re-appointment.

Signed this _____ day of _____,

2024 Signature of Member _____

Proxy holder(s) Signature _____

Affix Re. 1/- Revenue Stamp

Note: This form, in order to be effective, should be duly stamped, completed, signed and deposited at the registered office of the Company, not less than 48 hours before the commencement of the meeting.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 30th SEPTEMBER,2024

ATTENDANCE SLIP

Name and Address of the Member:

Folio No./DPID Client Id No.:

I certify that I am a registered Shareholder/Proxy of the Company and hold_____Equity Shares.

(Please indicate whether Shareholder/Proxy)

I hereby record my presence at the Annual General Meeting of the Company to be held at 101, Lotus Business Complex, Near Vasai Phata, Vasai East,Dist Palghar- 401210 on Monday, 30th September,2024 at 9.30 A.M.

SIGNATURE OF THE MEMBER/PROXY

NO. OF SHARES HELD

Note: Please fill up this attendance slip and hand it over at the entrance of the meeting hall. Members are requested to bring their copies of the Annual Report to the meeting.

If undelivered please return to: **Explicit Finance Ltd.**,
305, Sohan Commercial Plaza, Vasai
(E), Palghar - 401210

Form No. MGT- 12
Polling Paper

[Pursuant to Section 109(5) of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rule 21(1) (c) of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014]

Name of the Company: Explicit Finance Limited
Registered Office: 305, Sohan Commercial Plaza, Opp Shiv Sena Office, Vasai (East)
CIN: L65990MH1994PLC076788

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Sl.	Particulars	Details
1.	Name of the first named Shareholder (In Block Letters)	
2.	Postal address	
3.	Registered Email address with the Company	
4.	DP ID(Applicable only to Dematerialized Shareholders of SBSL)	
5.	Registered Folio No(Physical Shares) / Client ID(dematerialized shares of SBSL)	
6.	Class of Share	Equity Shares of Rs. 10/- each

I hereby exercise my vote at the Annual General Meeting of the Company, to be held on Monday, September 30, 2024 at 9:30 A.M in respect of Resolutions enumerated below by recording my assent or dissent to the said resolutions in the following manner:

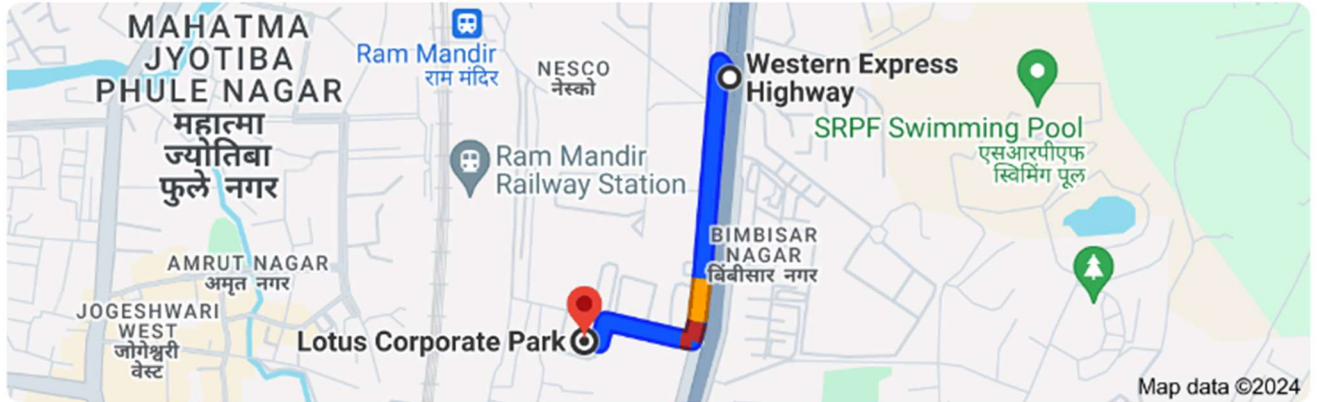
No.	Item No.	No. of Shares held by me	I assent to the resolution	I dissent from the resolution
1.	To receive, consider and adopt the Audited Balance Sheet as at 31st March, 2024 and the Statement of Profit and Loss of the Company for the financial year ended and the Reports of the Board of Directors and Auditors thereon.			
2	To re-appoint Mr. Avinash Mainkar (DIN: 01986289) Non – executive Director liable to retire by rotation and being eligible offers himself for re-appointment.			

Place:

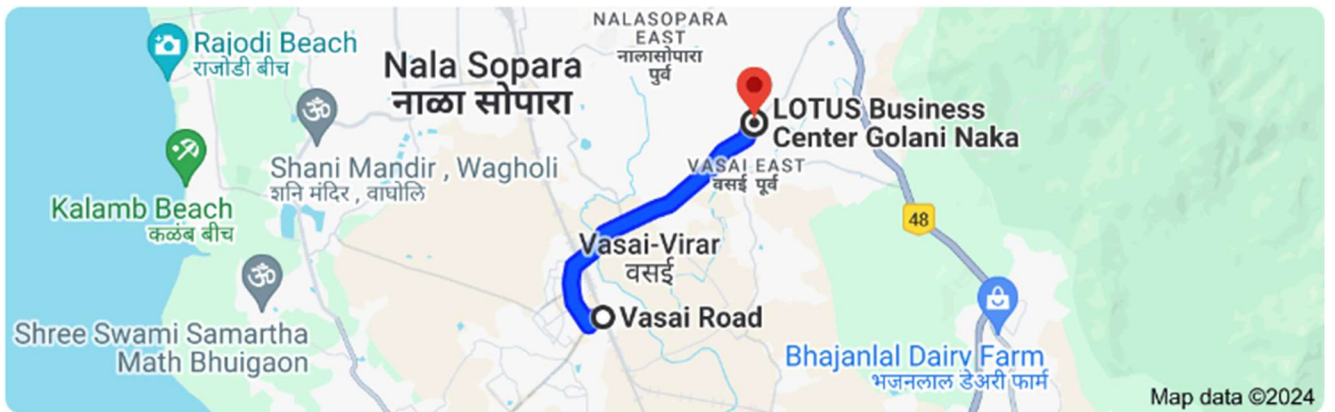
Date:

(*as per Company records) **Signature of the Shareholder***
(Sas per Proxy Form) Signature of Proxy\$

Route map from western express highway to venue



Route Map from Vasai Railway Station East to Venue



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