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Balmer Lawrie & Co. Ltd. (A Government of India Enterprise)

Date: 5th November, 2024

The Secretary, National Stock Exchange of India Limited Exchange Plaza, C-1, Block-G Bandra Kurla Complex Bandra (E), Mumbai – 400051

Company Code: BALMLAWRIE

Dear Sir(s)/Madam(s),

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Ref: SECY/Stock Exchange/2024

The Secretary, BSE Limited Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers Dalal Street Mumbai- 400001

Scrip Code: 523319

Subject: Disclosure under Regulation 30 and Regulation 33 of Securities and Exchange Board of India ("SEBI") (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("Listing Regulations") – Unaudited Financial Results (both Standalone and Consolidated) for the Second Quarter and Half-Year ended on 30th September, 2024

Further to our intimation dated 29th October, 2024 and pursuant to Regulation 30 read with Schedule III, Part A, Para A and Regulation 33 of the Listing Regulations, this is to hereby inform that the Board of Directors of Balmer Lawrie & Co. Ltd. at its Meeting held on Tuesday, 5th November, 2024 has, *inter alia*, considered and approved the Unaudited Financial Results (both Consolidated and Standalone) for the second quarter and half year ended on 30th September, 2024 along with Limited Review Report of the Statutory Auditors thereon. Accordingly, we hereby submit the aforesaid Unaudited financial Results along with Limited Review Report, enclosed hereunder.

The Unaudited Financial Results shall also be published in the newspapers as per Regulation 47(1) of the Listing Regulations and would also be uploaded on the website of the Company at <u>www.balmerlawrie.com</u> in terms of Regulation 46(2) of the Listing Regulations.

The Meeting commenced at 12:00 noon and concluded at _____06:15 _____p.m.

For Balmer Lawrie & Co. Ltd.

Sonal Sharma Compliance Officer

Enclosed: As above

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SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT

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Statement of Standalone Unaudited Financial Results for the Quarter and Six months ended 30/09/2024

				STAN	DALONE		
I. No.	Particulars (Refer Notes Below)	3 months ended 30/09/2024	Preceeding 3 months ended 30/06/2024	Corresponding 3 months ended <u>30/09/2023</u> (Unaudited)	Year to date figures for the current period ended <u>30/09/2024</u> [Unaudited]	Year to date figures for the previous period ended 30/09/2023 (Unaudited)	Figures for previous year ended 31/03/2024 (Audited)
		(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaddited)	(Unaddited)	(Audited)
1	Revenue from Operations	63,397 81	53,128.18	58,114.94	1,25,525.99	1,16,982.63	2,31,859 0
11	Other Income	1,468.05	1,234.13	1,726.77	2,702 18	2,749 97	3,557 4
101	Total Income (I + II)	64,865.86	64,362.31	59,841.71	1,29,228.17	1,19,732.60	2,40,416.5
IV	Expenses						
	Cost of Materials consumed & Services rendered	40,996 55	41,444.84	37,727.50	82,441.39	75,998 57	1,48,415 /
	Purchase of Stock-in-Trade	2,196.08	843.56	478.62	3,039.64	1,962.24	5,149 6
	Changes in inventories of Finished Goods, Stock-in-Trade and Work-in-Progress	90.14	470.94	239.71	561.08	417.65	254 3
	Employee Benefits Expenses	5.661.73	6,723.74	5,602.21	12,385,47	11.415 14	24,263 4
			411.01	236.33	719.23	644 82	1,349 6
	Finance costs	308.22		1,173.54	2,339.75	2,381.06	4,825
	Depreciation and amortization expense	1,159.20	1,180.55	6,742.51	15,100 55	13,527 21	28,292.
	Other expenses	7,596.39	7,504.16				
	Total Expenses (IV)	58,008.31	58,578.80	52,200.52	1,16,587.11	1,06,346.69	2,12,551.
v	Profit/ (Loss) before exceptional items and tax (III-IV)	6,857.55	5,783.51	7,641.19	12,641.05	13,385.91	27,865.
VI	Exceptional items						
VII	Profit/ (Loss) before Tax (V - VI)	6,857.55	5,783.51	7,641.19	12,641.06	13,385.91	27,865
VIII	Tax expense:						
	(1) Current Tax	1,988.30	1,735.20	2,090.20	3,723.50	3,597.90	8,601
	(2) Deferred Tax	(99.43)	(530.14)	12.73	(729.57)	(386.02)	(1,082
IX	Profit/ (Loss) for the period from continuing operations (VII-VIII)	4,968.68	4,678.45	5,538.26	9,647.13	10,074.03	20,347.
×	Profit/ (Loss) from discontinued operations						
XI	Tax expenses of discontinued operations						
XII	Profit/ (Loss) from Discontinued operations (after tax) (X-XI)						
XIII	Profit/ (Loss) for the period (IX + XII)	4,968.68	4,578.45	5,538.26	9,647.13	10,074.03	20,347
XIV	Other Comprehensive Income						
	(A)(i) Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss	-	-			-	(567
	(A)(ii) Income tax relating to items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss					~	142
	(B)(i) Items that will be reclassified to profit or loss						
	(B)(ii) income tax relating to items that will be reclassified to profit or loss	-				.=:	
xv	Total Comprehensive Income / (Loss) for the period (Comprising Profit/ (Loss) and Other Comprehensive Income for the period) (XIII + XIV)	4,968.68	4,678.45	5,538.26	9,647.13	10,074.03	19,922
XVI	Earnings per equity share (for continuing operations) (of ₹ 10/- each) (not annualised)						
	(a) Basic	2.90	2.74	3.24	5.64	5.89	1
	(a) basic (b) Diluted	2.90	2.74	3.24			
XVII	Earnings per equity share (for discontinued operation) (of ₹ 10/- each) (not						
	annualised)						
	(a) Basic (b) Diluted						
-					+		
XVIII							
		2.90	2.74	3.24	5 64	C 00	1
		a contract					
	(not annualised) (a) Basic (b) Diluted	2.90 2.90	2.74	3.24			5.89

Notes: 1)

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. The above financial results have been reviewed by the Audit Committee and approved by the Board of Directors in its meetings held on November 5, 2024. As required under Regulation 33 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, the Statutory Auditors have conducted Limited Review of the above financial results for the Quarter ended Reptember 30, 2024.

Pre od/ year's figures have been regrouped/ rearranged / reclassified wherever necessary.





	The Statement of Standalone Assets and Liabi		
			(₹ in Lakhs)
	Standalone Statement of Assets and Liabilities	As at Current half year end 30/09/2024	As at Previous Year end 31/03/2024
	Particulars	Unaudited	Audited
SETS			
n-Curre	ent Assets	48 875 00	40 676 17
Propert	ty, Plant and Equipment	48,835.00	49,676.12
Right of	of Use Assets	7,893.89 6,399.06	8,509.86 5,210.83
Capital	work-in-progress	96.36	96.94
Investr	ment Properties	114.38	145.84
Intangil	ible Assets	9.70	9.70
	ble Assets under development	5.70	2.10
	al Assets	9,026.48	8,962.42
i) Inves		83.92	77.36
ii) Loans		14.16	14.99
iii) Othe	nancial Assets - Others	1,988.07	2,116.69
) NOI FI			
Non-Curr	rrent Assets	74,461.01	74,820.75
irrent As	issets		10 221 62
) Invento		18,955.48	19,321.62
	cial Assets		43 032 04
	de Receivables	54,676.05	42,022.94 5,043.52
	n & Cash Equivalents	3,253.23	47,403.16
	er Bank Balances	30,030.19	1,124.08
(iv) Loar		1,773.96	23,807.34
(v) Othe	ers Financial Assets- Others	33,085.47 7,947.37	9,629.86
			1 40 252 53
Current	Assets	1,49,721.75	1,48,352.52
	TOTAL ASSETS	2,24,182.76	2,23,173.27
QUITY A	AND LIABILITIES		
quity			
	y Share Capital	17,100.38	17,100.38
) Other		1,20,733.23	1,25,621.43
Equity		1,37,833.61	1,42,721.81
ABILITI			
	rent Liabilities		
	cial Liabilities	1,968.68	2,114.6
	ise Liabilities er Financial Liabilities	26.17	21.0
b) Provis		9,164.56	8,890.0
	red Tax Liabilities (Net)	(105.26)	624.3
	Financial Liabilities - Others	317.83	343.9
		11,371.98	11.004.0
Non-Cu	urrent Liabilities	11,5/1.50	11,994.0
	Liabilities		
	ncial Liabilities	2,000.00	1.3
	ase Liabilities	1,066.22	1,387.1
	de Payables		2,507.1
A) Total	loutstanding dues of micro enterprises and small enterprises	974.15	1,259.5
B) Total	l outstanding dues of creditors other than micro enterprises and small	29,019.91	29,846.2
enterpris			20,040.2
	her Financial Liabilities	21,876.87	18,865.9
	Financial Liabilities- Others	12,252.75	9,021.2
c) Provis		3,106.18	2,780.0
	ent Tax Liabilities (Net)	4,681.09	5,295.9
- Current	nt Liabilities	74,977.17	68,457.4
	TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	2,24,182.76	2,23,173.2
- Current			1/2

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Particulars		30 September 2024 Unaudited	30 September 2023 Unaudited
Cash flow from Operating Activities			
Net profit before tax		12,641.06	13,385.91
Adjustments for:	1.1		
Depreciation and Amortisation		2,339.75	2,381.06
Write off/Provision for Inventories (Net)		69.86	52.31
(Gain)/ Loss on sale of fixed assets (Net)		(4.06)	(4.15
Interest income		(1,827.66)	(1,337.73
Dividend Income		(2,973.26)	(3,409.96
Finance costs		719.23	644.82
Operating Cash Flows before working capital changes		10,964.92	11,712.26
Changes in operating assets and liabilities (working capital changes)			(0.000.77
(Increase)/Decrease in trade receivables		(12,653.11)	(9,282.77
(Increase)/Decrease in non current assets		(78.80)	(66.52
(Increase)/Decrease in inventories		296.28	3,009.28
(Increase)/Decrease in other short term financial assets		(9,928.01)	(6,110.7)
(Increase)/Decrease in other current assets		1,682.49	(2,534.03
Increase/(Decrease) in trade payables		(1,106.61)	(1,086.99
Increase/(Decrease) in long term provisions		274.50	(18.8)
Increase/(Decrease) in short term provisions		326.15	(73.9
Increase/(Decrease) in other liabilities		3,596.29	3,525.6
Increase/(Decrease) in other current liabilities		3,205.39	4,362.7
Cash flow generated from operations		(3,420.51)	
Income taxes paid (Net of refunds)		(4,338.34)	
Net Cash (used in)/generated from Operating Activities	A	(7,758.85)	007.0
Cash flow from Investing Activities			
Purchase/ Construction of Property, Plant and Equipment		(2,120.00)	(1,715.0
Purchase of Investments		(64.06)	-
Proceeds on sale of Property, Plant and Equipment		13.89	7.0
Bank deposits (having original maturity of more than three months) (Net)		17,372.97	6,704.6
Interest received		1,827.66	1,337.7
Dividend received		2,973.26	3,409.9
Net Cash (used in)/generated from Investing Activities	B	20,003.72	9,744.3
Cash flow from Financing Activities			
Proceeds from borrowings		1,998.61	
Dividend paid		(14,535.33)	
Repayment of lease liabilities		(779.22)	
Finance costs		(719.23)	
Net Cash (used in)/generated from Financing Activities	C	(14,035.17) (13,243.
Net Increase in Cash and Cash Equivalents (A+B+C)		(1,790.29	(2,831.
Cash and Cash Equivalents at the beginning of the period		5,043.52	6,008.
Cash and Cash Equivalents at the end of the period		3,253.23	
Movement in cash ba	lance	(1,790.29	(2,831
Reconciliation of Cash and Cash Equivalents as per cash flow statement			
Cash and Cash Equivalents as per above comprise of the following :			
Cash in hand		23.22	6.
Balances with banks in current accounts		3,230.01	
Total		3,253.23	





		3 months ended <u>30/09/2024</u> (Unaudited)	Preceding 3 months ended <u>30/06/2024</u> (Unaudited)	Corresponding 3 months ended <u>30/09/2023</u> (Unaudited)	Year to date figures for current period ended <u>30-09-2024</u> (Unaudited)	Year to date figures for previous period ended <u>30-09-2023</u> (Unaudited)	previous Accounting year ended <u>31/03/2024</u> (Audited
Segment Revenue [Net Sales / Income]							
a. Industrial Packaging		20,291.26	25,979.58	19,941.11	46,270.84	45,453.93	83,105.0
b. Logistics Services		15,193.47	10,878.61	12,065.22	26,072.08	20,238.19	41,789.5
c. Logistics Infrastructure		6,110.08	5,206.92	5,790.76	11,317.00	10,862.89	21,886.2
d. Travel & Vacations		6,973.89	6,126.75	4,881.37	13,100.64	9,768.91	21,727.2
e. Greases & Lubricants		15,062.70	16,980.66	16,790.78	32,043.36	33,091.46	67,416.8
f. Others		4,206.72	2,506.55	2,696.63	6,713.27	5,828.61	13,509.6
	Total	67,838.12	67,679.07	62,165.87	1,35,517.19	1,25,243.99	2,49,434.4
Less : Inter Segment Revenue		4,440.31	4,550.89	4,050.93	8,991.20	8,261.36	17,575.4
Net Sales / Income from Operations		63,397.81	63,128.18	58,114.94	1,26,525.99	1,16,982.63	2,31,859.
Segment Results [Profit / (Loss) before Finance Costs & Tax	1						
a. Industrial Packaging		1,184.55	1,839.61	1,382.30	3,024.16	3,526.87	5,661.
b. Logistics Services		2,391.28	1,320.94	1,588.14	3,712.22	2,430.81	5,750
c. Logistics Infrastructure		703.03	753.08	1,021.02	1,456.11	1,957.08	4,062
d. Travel & Vacations		2,590.78	2,476.62	1,996.43	5,067.40	4,331.07	8,742
e. Greases & Lubricants		1,671.64	1,946.53	2,519.85	3,618.17	4,127.72	9,282
f. Others		(1,375.51)	(2,142.26)	(630.22)	(3,517.77)	(2,342.82)	(4,284
	Total	7,165.77	6,194.52	7,877.52	13,360.29	14,030.73	29,214
Less : Finance Costs		308.22	411.01	236.33	719.23	644.82	1,349
Total Profit Before Tax		6,857.55	5,783.51	7,641.19	12,641.06	13,385.91	27,865
Segment Assets							
a. Industrial Packaging		45,700.58	47,353.05	44,009.32	45,700.58	44,009.32	41,07
b. Logistics Services		18,388.07	14,862.50	12,574,79	18,388.07	12,574.79	13,16
c. Logistics Infrastructure		29,813.54	29,533.99	28,767.09	29,813.54	28,767.09	29,78
d. Travel & Vacations		48,467.73 23,780.95	43,626.69 23,511.34	43,865.81 23,479.96	48,467.73 23,780.95	43,865.81 23,479.96	36,42
e. Greases & Lubricants f. Others		58,031.89	77,161.28	62,521.67	58,031.89	62,521.67	79,79
Total		2,24,182.76	2,36,048.85	2,15,218.64	2,24,182.76	2,15,218.64	2,23,17
Segment Liabilities							
a. Industrial Packaging		11,632.84	16,023.03	11,746.95	11,632.84	11,746.95	12,04
b. Logistics Services		10,429.94	9,249.80	10,009.59	10,429.94		10,34
c. Logistics Infrastructure		8,329.95	7,545.03	8,411.33	8,329.95	8,411.33	8,4
d. Travel & Vacations		15,931.68	14,236.96	14,671.01	15,931.68	14,671.01	13,2
e. Greases & Lubricants		5,977.42	6,765.00	6,676.74	5,977.42		6,1
f. Others		34,047.32	34,828.77	30,829.78	34,047.32	30,829.78	30,2
Total		86,349.15	88,648.59	82,345.40	86,349.15	82,345,40	80,4

Place:- New Delhi Date:- November 5, 2024

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On behalf of Board of Directors

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(Saurav Dutta) Director (Finance) and CFO DIN: 10042140

BALMER LAWRIE & CO. LTD. [A Government of India Enterprise]

To Board of Directors Balmer Lawrie & Co. Ltd.

CEO and CFO Certification

We, Adhip Nath Palchaudhuri, Chairman & Managing Director and Saurav Dutta, Director (Finance), hereby certify that we have reviewed the Unaudited Standalone Financial Results of the Company for quarter/ period ended 30th September 2024 and to the best of our knowledge and belief, the said results:

- (i) Do not contain any false or misleading statements or figures, and
- Do not omit any material fact, which may make the statements or figures contained therein misleading.

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(Adhip Nath Palchaudhuri) Chairman & Managing Director and Director (Service Businesses) -Additional Charge

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(Saurav Dutta) Director (Finance) & CFO

5th November, 2024

B. Chhawchharia & Co.

Chartered Accountants

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Independent Auditor's Review Report on Standalone Unaudited Financial Results of the Company for the quarter Pursuant to the Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended

To, The Board of Directors of Balmer Lawrie & Co. Limited

- We have reviewed the accompanying statement of standalone unaudited financial results ('Statement') of Balmer Lawrie & Co. Limited ('the Company') for the quarter and Half year ended 30th September 2024, attached herewith, being submitted by the Company pursuant to the requirement of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ('the SEBI Regulations"), as amended, including relevant circulars issued by the SEBI from time to time.
- 2. This Statement is the responsibility of the Company's Management and approved by this Company's Board of Directors in their meeting held on 5th November, 2024, has been prepared in accordance with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in Indian Accounting Standard (Ind AS) 34, "Interim Financial Reporting", prescribed under Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with relevant rules issued thereunder and other accounting principles generally accepted in India in compliance with the SEBI Regulations, as amended. Our responsibility is to issue a report on the Statement based on our review.
- 3. We conducted our review of the Statement in accordance with the Standard on Review Engagement (SRE) 2410 "Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity", issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India. This standard requires that we plan and perform the review to obtain moderate assurance as to whether the Statement is free of material misstatement. A review of interim financial information consists of making inquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope that an audit conducted in accordance with the Standards on Auditing specified under section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013 and consequently, does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.
- 4. Based on our review conducted as stated above, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying statement of standalone unaudited financial results, prepared in accordance with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in the applicable Indian Accounting Standards as prescribed under section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 as amended, read with relevant rules issued thereunder and other recognized accounting practices and policies



B. Chhawchharia & Co.

Chartered Accountants

Continuation Sheet

has not disclosed the information required to be disclosed in terms of SEBI Regulations, including the manner in which it is to be disclosed, or that it contains any material mis-statement.

For B. Chhawchharia & Co. Chartered Accountants Firm Registration No: 305123E

Gaurav Kumar Jaiswal Partner Membership No. 310588 UDIN: 24310588BKPLAX6506

Place: Kolkata Date: 05th November, 2024



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Statement of Consolidated Unaudited Financial Results for the Quarter and Six Months ended 30/09/2024

				CONSO	LIDATED		
No.	Particulars (Refer Notes Below)	3 months ended 30/09/2024 (Unaudited)	Preceeding 3 months ended 30/06/2024 (Unaudited)	Corresponding 3 months ended <u>30/09/2023</u> (Unaudited)	Year to date figures for the current period ended <u>30/09/2024</u> (Unaudited)	Year to date figures for the previous period ended 30/09/2023 (Unaudited)	Figures for previou year ended 31/03/2024 (Audited)
1	Revenue from Operations	63,890.57	63,816.38	58,561.04	1,27,706.95	1,17,790.50	2,33,922.6
8	Other Income	1,146.41	1,229.66	1,261.02	2.375.07	2,278.98	5.103 2
681	Total Income (I + II)	65,036.98	65,046.04	59,822.06	1,30,083.02	1,20,069.48	2,39,025.9
IV	Expenses						
	Cost of Materials consumed & Services rendered	41,181.55	41,724.31	37,845.70	82,905.86	76,192 36	1,48,949
	Purchase of Stock-in-Trade	2,196.08	843.56	478.62	3,039.64	1,962.24	5,149
	Changes in inventories of Finished Goods, Stock-in-Trade and Work-in Progress	90.14	470.94	239.71	561.08	417.65	254
	Employee Benefits Expense	5,688 79	6,747.10	5,622.72	12,435.89	11,457.77	24,340
	Finance costs	506 65		451.84	1,118.98	1,078.65	2,205
	Depreciation and Amortization expense	1,427 71	1,450.02	1,444.76		2,930 36	5,915
	Other expenses	7,722.71	7,637.13	6.884.17	15,359.84	13,797 37	24.761
	Total Expenses (IV)	58,813.63	59,485.39	52,967.52	1,18,299.02	1,07,836.40	2,11,576
v	Profit/ (Loss) before exceptional items and tax (III-IV)	6,223.35	5.560.65	6,854.54	11,784.00	12,233.08	27,448
IV	Exceptional items	*					
IIV	Profit/ (Loss) before Tax (V - VI)	6,223.35	5,560.65	6,854.54	11.784.00	12,233.08	27,448
/111	Tax expense:						
	(1) Current Tax	1,988 30	1,735.20	2.090.20	3,723.50	3,697.90	8,60
	(2) Deferred Tax	(99.43		12.73	(729.57)		
IX	Profit/ (Loss) for the period from continuing operations (VII-VIII)	4,334.48	4,455.59	4,751.61	3,790.07	3,921.20	19,930
x	Profit/ (Loss) from discontinued operations						
X	Tax Expenses of discontinued operations						
201	Profit/ (Loss) from discontinued operations (after tax) (X-XI)						
XIII	Share of Profit/ (Loss) of joint ventures and associates (net)	1,775.47	1,838.03	1,502.06	3,613.50	2,916.93	5,809
XIX	Profit/ (Loss) for the Period (IX+XII+XIII)	6,109.95	6,293.62	6,253.67	12,403.57	11,838.13	25,739
	- Attributable to owners of the parent	6,252.96	6,382.77	6,385.71	12,635.73	12,116.64	26,15
	- Attributable to non-controlling interest	(143.01		(132.04)			
XV	Other Comprehensive Income						
	(A)(i) Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss		•				(56
	(ii) Income tax relating to items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss						14
	(B)(i) Items that will be reclassified to profit or loss (ii) Income tax relating to items that will be reclassified to profit or loss						
		(0.14	4) (0.14)	(0.18	(0.28	(0.36	a) (
XVI		6,109.8		6,253.49			
XVII		6.252.8		6,385.53			
	Attributable to owners of the parent Attributable to non-controlling interest	(143.0					
XVII	Earnings per equity share (for continuing operations)						
	(a) Basic (b) Diluted	3.6 3.6					
XIX							
	(a) Basic (b) Diluted	:		:		:	
XXX							
	(a) Basic	3.6					
	(b) Diluted	3.6	6 3.73	3.7	4 7.3	9 7.09	9 1

Notes:-1) . The above financial results have been reviewed by the Audit Committee and approved by the Board of Directors in its meetings held on November 05, 2024. As required under Regulation 33 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, the Statutory Auditors have conducted Limited Review of the above financial results for the Quarter and Period ended September 30, 2024.

Previous period/ year's figures have been regrouped/ rearranged / reclassified wherever necessary.





	Consolidated Statement of Assets and Liabilities	As at Current half year end 30/09/2024	(₹ in Lakhs) As at Previous year end
	Particulars	Unaudited	31/03/2024 Audited
	ASSETS	onduced	Hourtes
	Non-Current Assets		
1)	a) Property, Plant and Equipment	61,184.16	62,422.29
	(b) Right of Use Assets	11,622.61	12,376.23
	(c) Capital work-in-progress	6,399.06	5,210.83
	(d) Investment Properties	96.36	96.94
	(e) Intangible Assets	129.03	163.75
	(f) Intangible Assets under development	12.50	9.70
	(g) Financial Assets		
	(i) Investments	59,670.50	56,486.88
	(ii) Loans	83.92	77.36
	(iii) Others	14.16	14.99
	(h) Non Financial Assets - Others	2,029.16	2,156.69
otal	Non-Current Assets	1,41,241.46	1,39,015.67
	Current Assets		10 331 6
	(a) Inventories	18,955.48	19,321.62
	(b) Financial Assets (i) Trade Receivables	55,301.91	42,696.30
	(i) Trade Receivables (ii) Cash & Cash equivalents	3,324.06	5.075.2
	(iii) Other Bank Balances	30.030.19	47,403.1
	(iv) Loans	494.79	302.3
	(v) Others	33,085.47	23,807.3
	(c) Non Financial Assets- Others	7,985.08	9,689.3
ota	Current Assets	1,49,176.98	1,48,295.30
	TOTAL ASSETS	2,90,418.44	2,87,311.0
	(a) Equity Share Capital (b) Other Equity <u>MINORITY INTEREST</u> Equity attributable to Non Controlling Interest (a) Equity Share Capital (b) Other Equity	17,100.38 <u>1,51,329.14</u> 1,78,429.52 5,402.60 (2,924.08 2,478.52	1,64,979.4 1,82,079.8 5,402.6 (2,691.9
Tota	I Equity	1,80,908.04	1,84,790.5
(1)	LIABILITIES Non-Current Liabilities (a) Financial Liabilities	6.001.78	6 622 3
	(i) Borrowings (ii) Lease Liabilities	1,988.50	-,
	(iii) Other Financial Liabilities	37.40	
	(b) Provisions	9,182.03	
	(c) Deferred Tax Liabilities (Net)	13,660.62	
	(d) Non Financial Liabilities - Others	756.33	
lota	l Non-Current Liabilities	31,626.64	1 31,358.
(2)	Current Liabilities (a) Financial Liabilities (i) Borrowings (ii) Lease Liabilities	3,272.0 1,109.5	
	(iii) Trade Payables		
	(A) Total outstanding dues of micro enterprises and small enterprises	976.4	0 1,270.
	(B) Total outstanding dues of creditors other than micro enterprises and small enterprises	29,591.5	
	(iv) Other Financial Liabilities	22,824.4	
	(b) Non Financial Liabilities- Others	12,398.1	
	(c) Provisions (d) Current Tax Liabilities (Net)	3,106.7 4,604.9	and a second sec
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ota	I Current Liabilities	77,883.7	6 71,162.

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			(₹ in Lakhs
Particulars		For the Period ended	For the Period ended 30
		30 September 2024	September 2023
		Unaudited	Unaudited
Cash flow from Operating Activities			
Net profit before tax		11,784.00	12,233.08
Adjustments for:			
Depreciation and Amortisation		2,877.73	2,930.36
Write off/Provision for Inventories (Net)		69.86	52.31
(Gain)/ Loss on sale of fixed assets (Net)		(4.06)	(4.15
Interest income		(1,771.20)	(1,317.54
Dividend Income		-	(8.0)
Finance costs		1,118.98	1,078.65
Operating cash flows before working capital changes		14,075.31	14,964.70
Changes in operating assets and liabilities (working capital changes)			
(Increase)/Decrease in trade receivables		112 505 611	(9,331.0)
(Increase)/Decrease in non current assets		(12,605.61)	(9,331.0.
(Increase)/Decrease in non current assets (Increase)/Decrease in Inventories		(79.89)	
		296.28	3,009.2
(Increase)/Decrease in other short term financial assets		(9,470.58)	(5,710.5
(Increase)/Decrease in other current assets	1	1,473.18	(2,553.1
Increase/(Decrease) in trade payables	1	(899.35)	(898.9
Increase/(Decrease) in long term provisions		262.73	(15.3
Increase/(Decrease) in short term provisions	1	326.73	(73.9
Increase/(Decrease) in other liabilities	1	3,613.24	3,991.5
Increase/(Decrease) in other current liabilities	L	3,493.09	4,795.6
Cash flow generated from operations		485.13	8,131.5
Income taxes paid (Net of refunds)		(4,355.98)	(2,810.3
Net Cash (used in) / generated from Operating Activities	A	(3,870.85)	. 5,321.1
Cash flow from Investing Activities			
Purchase/ Construction of Property, Plant and Equipment		(2,119.99)	(1,698.0
Purchase of Investments		(64.06)	(1,038.0
			-
Proceeds on sale of Property, Plant and Equipment		13.89	7.0
Bank deposits (having original maturity of more than three months) (Net)		17,372.97	6,704.6
Interest received		1,771.20	1,317.5
Dividend received			8.0
Net Cash (used in) / generated from Investing Activities	B	16,974.01	6,339.2
Cash flow from Financing Activities			
Proceeds/Repayment from/of borrowings		1,579.14	(22.7
Dividend paid		(14,535.33)	(12,825.2
Repayment of lease liabilities		(779.22)	(696.4
Finance costs	-	(1,118.98)	(935.1
Net Cash (used in) / generated from Financing Activities	С	(14,854.39)	(14,479.6
Net Increase/ (Decrease) in Cash and Cash equivalents (A+B+C)		(1,751.23)	(2,819.2
Cash and Cash Equivalents at the beginning of the period		5,075.29	6,009.8
Cash and Cash Equivalents at the end of the period		3,324.06	3,190.6
Movement in ca	ish balance	(1,751.23)	(2,819.2
Reconciliation of Cash and Cash Equivalents as per cash flow statement			
Cash and Cash Equivalents as per above comprise of the following:			
Cash in hand		23.67	7.1
Balances with banks in current accounts		3,300.39	3,183.4
		0,000.00	0,100.4





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SOLIDATED - SEGMENT WISE REVENUE, RESULTS AND CAPIT	ALCINFLO	reb					(in Lakhs)
					Year to date	Year to date	
			Preceding	Corresponding	figures for	figures for	previous
		3 months	3 months	3 months	current	previous	Accounting
		ended	ended	ended	period ended	period ended	year ended
		30/09/2024	30/06/2024	30/09/2023	30-09-2024	30-09-2023	31/03/2024
		(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
egment Revenue [Net Sales / Income]			ALL CONTRACTOR OF	Contraction of		[onesone of	Fundation
Industrial Packaging		20.291.26	25,979.58	19.941.11	46,270.84	45,453 93	83,105.01
. Logistics Services		15,193.47	10,878.61	12,065.22	26,072.08	20,238.19	41,789.58
Logistics Infrastructure		6,602.84	5,895.12	6,236.86	12,497.96	11,670.76	23,949.85
d. Travel & Vacations		6.973.89	6,126.75	4,881.37	13,100.64	9,768.91	21.727.23
e. Greases & Lubricants		15.062.70	16,980.66	16,790,78	32,043.36	33.091.46	67,416.81
Others		4,206.72	2.506.55	2,696.63	6.713.27	5,828.61	13,509.62
		4,200.72	2,500.55	2,030.05	0,113.21	3,626.01	15,509.62
	Total	68,330.88	68,367.27	62,611.97	1,36,698.15	1.26.051.86	2,51,498.10
Less : Inter Segment Revenue		4,440.31	4,550.89	4,050.93	8,991.20	8,261.36	17,575.43
Net Sales / Income from Operations		63,890.57	63,816.38	58,561.04	1,27,706.95	1,17,790.50	2,33,922.67
Segment Results [Profit / (Loss) before Finance Costs & Tax]							
a. Industrial Packaging		1 104 55	1 020 61	1,382.30	3,024.16	3,526.87	5,661 1
b. Logistics Services		1,184.55	1,839.61		3,712.22	2,430.81	5,750.66
c. Logistics Infrastructure		2,391.28	1,320.94	1,588.14			3,750.6
d. Travel & Vacations		543.91	731.54	906.42	1,275.45	1,694.62	
e. Greases & Lubricants		2,590.78	2,476.62	1,996.43	5,067.40	4,331.07	8,742.1
		1,671.64	1,946.53	2,519.85	3,618.17	4,127.72	9,282.5
f. Others		(1,652.16)	(2,142.26)	(1,086.76)	(3,794.42)	(2,799.36)	(3,661.9
	Total	6,730.00	6,172.98	7,306.38	12,902.98	13,311.73	29,653.9
Less : Finance Costs		506.65	612.33	451.84	1,118.98	1,078.65	2,205.0
Total Profit Before Tax		6,223.35	5,560.65	6,854.54	11,784.00	12,233.08	27,448.
Segment Assets							
a. Industrial Packaging		45,700.58	47.353.05	44,009.32	45,700.58	44,009.32	41,072
b. Logistics Services		18,388.07	14.862.50	12,574.79	18.388.07	12,574.79	13,161
c. Logistics Infrastructure		41,353.25	41,715.85	37,768.17	41.353.25	37,768.17	42,347
d. Travel & Vacations		48,467.73	43,626.69	43,865.81	48,467.73	43,865.81	36,420
e. Greases & Lubricants		23,780,95	23,511.34	23,479.96	23,780,95	23,479,96	22.937
f. Others		1,12,727.86	1,31,056.61	1,11,675.94	1,12,727.86	1,11,675.94	1,31,372
Total		2,90,418.44	3,02,126.04	2,73,373.99	2,90,418.44	2,73,373.99	2,87,31
4 Segment Liabilities							
a. Industrial Packaging		11.632.84	16,023.03	11,746.95	11.632.84	11,746.95	12.04
b. Logistics Services		10,429,94	9,249.80	10,009.59	10,429,94	10.009.59	10.34
c. Logistics Infrastructure		21.777.27	21,276.95	18,397.39	21.777.27	18,397,39	22.30
		15.931.68	14,236.96	14,671.01	15,931.68	14,671.01	
d. Travel & Vacations		5.977.42	6,765.00		5,977.42	6,676.74	
e. Greases & Lubricants f. Others		43,761.25	44,341.20		43,761.25	43,200.92	

Place:- New Delhi Date:- November 5, 2024

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On behalf of Board of Directors (Saurav Dutta) Director (Finance) and CFO DIN: 10042140

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BALMER LAWRIE & CO. LTD. [A Government of India Enterprise]

To Board of Directors Balmer Lawrie & Co. Ltd.

CEO and CFO Certification

We, Adhip Nath Palchaudhuri, Chairman & Managing Director and Saurav Dutta, Director (Finance), hereby certify that we have reviewed the Unaudited Consolidated Financial Results of the Company for quarter/ period ended 30th September 2024 and to the best of our knowledge and belief, the said results:

- (i) Do not contain any false or misleading statements or figures, and
- Do not omit any material fact, which may make the statements or figures contained therein misleading.

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(Adhip Nath Palchaudhuri) Chairman & Managing Director and Director (Service Businesses) -Additional Charge

3 (Saurav Dutta)

Director (Finance) & CFO

5th November, 2024

B. Chhawchharia & Co.

Chartered Accountants

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Independent Auditor's Review Report on Consolidated Unaudited Financial Results of the Company for the quarter Pursuant to the Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended

To, The Board of Directors of Balmer Lawrie & Co. Limited

- 1. We have reviewed the accompanying statement of consolidated unaudited financial results ('Statement') of Balmer Lawrie & Co. Limited ('the Company'), its subsidiary (the Holding Company and its subsidiary together referred to as 'the Group') and its associate and joint ventures for the quarter and Half year ended 30th September, 2024 attached herewith, being submitted by the Holding Company pursuant to the requirement of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ('the SEBI Regulations"), as amended, including relevant circulars issued by the SEBI from time to time.
- 2. This Statement is the responsibility of the Holding Company's management and approved by the Holding Company's Board of Directors in their meeting held on 05th November, 2024 has been prepared in accordance with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in Indian Accounting Standard (Ind AS) 34, "Interim Financial Reporting", prescribed under Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with relevant rules issued thereunder and other accounting principles generally accepted in India in compliance with the SEBI Regulations, as amended. Our responsibility is to issue a report on the Statement based on our review.
- 3. We conducted our review of the Statement in accordance with the Standard on Review Engagement (SRE) 2410 "Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity", issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India. This standard requires that we plan and perform the review to obtain moderate assurance as to whether the Statement is free of material misstatement. A review of interim financial information consists of making inquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope that an audit conducted in accordance with the Standards on Auditing specified under section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013 and consequently, does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

We also performed procedures in accordance with the circular issued by the SEBI under Regulation 33(8) of SEBI (Listing Obligation and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 as amended, to the extent applicable.

- 4. This Statement includes consolidation of results pertaining to the entities listed in Annexure 1.
- 5. Based on our review conducted as stated in paragraph 3 above and based on the consideration of the review reports of the other auditors referred to in paragraph 6 below, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying statement of consolidated unaudited



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financial results, prepared in accordance with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in the applicable Indian Accounting Standards as prescribed under section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 as amended, read with relevant rules issued thereunder and other recognized accounting practices and policies has not disclosed the information required to be disclosed in terms of SEBI Regulations, including the manner in which it is to be disclosed, or that it contains any material misstatement.

6. We did not review the interim financial results of subsidiary M/s Visakhapatnam Port Logistics Park Limited, included in the consolidated unaudited financial results, whose interim financial results reflect total assets of Rs. 16,979.68 Lakhs as at 30th September, 2024 and total revenues of Rs. 498.37 Lakhs & Rs. 1,220.19 Lakhs, total net loss after tax of Rs. 353.04 Lakhs & Rs. 580.41 Lakhs and total comprehensive loss of Rs. 353.04 Lakhs & Rs. 580.41 Lakhs for the quarter ended 30th September, 2024 and for the period from 1st April, 2024 to 30th September, 2024, respectively, and net cash inflows of Rs. 39.07 Lakhs for the period from 1st April, 2024 to 30th September, 2024, as considered in these consolidated unaudited financial results. These interim financial results have been reviewed by other auditors whose report have been furnished to us by the Management and our conclusion on the Statement, in so far as it relates to the amounts and disclosures included in respect of the subsidiary is based solely on the report of the other auditor and the procedures performed by us as stated in paragraph 3 above.

The consolidated unaudited financial results also include the Group's share of profit after tax (net) of Rs. 1,775.47 lakhs and Rs. 3,613.50 lakhs and total comprehensive income (net) of Rs. 1,775.33 lakhs and Rs. 3,613.22 lakhs for the quarter ended 30th September, 2024 and for the period from 1st April 2024 to 30th September 2024, as considered in the Statement, in respect of 1 (one) associate and 3 (three) joint ventures, whose interim financial results have not been reviewed by us. These interim financial results have been furnished to us by the Management and our conclusion on the Statement, in so far as it relates to the amounts and disclosures included in respect of the associate and joint ventures are based solely on the statement of the Management approved financials of the associates and joint ventures and the procedures performed by us as stated in paragraph 3 above. According to the information and explanations given to us by the Management, these interim financial results are not material to the Group.

Our conclusion on the Statement is not modified in respect of the above matter

For B. Chhawchharia & Co. Chartered Accountants Firm Registration No: 305123E

Gaurav Kumar Jaiswal Partner Membership No. 310588 UDIN: 24310588BKPLAY3720

Place: Kolkata Date: 05th November, 2024



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Annexure 1

Annexure referred to in paragraph 4 of our review report on the Consolidated Financial Results of Balmer Lawrie & Co. Limited for the quarter and Half year ended 30th September, 2024.

Name of the entity	Relationship	
Visakhapatnam Port Logistics Park Limited	Subsidiary	
Balmer Lawrie Van Leer Limited	Joint Venture	
Balmer Lawrie (UAE) LLC	Joint Venture	
PT. Balmer Lawrie Indonesia	Joint Venture	
AVI - OIL India (P) Limited	Associate	



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Balmer Lawrie & Co. Ltd. (A Government of India Enterprise)

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Date: 5th November, 2024

The Secretary, National Stock Exchange of India Limited Exchange Plaza, C-1, Block-G, Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra (E), Mumbai – 400 051

Company Code: BALMLAWRIE

Dear Sir/Madam,

Ref: SECY/Stock Exchange/2024

The Secretary, BSE Limited Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers, Dalal Street, Mumbai- 400001

Scrip Code: 523319

Sub: Disclosure under Regulation 30 of Securities and Exchange Board of India ("SEBI") (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("Listing Regulations") – Extension of additional charge of the post of Director (Service Businesses) entrusted upon Shri Adhip Nath Palchaudhuri, (DIN: 08695322), Chairman and Managing Director of Balmer Lawrie & Co. Ltd. (the "Company")

This is with reference to our earlier intimation dated 12th August, 2024 wherein, the Company had intimated the Stock Exchanges regarding entrustment of additional charge of the post of Director (Service Businesses) of the Company upon Shri Adhip Nath Palchaudhuri, (DIN: 08695322), Chairman and Managing Director for a period of three months with effect from 20th July, 2024 or till the appointment of regular incumbent to the post or until further orders from the Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas, Government of India, Administrative Ministry, whichever is the earliest.

In furtherance to the same and in terms of Regulation 30 read with Para A of Part A of Schedule III of Listing Regulations, this is to hereby inform that in line with recommendation of Nomination and Remuneration Committee and pursuant to the Office Memorandum bearing reference no.- CA-31024/4/2024-CA-PNG:49875 dated 8th October, 2024 received from the Administrative Ministry, the Board of Directors of the Company at its Meeting held on Tuesday, 5th November, 2024 has, *inter-alia*, approved the extension of the additional charge of the post of Director (Service Businesses) entrusted upon Shri Adhip Nath Palchaudhuri, (DIN: 08695322), Chairman and Managing Director of the Company for a further period of 6 (six) months with retrospective effect from 20th October, 2024, or till the assumption of charge of the post by the regular incumbent, or until further orders from the Administrative Ministry, whichever is the earliest.

It may be noted that no additional remuneration shall be paid to Shri Adhip Nath Palchaudhuri, (DIN: 08695322) for continuing to act as the Director (Service Businesses) (additional charge) of the Company.

Furthermore, as per the requirement of the Circular no. LIST/COMP/14/2018-19 dated 20th June, 2018 read with Master Circular dated 30th April, 2024 issued by BSE Limited and Master Circular no. NSE/CML/2024/10 dated 29th April, 2024 issued by National Stock Exchange of India Limited, respectively, we hereby affirm that Shri Adhip Nath

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पंजीकृत कार्यालय : 21, नेताजी सुभाष रोड, कोलकाता - 700 001, (भारत), Registered Office : 21, Netaji Subhas Road, Kolkata - 700 001, (INDIA), Website : www.balmerlawrie.com

Palchaudhuri, (DIN: 08695322) is not debarred from holding the office of Director by virtue of any order of SEBI or any other such authority.

The details required under Regulation 30 of the Listing Regulations read with SEBI Circular bearing reference no. SEBI/HO/CFD/CFD-PoD-1/P/CIR/2023/123 dated 13th July, 2023 are enclosed herewith as '**Annexure-A**'.

The Board Meeting commenced at 12:00 noon and concluded at ______p.m.

For Balmer Lawrie & Co. Ltd.

Sonal Sharma Compliance Officer

Enclosed: as above

Annexure-A

SI	Particulars	Details
No.		
1.	Reason for change viz. appointment, re- appointment, resignation, removal, death or otherwise	Extension of entrustment of additional charge of the post of Director (Service Businesses) of the Company.
2.	Date of appointment/re- appointment/cessation (as applicable) & term of appointment/re- appointment;	With retrospective effect from 20 th October, 2024 and term of appointment as Director (Service Businesses)- additional charge would be for a further period of 6 (six) months with retrospective effect from 20 th October, 2024, or till the assumption of charge of the post by the regular incumbent, or until further orders from the Administrative Ministry, whichever is the earliest.
3.	Brief profile (in case of appointment)	Shri Adhip Nath Palchaudhuri holds a B.E (E&C) degree from University of Roorkee (now IIT Roorkee) and a PGDM from IIM Lucknow. He has professional work experience of nearly 30 years. He is a PMP and a CISA and is recognized as a Registered Corporate Coach by Worldwide Association of Business Coaches (WABC).
		Before his appointment as Chairman and Managing Director of the Company he was holding the functional position of Director (Service Businesses) of the Company, prior to which he was holding the position of Head – Marketing for the SBU: Industrial Packaging of Balmer Lawrie & Co. Ltd. Earlier, he has held positions such as Head – Supply Chain Management for SBU: Industrial Packaging and AVP & Head – ERP & Systems within the Corporate IT department of Balmer Lawrie & Co. Ltd. Prior to joining Balmer Lawrie & Co. Ltd., Shri Adhip Nath Palchaudhuri had worked with a wide variety of organizations in the IT Services/Consulting field in India and abroad.
4.	Disclosure of relationships between directors (in case of appointment of a director).	Shri Adhip Nath Palchaudhuri, (DIN: 08695322) does not have any inter-se relationship with other Directors of the Company.



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Date: 5th November, 2024

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The Secretary, National Stock Exchange of India Limited Exchange Plaza, C-1, Block G, Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra (E), Mumbai – 400 051

Company Code : BALMLAWRIE

Ref: SECY/Stock Exchange/2024

The Secretary, BSE Limited Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers, Dalal Street, Mumbai- 400001

Scrip Code : 523319

Dear Sir(s)/Madam(s),

Subject: Disclosure under Regulation 30 of Securities and Exchange Board of India ("SEBI") (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("Listing Regulations") with respect to the appointment of Statutory Auditors and Branch Auditors for the Financial Year 2024-25

Pursuant to Regulation 30 read with Para A of Part A of Schedule III of Listing Regulations, this is to hereby inform that the Board of Directors at its Meeting held on Tuesday, 5th November, 2024 have, *inter-alia*, taken on record the intimation received from the Comptroller and Auditor General of India ("C&AG") regarding appointment of the following firms as the Statutory Auditors and Branch Auditors of the Company for the Financial Year 2024-25:

M/s. B Chhawchharia & Co. (CA0074) 8A and 8B, Satyam Towers, 3, Alipore Road, Kolkata 700027, West Bengal	Statutory Auditors
M/s. D R Mohnot & Co. (CR0881) 606, Janki Centre Premises CHS, Shah Industrial Estates, Off Veera Desai Road, Andheri West, Mumbai 400053, Maharashtra	Branch Auditor (Western Region)
M/s. G C Daga & Co. (MD0661) 14, Veerappan Street, Sri Balaji Complex 2 nd Floor, Sowcarpet, Chennai-600001, Tamil Nadu	Branch Auditor (Southern Region)
M/s. S N R & Company (DE1781) A-15, 2 nd Floor, Hauz Khas, New Delhi-110016, Delhi	Branch Auditor (Northern Region)

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SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT

21, नेताजी सुभाष रोड, कोलकाता–700 001 (भारत) फोन : (91) (033) 2222-5612 / 5731 ई–मेल : bhavsar.k@balmerlawrie.com

21, Netaji Subhas Road, Kolkata - 700 001 (INDIA) Phone : (91) (033) 2222 5612 / 5731 E-mail : bhavsar.k@balmerlawrie.com सीआईएन/CIN : L15492WB1924GOI004835 The letter received from C&AG containing the details of appointment of the said Auditors is attached herewith as 'Annexure – A'.

The details required under Regulation 30 of the Listing Regulations read with SEBI Circular bearing reference no. SEBI/HO/CFD/CFD-PoD-1/P/CIR/2023/123 dated 13th July, 2023 are enclosed herewith as 'Annexure-B'.

The Board Meeting commenced at 12:00 noon and concluded at 06:15 p.m.

For Balmer Lawrie & Co. Ltd.

Sonal Sharma Compliance Officer

Enclosed: As above



OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER AND AUDITOR GENERAL OF INDIA 10, BAHADUR SHAH ZAFAR MARG, NEW DELHI - 110 124

No./CA. V/ COY/CENTRAL GOVERNMENT,BALAWC(4)/204 Dated :20/09/2024

To THE MANAGING DIRECTOR BALMER LAWRIE & COMPANY LTD 21 NETAJI SUBHAS ROAD, KOLKATA-790001

Subject : Appointment of Auditors under section 139 of the Companies Act, 2013 for the financial year 2024-2025

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to state that in exercise of the powers conferred by section 139 of the Companies Act 2013, the Comptroller and Auditor General of India is pleased to appoint the Chartered Accountant firms/Limited

- Liability Partnerships <u>As per Annexure II</u> as the Statutory/Joint Statutory/ Branch Auditors of the company for the year(s) : 2024-2025. Statutory/Joint Statutory Auditor (s) of holding company shall also be the
- auditors of Consolidated Financial Statements under section 139 read with section 129(4) of the Companies Act, 2013.

2. You are requested to contact the concerned auditors individually under intimation to this office

3. The supplementary/test audit under sections 143 (6) & (7) of the Companies Act, 2013 of your company is entrusted to
DIRECTOR GENERAL OF AUDIT (MINES)
NO. 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET,
KOLKATA-700001

4 . The remuneration and other allowances payable to the auditors may be regulated as per the provisions of section 142 of the Companies Act 2013 read with guidelines issued by the Department of Company Affairs vide no. 7/76 dated 8th April, 1976 and no. 8/6/83 dated 07th June, 1984.

5. The audit fees paid/payable to the auditors as intimated by the Company has been indicated in Annexure-II. Any revision in the audit fees payable (including fees for consolidation) for the year 2024-2025 and itemwise details of all remuneration paid to the auditors for other services (other than statutory audit) alongwith the amount of TA/DA paid for 2023-2024 may be intimated.

The said information may be provided as soon as the Accounts for the year 2023-2024 is finalised so as to enable this office to review the appointment/re-appointment of the appointed auditors.

6. The above appointment is subject to the other conditions stipulated in Annexure-I(available on the CAG's website http://care.cag.gov.in/policy/terms.pdf).

(Rajes Sr. Administrative Officer

Phone : 011-23509240 Fax : 91-11-23237730, 91-11-23509241 E-mail : saoca5@cag.gov.in, sao2ca5@cag.gov.in

ANNEXURE - I I

LIST OF CHARTERED ACCOUNTANT FIRMS FOR THE YEAR 2024-2025

SI. No.	Firm Name	PSU Code / Unit Code	Station	Audit Details	Fees per annum in Rs (As intimated by the PSU)
STA	ATUTORY AUDITOR				
1	B CHHAWCHHARIA & CO (<i>CA0074</i>) 8A AND 8B, SATYAM TOWERS 3, ALIPORE ROAD KOLKATA KOLKATA - 700027,WEST BENGAL	BALAWC CAL (2)	KOLKATA	STATUTORY AUDITORS.	814000
BR	ANCHAUDITOR				
2	D R MOHNOT & CO (CR0881) 606,Janki Centre Permises, CHS Shah Indutrial Estates, Off veera Desai road,Andheri west MUMBAI - 400053	BALAWC BOM (2)	MUMBAI	BRANCH AUDITORS.	590000
3	G C DAGA & CO (<i>MD0661</i>) 14 VEERAPPAN STREET SRI BALAJI COMPLEX 2ND FLOOR, SOWCARPET CHENNAI CHENNAI - 600001,TAMIL NADU	BALAWC MAD (1)	CHENNAI	BRANCH AUDITORS.	485000
4	S N R & COMPANY (DE1781) A-15, 2ND FLOOR, HAUZ KHAS NEW DELHI DELHI NEW DELHI - 110016,DELHI	BALAWC N DELHI (1)	NEW DELHI	BRANCH AUDITORS.	415000

Any change/revision in the audit fee payable to each of the auditor (s) mentioned above should be immediately intimated to this office for record and reference as the selection of auditors is based on the audit fees paid/payable.

OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER & AUDITOR GENERAL OF INDIA 10, BAHADUR SHAH ZAFAR MARG, NEW DELHI-110 002

Appointment of auditors of Government Company/Government controlled other company under Section 139 (5 & 7) of the Companies Act, 2013

I. CONDITIONS FOR THE COMPANY

1. The Company should send a list of Directors and the previous Auditors of the Company giving their names and addresses to the newly appointed Auditors immediately on receipt of this letter.

2. While the auditor is responsible for forming and expressing an independent opinion on the financial statements, the responsibility for their preparation is that of the management of the enterprise. The audit of the financial statements does not relieve the management of its responsibilities relating to the maintenance of adequate accounting records, internal controls and safeguarding of the assets of the enterprise. As provided in Section 134 of the Act, the Company should submit to the auditors the Financial Statements/Consolidated Financial Statements duly approved by the Board of Directors for their report thereon.

3. A suitable program of audit in consultation with the statutory auditors should be drawn up suitably in advance with the objective that the audit is completed within the prescribed time schedule. A copy of the program so drawn may be provided to the concerned DG/PAG/PD/AG as well.

4. The documents and the information called for by the auditors in accordance with the provisions of Section 143 (1) of the Companies Act 2013 and other relevant rules and regulations as well as any other details/explanation relating to any transaction sought by them, should be provided to them, expeditiously.

5 (i). Office of C&AG has no role in the fixation of the audit fee payable to the auditors. The said fee payable to the auditors should be fixed by the Company in accordance with the provisions as contained in section 142 of the Companies Act, 2013. Further, the consent of auditors on the audit fee so fixed should invariably be obtained on a 'Memorandum of Fee' as per **Appendix** which should be signed by the Company as well as by the auditors and forwarded to this office so as to reach within 30 days of issue of the appointment letter. In case the same is not received, the fee paid by the Company during the preceding year will be considered as the fee for the current year as well. Once the audit fee is agreed between the Company and Auditor, the remuneration cannot be changed to the detriment of the auditor.

(ii) While fixing the audit fee, due consideration may be given to the volume of work involved, amount of time normally spent by the partners/chartered accountant employees and the audit clerks of the firm/LLP.

(iii) While fixing audit fee due consideration might also be given to the notification No 1-CA (7)/93/2006 dated 18th September 2006 and any subsequent recommendations issued from time to time by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India prescribing minimum audit fee. It has been clarified that city/town referred to in the Notification refers to city/town of the Head office or Branch office of the auditor to which the audit is actually allotted.

(iv) In cases where audits are allotted to the Branch office of the Firm/LLP no TA/DA should be paid for the audit of the Company/Units located at the same station of the branch.

6. In the interest of maintaining the independence of auditors, no assignment for consultancy, Directorship or other services including those specified in Section 144 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Non-audit assignments that involve performing management functions or making management decisions will be provided to the firm/LLP or its Partners, directly or indirectly as per explanation given under Section 144 of the Companies Act, 2013, of the Company or its holding company or partly owned subsidiaries of the

Company (irrespective of the shareholding) or joint ventures of the company whether under production sharing contract or otherwise, during the year of audit and for one year (to be counted from the date of conclusion of the relevant Annual General Meeting of the Company) after the firm/LLP ceases to be auditor. The above restriction will also be applicable to audit of annual accounts of subsidiary companies /Joint Ventures/Associates except where auditors of such subsidiary companies /Joint Ventures/Associates are appointed by CAG. This condition would not apply in case of auditors being entrusted assignments for the tax audit under Income Tax Act, review of Quarterly/ half yearly accounts as per SEBI guidelines, VAT audit required under various State Legislations and other statutory certificates related to the audit assignment.

7. The Company should confirm past audit details including audit fees. The changes in details including the fees in the future may be intimated to this office from time to time. Any other remuneration like TA/DA, Certification fees, tax audit fees, quarterly/half yearly review fees, VAT audit etc. paid to the Statutory/Branch Auditors in addition to the audit fees in the last three years and in future may also be intimated. The remuneration for other work like review of quarterly accounts as per SEBI guidelines, fees for tax audit, other statutory certificates etc. should be restricted to a reasonable percentage of the total audit fee payable to the auditors and which in total should not exceed the fee payable for carrying out the statutory audit. The details of such remuneration may also be intimated to this office for record.

8. The Auditors have to comply with the directions issued by this office under Section 143 (5) of the Companies Act, 2013 and for this purpose the auditors have to attend meetings called by the concerned DG/PAG/MAB/AG. For attending such meetings, reasonable expenditure on TA/DA incurred by the auditors may be reimbursed by the company.

9. Proposals for re-organisation of units in the future may be sent to this Office well before the beginning of the financial year the accounts of which are to be audited.

10. The Company may also intimate to this office the date of commencement of audit and the date on which the comments of the C&AG of India along with the Auditors Report is placed in AGM as per the provisions of 143 (6) of the Companies Act, 2013.

11. To reduce the arrears, in case of Companies whose accounts are in arrears, and to avoid delays in appointing auditors for the past few accounting years in arrears, the Company may initiate action for appointment of auditors for the subsequent years soon after the completion of audit of the preceding years. A copy of such certified accounts may be made available direct to the Principal Director (Commercial) in this Office. If the process is repeated in succession, the Company can hold a series of meetings of the shareholders and present the accounts. It can thus clear the accounts for 3-4 years within a period of one year.

II. CONDITIONS FOR THE AUDITORS

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1. This office has no role in the fixation of the fee payable to the auditors. The said fee payable to the auditors is to be fixed by the Company in accordance with the provisions as contained in section 142 of the Companies Act, 2013. A copy of the 'Memorandum of Fee' (Appendix) signed by the Company as well as the Auditor, indicating the acceptance of audit should reach this office within 30 days of issue of the letter of appointment. A copy thereof should also be forwarded to the concerned DG/PAG/AG/ MAB entrusted with the Supplementary Audit of the Company. In case, the auditor is not agreeable to accept the audit at the fee offerred by the Company, he should inform the same to this office within further 7 days after the 30 days from issue of letter of appointment. If no communication is received from the auditor within the above period, it will be presumed as acceptance of audit at the fee paid/fixed by the Company for the previous year.

2. Refusal to accept the appointment as auditor within the period as mentioned above, will be accepted and will not be considered as refusal for deduction of points/non-empanelment as mentioned in the policy of empanelment and selection of auditors hosted on the website <u>www.care.cag.gov.in</u>. However, any refusal after the said period or any instance of delay in carrying out the audit or non-submission of audit report on the ground of insufficient audit fee, at a later date, will be viewed seriously and suitable action will be taken against the firm/LLP which may include withdrawal of existing audit and/or non-allotment of audit and/or deduction of points and/or debarment of the firm from empanelment in future.

- 3.The appointment/re-appointment of Firm/LLP is subject to its performance in the previous years' audit being adjudged as satisfactory by the DG/PAG/AG /MAB concerned.
- 4. The appointment/re-appointment of the auditors is subject to the Auditors making the following declarations/undertakings:
- (i) That the firm/LLP is not disqualified under Section 141 of the Companies Act, 2013
- (ii) That no unreasonable TA/DA, out of pocket expenses will be claimed from the company.

(iii) In case an audit is allotted to the firm on the basis of having a Branch office at a particular location, no TA/DA should be claimed by the firm from the company for the audit of the Company/Units located at the same station of the branch. In case, any payment of such allowances is noticed/reported, suitable action will be taken against the firm including but not limited to withdrawal of allotted audit.

(iv) That during the year of audit, and for one year (to be counted from the date of conclusion of the relevant Annual General Meeting of the Company) after the Firm/LLP ceases to be Auditor, the Firm/LLP or its partner, cannot accept Directorship or any assignment for consultancy or other services including those specified in Section 144 of the Companies act, 2013 and non-audit assignments that involve performing management functions or making management decisions, directly or indirectly (as per explanation given under Section 144 of the Companies Act, 2013), of the company or its holding company / subsidiaries (irrespective of the shareholding) / joint ventures of the Company whether under production sharing contract or otherwise. The above restriction would also be applicable to audit of annual accounts of subsidiary companies /Joint Ventures/Associates except where auditors of such subsidiary companies /Joint Ventures/Associates are appointed by CAG. This condition would not apply to assignments for the tax audit under Income Tax Act, VAT audit required under various State Legislations, review of Quarterly/half yearly accounts as per SEBI guidelines and other statutory certificates related to the audit assignment.

(v) That no partner/chartered accountant employee of the firm /LLPs has been held guilty of professional misconduct by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India during last year (in case any partner of the firm/LLP has been held guilty of professional misconduct by the Institute of Chartered Accountant of India, please furnish details thereof).

(vi) The audit should not be conducted by a person (i) who is not a CA partner /CA employee/ CA article of the firm/LLP to which the audit has been allotted; (ii) who was earlier associated with the audit of the said PSU as a partner/employee of the retiring auditor.

(vii) No partner of the firm/LLP would hold post of Director (except in the case of financial companies) of any Private organization/ Company which is in the same line of business or having any business relation with that of the PSU. Further, no partner of the firm/LLP or firm/ LLP would undertake audit or any other job/assignment of any Private organization/ Company which is in the same line of business or having any business relation with that of the PSU.

5. The auditor may start the audit of the Company immediately on receipt of the accounts of the Company. However, they should certify the accounts for the year only after the audited accounts for the previous year has been laid before the AGM for their consideration. In case audited accounts of the previous years has been considered but finally not adopted by the shareholders, the auditor can certify the accounts of the succeeding year indicating the fact of the non-adoption of the previous years' accounts in their report.

6. The time schedule for conducting the audit may be drawn up with scheduling of audit i.e indicating the period of audit of different departments/ units of the PSU and also the name of personnel & their qualification who will be deployed for audit of each unit. A copy of the time schedule so fixed may be sent to the concerned DG/PAG/AG/MAB so that they may also draw their time schedule for supplementary audit.

7. The Firm/LLP must complete the audit of the units/branches allotted to them within the time schedule stipulated by the management so that the statutory time schedule for placing the accounts in the AGM could be adhered to.

8. Record of audit work done in the form of working papers should be retained with sufficient information so as to support the auditors' significant conclusions and judgments.

9. The Auditors shall have to comply with the directions issued by this office under 143(5) of the Companies Act, 2013. The remuneration is inclusive of the fee on account of the additional work involved in this regard. Directions under Section 143(5) are available at the website of this office i.e. www.cag.gov.in.

10. Statutory auditors of the companies who have adopted SAP should deploy at least one partner/employee having DISA/CISA qualification to conduct the audit. Auditors appointed for Listed PSU should have a valid peer review certificate issued by Peer Review Board of ICAI.

11. The Company/Auditors will have to comply with all the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 as also all other applicable statutes including directions/guidelines issued by various Regulatory Bodies/ Authorities viz. Securities & Exchange Board of India, Reserve Bank of India, Insurance Regulatory Development Authority etc.

12. In terms of Regulation No. 58 of the Regulation of Audit and Accounts 2020, the Comptroller and Auditor General may terminate the appointment of a statutory auditor before the expiry of the normal tenure of appointment for reasonable and sufficient grounds after following the due administrative process, including giving an opportunity to the statutory auditor to make representation against the premature termination of appointment.

Memorandum of Fee

Audit fee payable to the auditors

Name of the Company with PSU Code as per appointment letter	
Unit code as per appointment letter	
Name of the auditors	
Year of appointment	
Audit fee agreed (including fee for Consolidated	Rs.
Financial Statements)	

(Authorised Signatory)

Name Designation Name of the Company Seal of the Company Dated

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(Authorised Signatory) Name of Auditor and FRN No. Name of the Partner: Membership No. Seal of the firm Dated

Annexure-B

SI No.	Particulars	Details		
1.	Reason for change viz. appointment, re- appointment, resignation, removal, death or otherwise	Appointment of Statutory Auditors and Branch Auditors for the Financial Year 2024-25 by C&AG		
2.	Date of appointment/re- appointment/cessation (as applicable) & term of appointment/re- appointment;	With effect from 5 th November, 2024 for conducting the audit for the Financial Year 2024-25		
3.	Brief profile (in case of appointment)	Attached herewith as Annexure-C.		
4.	Disclosure of relationships between directors (in case of appointment of a director).	Not Applicable.		

Annexure-C

The brief profile of the newly appointed Auditors of the Company for the Financial Year 2024-25 are provided hereunder:

SI No.	Name of Firm	Type of Auditor	Brief Profile
1.	M/s B. Chhawchharia & Co.	Statutory Auditor	M/s B. Chhawchharia & Co. (BCCO) is a firm of practicing Chartered Accountants providing services to domestic and international clients. M/s B. Chhawchharia & Co. (BCCO) was established in the year 1966 by Late Basudeo Chhawchharia who was a renowned professional and an eminent Chartered Accountant. He, after qualifying as a Chartered Accountant from the Institute of Chartered Accountants of England and Wales in 1949, became a partner of M/s. K N Gutgutia & Co. and M/s. Gutgutia & Co., the contemporary well known Chartered Accountant firms and was associated with the said firms till 1966. Since then B.C & Co. has expanded by adding partners, people and new offices.
2.	M/s. D R Mohnot & Co.	Branch Auditor (Western Region)	M/s D.R.Mohnot & Co., Chartered Accountants is a Jaipur based Professional Service Organization providing services in the areas of Auditing and Assurances, Tax Compliance & Advisory, Corporate Advisory and Consultancy. It was was established in 1980 by founder Mr. D.R.Mohnot and later on nourished by Mr. Vipin Kanoongo and other Partners. The team consists of trained personnel with Specialized Service capabilities.
3.	M/s. G C Daga & Co.	Branch Auditor (Southern Region)	M/s. G C Daga & Co. is a firm of Chartered Accountants offering audit & assurance, tax, accounting and consulting services based out of Chennai.
4.	M/s. S N R & Company	Branch Auditor (Northern Region)	M/s SNR & Company is a firm of Chartered Accountants offering assurance, tax, accounting and consulting services to its national and international clients across the globe. The firm has its head office at New Delhi with branches at Pune and Bangalore. The firm has experienced considerable growth since its inception in 1996 and is empanelled with reputed nationalized & private banks and with the office of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India. The firm through its team of experts consisting of Chartered Accountants, Company Secretaries and Management professionals provides professional services to a large number of companies, banks and NGOs.