

## ARCOTECH LTD.

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Sub: Annual Secretarial Compliances Report under SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015

Dear Sir,

Please find enclosed herewith the below mentioned documents:

**1.** Annual Secretarial Compliances Report under SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015 for year ended on 31st March, 2024.

Kindly take the same on records and acknowledge.

Yours truly, FOR ARCOTECH LIMITED

NIDHI JAIN COMPANY SECRETARY & COMPLIANCE OFFICER



## A.UPADHYAYA & ASSOCIATES

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## Secretarial Compliance Report Arcotech Limited (Financial year ended as on 31st March, 2024)

I, Abhimanyu Upadhyaya, holding Certificate of practice No.: 4729 and Membership No.: F5921 having registered office at 6/41 Sunder Kiran Buidling, 209 WEA Karol Bagh, New Delhi- 110005, have conducted the review of the compliance of the applicable statutory provisions by Arcotech Limited(hereinafter referred to as 'the listed entity'), having its Registered Office at 181, Sector-3, Bawal Growth Centre, Haryana-123501 IN. Secretarial Review was conducted in a manner that provided us a reasonable basis for evaluating the corporate conducts/statutory compliances and expressing our opinion thereon:

Based on my/our verification of the listed entity's books, papers, minutes books, forms and returns filed and other records maintained by the listed entity and also the information provided by the listed entity, its officers, agents and authorized representatives during the conduct of Secretarial Review, I/we hereby report that the listed entity has, during the review period covering the financial year ended on 31st March, 2024 complied with the statutory provisions listed hereunder in the manner and subject to the reporting made hereinafter:

I have examined:

- i. All the documents and records made available to us and explanation provided by Arcotech Limited ("the listed entity");
- ii. The filings/submissions made by the listed entity to the stock exchange;
- iii. website ofthelistedentity,
- iv. any other document/filing, as may be relevant, which has been relied upon to make this certification,
- for the year ended 31st March, 2024 ("Review Period") in respect of compliance with the provisions of:
- A. the Securities and Exchange Board of India Act, 1992 ("SEBI Act") and the Regulations, circulars, guidelines issued there under; and
- B. the Securities Contracts (Regulation) Act, 1956 ("SCRA"), rules made there under and the regulations, circulars, guidelines issued there under by the Securities and Exchange Board of India("SEBI");

The specific Regulations, whose provisions and the circulars/guidelines issued there under, have been examined, include: -

- (a) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015;
- (b) Securities and Exchange Board of India(Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018; Not Applicable
- (c) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011;
- (d) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Buyback of Securities) Regulations, 2018; Not Applicable
- (e) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Share Based Employee Benefits and Sweat Equity)Regulations,2021; Not Applicable
- (f) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Debt Securities) Regulations, 2008; **Not Applicable**
- (g) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing Mon-Convertible Securities) Regulations, 2021:

## **Not Applicable**

- (h) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015: and circulars/guidelines issued thereunderand based on the above examination, I hereby report that, during the Review Period:
- I. (a) The listed entity has complied with the provisions of the above Regulations and circulars/ guidelines issued there under except in respect of matters specified below:

S r N o	Compliance Requirement (Regulations/ci rculars/guideli nes including specific clause)	Reg ulat ion/ Circ ular No.	Deviatio ns	Action taken by	Ty pe ofA cti on	Details ofViolatio n	FineA mount	Observati ons/Rema rks of the Practicing Company Secretary	Manageme nt Response	Rema rks
1	Disclosure of Initiation of Forensic Audit as per LODR	30	Delayed disclosur e	BSE & NSE	Ad vis ory Iss ue d	Delayed disclosure by Company	Fines not levied	Company had made delayed disclosure along with reason for such delay and has replied to both Exchanges	Company rectified the delay and placed the advisory of Exchanges' before the Board and submitted Board comments on the same to Stock Exchange	Matte r stand s closed after issue of Advis ory and Clarifi cation
2	Filing of Audited Financial Results for the Year ended 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2023	33	Delayed filing	NA	NA	Delayed filing	Fines not levied	There was delay in filing by Company. However, Company has disclosed reasons for the same.	Financial results were delayed and reason for same was duly informed to Exchange as per SEBI Circular No. CIR/CFD/C MD- 1/142/201 8	Result and reaso n for delay in advan ce were duly infor med to Excha nge.

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



Sr. No	Complianc e Requirem ent (Regulatio ns/circula rs/guide- lines including specific clause)	Regul ation /Circ ularN o.	Deviations	Action Taken by	Typeof Action	Details of Violati on	Fine Am oun t	Observations/Remarks of the Practicin g Company Secretary	Man age men t Res pons e	Re ma rks
	Having a woman Director and minimum 6 Director on Board	Regul ation 17(1) of LODR	No women Director on Board for quarter March 2020 to September 2020 and less than 6 Directors on Board from 1st April 2020 to December 2020	BSE & NSE	Continued Suspension in trading of Company w.e.f August 31, 2021. Continued freezing of the Demat Account of Promoter of Company. This was done because of non-payment of fines by Company was contesting these fines because these delays were caused due to Covid.	Woman Directo r position on Board was vacant from 12 Nov 2019 to 11.11.2 020.  Six Directo rs werere quire on Board from 1st April, 2020 and the sixth person was appoint ed on 12.02.2 021.	NSE: 16,1 0,00 0/- BSE: 11,5 0,00 0/-	Company had received waiver order from NSE in December 2022 and from BSE in March 2024 after long follow-up.  Further, Company had filed revocatio n applicatio n with both BSE & NSE and is waiting for removal of suspensio n.  Further, delisting SCN received from BSE on 5 April 2023 is properly replied with and no further action is taken on it by BSE.	Com pany is conti nuou sly follo wing up with BSE & NSE for rem oval of susp ensi on and is regul arly repl ying to their quer ies.	Bot h NS E & BSE has wai ved the fine s and Sus pen sio n Rev oca tio n is aw aite d fro m the m.

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Compliances related to resignation of statutory auditors from listed entities and their material subsidiaries as per SEBI Circular CIR/CFD/CMD1/114/2019dated  $18^{th}$  October, 2019: **NOT APPLICABLE** 

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

Sr. No	Particulars	Compliance Status(Yes/ No/NA)	Observations/Remarks by PCS
1.	SecretarialStandards:  The compliances of the listed entity are in accordance with the Secretarial Standards issued by ICSI.	Yes	None
2.	<ul> <li>Adoption and timely updation of the Policies:</li> <li>All applicable policies under SEBI Regulations are adopted with the approval of board of directors of the listed entities.</li> <li>All the policies are in conformity with SEBI Regulations and have been reviewed &amp; timely updated as per the regulations/circulars/guidelines issued by SEBI.</li> </ul>	Yes	None
3.	<ul> <li>Maintenance and disclosures on Website:</li> <li>The Listed entity is maintaining a functional website;</li> <li>Timely dissemination of the documents/ information under a separate section on the website;</li> <li>Web-links provided in annual corporate governance reports under Regulation 27(2) are accurate and specific which re-directs to the relevant document(s)/section of the website</li> </ul>	Yes	None
4.	Disqualification of Director:  None of the Director (s)of the Company are disqualified under Section 164 of Companies Act, 2013.	Yes	None
5.	Details related to Subsidiaries of listed entities have been examined w.r.t.:  a) Identification of material subsidiary companies b) Requirement with respect to disclosure of material as well as other subsidiaries	NA	NA
6.	Preservation of Documents:  The listed entity is preserving and maintaining records as prescribed under SEBI Regulations and disposal of records as per Policy of Preservation of Documents and Archival policy prescribed under SEBI LODR Regulations, 2015.	Yes	None

7.	Performance Evaluation:	Yes	None
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	The listed entity has conducted performance evaluation of		
	theBoard,IndependentDirectorsandtheCommitteeat the start		
	of every financial year/during the financialyear as		
	prescribed in SEBI Regulations.		
8.	Related Party Transactions:	Yes	None
	a) The listed entity has obtained prior approval of Audit		
	Committee for all related party transactions, or		
	b) In case no prior approval obtained, the listed entity		
	has provided detailed reasonsalong with		
	confirmation whether the transactions were		
	subsequently approved/ratified/rejected by the		
	Audit Committee.		
9.	Disclosure of events or information:	Yes	Delayed compliances
			observed have been
	The listed entity has provided all the required disclosure(s)		provided in the report.
	under Regulation 30 along with Schedule III of SEBI LODR		
	Regulations, 2015 within the time limits prescribed there		
	under.		
10.	Prohibition of Insider Trading:	Yes	None
	The listed entity is in compliance with Regulation 3(5) &3(6)		
	SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015.		
11.	Actions taken by SEBI or Stock Exchange(s),if any:	Yes	None
	No actions has been taken against the listed entity/its		
	promoters/directors/subsidiaries either by SEBI or by Stock		
	Exchanges (including under the Standard Operating		
	Procedures issued by SEBI through various circulars) under		
	SEBI Regulations and circulars/guidelines issued there		
	under		
	under		
12.	Additional Non-compliances, if any:	Yes	Non-compliances
			observed have been
	No additional non-compliance observed for all SEBI		already provided in the
	regulation/circular/guidance note etc.		report.

For A. Upadhyaya & Associates Company Secretaries

Abhimanyu Upadhyaya

(Practicing Company Secretaries)

M. No.:4729 C. P. No.: F5921

UDIN: F005921F000397400

Date: 18.05.2024 Place: Delhi