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February 11, 2025

To,

National Stock Exchange of India Ltd. Exchange Plaza, Block G, C/1, Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra (E), Mumbai – 400 051 Email: cmlist@nse.co.in Symbol: DEVYANI	BSE Limited Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers, Dalal Street, Mumbai – 400 001 Email: corp.relations@bseindia.com Security Code: 543330
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Subject: Comments of the Board Members on the fine levied for delayed compliance under Regulation 17(1A) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015

Reference: Further update to our letter dated November 11, 2024

Dear Sir / Madam,

We refer to our letter dated November 11, 2024, vide which we informed National Stock Exchange of India Limited and BSE Limited (“stock exchanges”) about levy of fine by the stock exchanges (calculated up to quarter ended June 30, 2024) for delayed compliance in respect of Regulation 17(1A) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (“SEBI Listing Regulations”) and our waiver application thereof.

While our waiver application in the same matter is still under consideration, stock exchanges have issued further letter/ e-mail dated November 21, 2024 (“communications”) levying fine, calculated for the period from 1st July 2024 to 4th July 2024. The Board of Directors at its Meeting held today i.e., February 11, 2025 reviewed the communications and noted that the Company has duly deposited the amount of fine with the stock exchanges under protest. The Board also noted that SEBI vide its notification dated December 12, 2024 has amended Regulation 17(1A) of the SEBI Listing Regulations, making it mandatory for the listed entities to ensure passing of Special Resolution prior to the appointment as well as re-appointment of non-executive director before attaining the age of 75 years. The Board further noted that the similar matters on levying of penalty on other listed entities under the Regulation 17(1A) of the SEBI Listing Regulations are currently sub-judice with the Hon’ble Supreme Court.

You are requested to kindly take the same on record.

Yours faithfully,
For Devyani International Limited

Pankaj Virmani
Company Secretary & Compliance Officer

Encl: Letter dated November 21, 2024 from NSE



National Stock Exchange Of India Limited

NSE/LIST-SOP/COMB/FINES/1340

November 21, 2024

The Company Secretary
Devyani International Limited
F-2/7, Okhla Industrial Area,
Phase-I, New Delhi-110020

Dear Sir/Madam,

Subject: Notice for non-compliance with SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015 (“Listing Regulations”) and/or Regulation 76 of SEBI (Depositories and Participants) Regulations, 2018 (“Depository Regulations”)

Your attention is drawn towards SEBI Circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/PoD2/CIR/P/0155 dated November 11, 2024 (hereinafter referred to as “Master Circular”), specifying Standard Operating Procedure for imposing fines and suspension of trading in case of non-compliance with the Listing Regulations and/or Depository Regulations. On verification of the Exchange records, it has been observed that your Company has not complied/delayed complied with certain Listing Regulation(s) and/or Depository Regulations. The details of non-compliance(s)/delayed compliance(s), total fine payable by your Company and the particulars about manner in which fine should be remitted to the Exchange is enclosed as **Annexure**.

You are requested to inform the Promoters about identified non-compliance/delayed compliance and to ensure compliance with respective regulation(s) and/or make the payment of fines **within 15 days** from the date of this notice, failing which the Exchange may initiate following actions as per Master Circular:

1. Initiate freezing of entire shareholding of the Promoters in the Company as well as in other securities held in the Demat account of the Promoters.
2. Trading in securities of your Company shall take place on 'Trade for Trade' basis, in case of consecutive defaults with Regulations 17(1), 18(1), 27(2) of Listing Regulations and Regulation 76 of Depository Regulations i.e., Shifting of trading in securities to Z Category as per Master Circular.

You may also file request for waiver of fines with detailed submission indicating reasons for waiver, considering the extant Policy for Exemption of Fines, and shall indicate whether it intends to seek personal hearing before the concerned Committee.

However, before filing an application for waiver of fines, you are requested to refer to the below policies available on the Exchange’s website. For ready reference you may refer below links:

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- i. **Policy on exemption of fine:**
https://archives.nseindia.com/content/equities/Policy_for_exemption_SOP_Equity.pdf
- ii. **Policy on processing of waiver application:**
https://nsearchives.nseindia.com/web/sites/default/files/inline-files/Policy_on_processing_of_waiver_application_segregation_of_commonly_listed_entities.pdf

The request for waiver of fine can be submitted to Exchange through NEAPS portal along with documentary evidence on the below link:

NEAPS>>Compliance>>Fine Waiver>>Waiver Request.

Further, as per Master Circular, your Company is also required to ensure that the said non-compliance which has been identified by the Exchange and subsequent action taken by the Exchange in this regard shall be placed before the Board in the next Board Meeting and comments made by the Board shall be duly informed to the Exchange at the below mentioned path in NEAPS portal along with this letter for dissemination having the announcement text as 'Board comments on fine levied by the Exchange'.

Path: NEAPS > COMPLIANCE > Announcements > Announcements/ CA (Subject: Updates)

In case of any clarification, you may contact any of the below mentioned Exchange Officers from Listing Compliance Department: -

- Ms. Sonam Yadav
- Ms. Harshita Chaubal
- Ms. Madhu Kadam
- Ms. Suman Lahoti
- Mr. Aniket Raut

Yours faithfully
For **National Stock Exchange of India Limited**

Rachna Jha
Manager

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Annexure

Regulation	Quarter	Fine amount per day (Rs.)/Fine amount per instance	Days of non-compliance / No. of instance(s)	Fine amount (Rs.)
Reg. 17(1A)	30-Sep-2024	2000	4	8000
Total Fine				8000
GST (@18%)				1440
Total Fine payable (Inclusive of 18% GST)				9440*

* In case the Company is non-compliant as on the date of this letter then fine amount will keep on increasing every day till the date compliance is achieved.

Notes:

- If the fine amount is paid before receipt of this letter, then inform the Exchange accordingly.
- Please update the payment details on below mentioned path:
NEAPS > Payment > SOP Fine Payment.
- The above payment may be made vide RTGS / NEFT / Net Banking favouring 'National Stock Exchange of India Limited'. The bank details towards the payment of fine are as follows:

BENEFICIARY NAME	NATIONAL STOCK EXCHANGE OF INDIA LIMITED
BANK NAME	IDBI BANK LTD
A/C NO	Please refer Unique Account Code used for making Annual Listing fees to the Exchange
BRANCH	BANDRA KURLA COMPLEX, MUMBAI
RTGS/IFSC CODE	IBKL0001000

- The fine paid as above will be credited to IPFT as envisaged in the circular.

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