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Dear Sirs,

Sub: Annual Secretarial Compliance Report (2023-24) as per SEBI Regulation

Please find attached Annual Secretarial Compliance Report for the financial year ended 31.03.2024.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully, for COCHIN MINERALS AND RUTILE LIMITED,

Suresh Kumar. P

C G M (Finance) & Company Secretary.

Encl: (as above)















#### SEP & ASSOCIATES

Company Secretaries



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Secretarial Compliance Report of Cochin Minerals and Rutile Ltd for the Financial Year ended March 31, 2024

To.

The Board of Directors Cochin Minerals and Rutile Ltd VIII/224 P B No 73 Market Road Alwaye, Ernakulam, Kerala India, 683101

We have conducted the review of the compliance of the applicable statutory provisions and the adherence to good corporate practices by M/s. Cochin Minerals and Rutile Ltd (CIN: L24299KL1989PLC005452) (hereinafter referred as 'the listed entity'), having its Registered Office at VIII/224 P B No 73, Market Road Alwaye Ernakulam, Kerala, India, 683101. Secretarial Review was conducted in a manner that provided us a reasonable basis for evaluating the corporate conducts/statutory compliances and to provide our observations thereon.

Based on 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, 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:

We SEP & Associates, Company Secretaries have examined:

- (a) all the documents and records made available to us and explanation provided by the listed entity;
- (b) the filings/ submissions made by the listed entity to the stock exchanges,
- (c) the website of the listed entity,
- (d) any other document/ filing, as may be relevant, which has been relied upon to make this certification,

for the year ended 31.03.2024 ("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 thereunder; and

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

The specific Regulations (including amendments, modifications from time to time), whose provisions and the circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder, 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; (to the extent applicable)
- (c) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Non-Convertible Securities) Regulations, 2021; (During the period under review not applicable to the Company)
- (d) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015;
- (e) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Depositories and Participants) Regulations, 2018 (to the extent 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 (Debenture Trustee) Regulations, 1993
- (h) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Share Based Employee Benefits and Sweat Equity) Regulations, 2021;
- Securities and Exchange Board of India (Share Based Employee Benefits and Sweat Equity) Regulations, 2021; (During the period under review not applicable to the Company)
- (j) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Buy-back of Securities) Regulations, 2018; (During the period under review not applicable to the Company); and
- (k) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Delisting of Equity Shares) Regulations, 2021; (During the period under review not applicable to the Company).

and circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder;

and based on the above examination, we 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 thereunder

Sr. N o.	Compliance Requirement (Regulations/cir culars/ guidelines including specific clause	Regula tion/ Circula r No.	Deviations	Action Taken by	Type of Action (Advis ory / Clarifi cati on/Fin e /Show Cause Notice/ Warni ng, etc.)	R;	Fine Amou nt	Observati ons/ Remarks of the Practicing Company Secretary	Manageme nt Response	Remarks
	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL

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

Sr. No.	Observations/ Remarks of the Practicin g Company Secretary in the previous reports) (PCS)	Observations made in the secretarial compliance report for the year ended 31.03.2023	Compliance Requirement (Regulations/cir culars/guideline s including specific clause)	violation/ deviations and		Comments of PCS on the actions taken by the listed entity
	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL

II. We hereby report that, during the Review Period the compliance status of the listed entity is appended below:

Sr. No.	Particulars	Compliance status (Yes/ No/ NA)	Observations/ Remarks by PCS*
1	Secretarial Standards:  The compliances of the listed entity are in accordance with the applicable Secretarial Standards (SS) issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries India (ICSI) as notified by the Central Government under section 118(10) of the Companies Act, 2013 and mandatorily applicable.	Yes	NIL
2	Adoption and timely updation of the Policies:  • All applicable policies under SEBI Regulations are adopted with the approval of board of directors of the listed entities.  • All the policies are in conformity with SEBI Regulations and has been reviewed & timely updated as per the regulations/circulars/guidelines issued by SEBI	Yes	However, the policies need revision, which the Company has informed that they will ensure the compliance in next Board Meeting.
3	Maintenance and disclosures on Website:  The Listed entity is maintaining a functional website.  Timely dissemination of the documents/ information under a separate section on the website.  Web-links provided in annual corporate governance reports under Regulation 27(2) are accurate and specific which redirects to the relevant document(s)/ section of the website	No	The Listed entity has informed that they have initiated the process of updating their website.
	Disqualification of Director:	Yes	NIL

	None of the Directors of the Company are disqualified under Section 164 of Companies Act, 2013		
5	Details related to Subsidiaries of listed entities have examined w.r.t.:  (a) Identification of material subsidiary companies (b) Disclosure requirement of material as well as other subsidiaries	NA	The listed entity has no subsidiary.
9	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	NIL
7	Performance Evaluation:  The listed entity has conducted performance evaluation of the Board, Independent Directors and the Committees at the start of every financial year/during the financial year as prescribed in SEBI Regulations.	Yes	NIL
8	Related Party Transactions:  (a) The listed entity has obtained prior approval of Audit Committee for all Related party transactions; or  (b) The listed entity has provided detailed reasons along with confirmation whether the transactions were subsequently approved/ratified/rejected by the Audit Committee, in case no prior approval has been obtained.	Yes	NIL
9	Disclosure of events or information:  The listed entity has provided all the required disclosure(s) under Regulation 30 along with Schedule III of SEBI LODR Regulations, 2015	Yes	NIL

	within the time limits prescribed thereunder.		
10	Prohibition of Insider Trading:  The listed entity is in compliance with Regulation 3(5) & 3(6) SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015.	Yes	NIL
11	Actions taken by SEBI or Stock Exchange(s), if any:  No Actions taken against the listed entity/ its promoters/ directors/ subsidiaries either by SEBI or by Stock Exchanges (including under the Standard Operating Procedures issued by SEBI through various circulars) under SEBI Regulations and circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder.	Yes	NIL
12	Resignation of statutory auditors from the listed entity or its material subsidiaries:  In case of resignation of statutory auditor from the listed entity or any of its material subsidiaries during the financial year, the listed entity and / or its material subsidiary(ies) has / have complied with paragraph 6.1 and 6.2 of section V-D of chapter V of the Master Circular on compliance with the provisions of the LODR Regulations by listed entities.	NA	There were no such instances occurred during the period under review.
13	Additional non-compliances, if any:  No additional non-compliance observed for all SEBI regulation/circular/guidance note etc.	Yes	NIL

#### Assumptions & Limitation of scope and Review:

- Compliance of the applicable laws and ensuring the authenticity of documents and information furnished, are the responsibilities of the management of the listed entity.
- 2. Our responsibility is to report based upon our examination of relevant documents and information. This is neither an audit nor an expression of opinion.

- 3. We have not verified the correctness and appropriateness of financial Records and Books of Accounts of the listed entity.
- 4. This Report is solely for the intended purpose of compliance in terms of Regulation 24A (2) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and is neither an assurance as to the future viability of the listed entity nor of the efficacy or effectiveness with which the management has conducted the affairs of the listed entity.

For SEP & Associates

Company Secretaries (Peer Review Certificate no. 3693/2023)

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CS Puzhankara Sivakumar

Managing Partner COP: 2210 FCS: 3050

Place: Ernakulam Date: 30.05.2024

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