

25th May, 2023

1. **BSE Limited,**
Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers,
Dalal Street,
Mumbai - 400 001.
2. **National Stock Exchange of India Ltd.**
Exchange Plaza, C-1, Block G,
Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra (E),
Mumbai - 400 051.

Sub.: Secretarial Compliance Report of Kansai Nerolac Paints Limited for the year ended 31st March, 2023

- Ref.: 1. Regulation 24A of Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015**
2. **Scrip Codes : BSE - 500165, NSE - KANSAINER**

Dear Sirs,

In terms of the provisions of Regulation 24A of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, please find enclosed herewith the Secretarial Compliance Report of the Company, issued by JHR & Associates, Company Secretaries, for the year ended 31st March, 2023, in the prescribed format.

The above is for your information and record.

For **KANSAI NEROLAC PAINTS LIMITED**

G. T. GOVINDARAJAN
COMPANY SECRETARY

Encl.: As above.

**Secretarial Compliance Report of Kansai Nerolac Paints Limited
for the year ended on 31st March, 2023**

We, JHR & Associates, Practising Company Secretaries, Thane, have examined:

- (a) all the documents and records made available to us and explanation provided by Kansai Nerolac Paints Limited (CIN: L24202MH1920PLC000825) ("the listed entity"),
- (b) the filings/ submissions made by the listed entity to the stock exchanges,
- (c) 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 31st March, 2023 ("Review Period") in respect of compliance with the provisions of: -
 - a) Securities and Exchange Board of India Act, 1992 ("SEBI Act") and the Regulations, circulars, guidelines issued thereunder; and
 - b) 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, 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 **(Not Applicable during the review period)**;
- (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 during the review period)**;
- (e) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Share Based Employee Benefits and Sweat Equity) Regulations, 2021;
- (f) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Debt Securities) Regulations, 2008 **(Not Applicable during the review period)**;
- (g) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Non-Convertible Securities) Regulations, 2021 **(Not Applicable during the review period)**;
- (h) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015;
- (i) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Depositories and Participants) Regulations, 2018.

and circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder we hereby report that, during the Review Period the compliance status of the listed entity is appended as below:





(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:

Sr. No.	Compliance Requirement (Regulations/ circulars/ guidelines including specific clause)	Regulation / Circular No.	Deviations	Action Taken by	Type of Action	Details of Violation	Fine Amount	Observations / Remarks of the Practising Company Secretary	Management Response	Remarks
Nil										

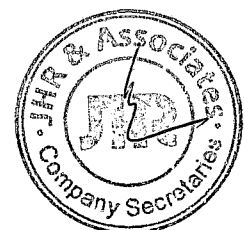
(b) The listed entity has taken the following actions to comply with the observations made in previous reports:

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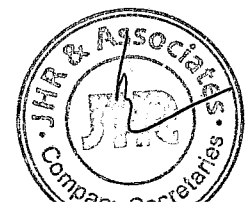


In Addition to the above the following affirmations are being provided hereunder:

Sr. No.	Particulars	Compliance Status	Observations
(a)	<p>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)</p>	Yes	--
(b)	<p>Adoption and timely updation of the Policies:</p> <p>All applicable policies under SEBI Regulations are adopted with the approval of board of directors of the listed entities</p> <p>All the policies are in conformity with SEBI Regulations and have been reviewed & updated on time, as per the regulations/circulars/guidelines issued by SEBI</p>	Yes	--
(c)	<p>Maintenance and disclosures on Website:</p> <p>The Listed entity is maintaining a functional website</p> <p>Timely dissemination of the documents/ information under a separate section on the website</p> <p>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</p>	Yes	--



(d)	<p>Disqualification of Director:</p> <p>None of the Director(s) of the Company is/are disqualified under Section 164 of Companies Act, 2013 as confirmed by the listed entity.</p>	Yes	--
(e)	<p>Details related to Subsidiaries of listed entities have been examined w.r.t.:</p> <p>(a) Identification of material subsidiary companies</p> <p>(b) Disclosure requirement of material as well as other subsidiaries</p>	Not Applicable	--
(f)	<p>Preservation of Documents:</p> <p>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.</p>	Yes	--
(g)	<p>Performance Evaluation:</p> <p>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.</p>	Yes	The Performance Evaluation was carried out in the first quarter of the financial year 2022-23.
(h)	<p>Related Party Transactions:</p> <p>(a) The listed entity has obtained prior approval of Audit Committee for all related party transactions; or</p>	Yes	Omnibus and regular prior approvals of the Audit Committee has been obtained



	(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.	Not Applicable	for all Related Party Transactions entered into by the Company. --
(i)	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 within the time limits prescribed thereunder.	Yes	--
(j)	Prohibition of Insider Trading: The listed entity is in compliance with Regulation 3(5) & 3(6) SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015.	Yes	--
(k)	Actions taken by SEBI or Stock Exchange(s), if any: No action(s) 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 thereunder except as provided under separate paragraph herein (**).	No action was taken	--
(l)	Additional Non-compliances, if any:	Nil	--



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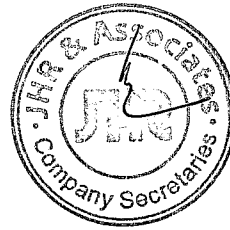


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(e) The listed entity has complied with the provisions of Para 6 of SEBI Circular CIR/CFD/CMD1/114/2019 dated 18th October, 2019 in terms of appointment of Statutory Auditors of the Listed entity- Not Applicable.

For JHR & Associates
Company Secretaries



A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J. H. Ranade'.

J. H. Ranade
Partner

(FCS: 4317, CP: 2520)

UDIN: F004317E000269494

Place: Thane

Date: 08th May, 2023