#### HERCULES HOISTS LIMITED



Ref: KSM/CM6

Listing Department The Bombay Stock Exchange Limited, Phiroze jeejeebhoy Towers Dalal Street, Mumbai- 400023 [Scrip Code- 505720] Date: 26-05-2021

Listing Department, National Stock Exchange of India Limited Exchange Plaza, Bandra-Kurla Complex, Bandra (East), Mumbai-400051 [Scrip Code HERCULES EQ]

Sub.: Annual Secretarial Compliance Report for the Financial Year ended March 31, 2021

Dear Sir/Madam

In compliance with SEBI Circular No. CIR/CFD/CMD1//27/2019 dated February 8, 2019 ("SEBI Circular"), please find enclosed the Annual Secretarial Compliance Report for the financial year ended March 31, 2021.

We request you to take the above on record and that the same be treated as compliance under the applicable provisions of the SEBI Circular.

Thanking you,

For Hercules Hoists Limited,

Kiran Mukadam Company Secretary

Encl: As Above

Corporate Office

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#### **Registered Office**

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To, **Hercules Hoists Limited CIN: L45400MH1962PLC012385** Bajaj Bhawan, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, 226, Jamnalal Bajaj Marg, Nariman Point Mumbai – 400 021.

Sir/ Madam,

#### Annual Secretarial Compliance Report for the Financial Year 2020 – 2021

We have been engaged by **Hercules Hoists Limited** (hereinafter referred to as 'the Company / Listed Entity') bearing CIN: **L45400MH1962PLC012385** whose equity shares are listed on National Stock Exchange of India Limited (Symbol: Hercules) and BSE Limited (Security Code: 505720) to conduct an audit in terms of Regulation 24A of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 as amended, read with SEBI's Circular No. CIR/CFD/CMD1/27/2019 dated 08<sup>th</sup> February, 2019 and to issue the Annual Secretarial Compliance Report thereon.

It is the responsibility of the management of the Company to maintain records, devise proper systems to ensure compliance with provisions of all applicable SEBI Regulations and circulars/ guidelines issued there under from time to time and to ensure that the systems are adequate and are operating effectively.

Our responsibility is to verify compliances by the Company with provisions of all applicable SEBI Regulations and circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder from time to time and issue a report thereon.

Our audit was conducted in accordance with Guidance Note on Annual Secretarial Compliance Report issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India and in a manner which involved such examinations and verifications as considered necessary and adequate for the said purpose.





Due to the pandemic caused by Covid-19 and prevailing lockdowns/restrictions on movement of people imposed by the Government, for the purpose of issuing this report, we have conducted our audit remotely based on the records and information made available to us by the Company, electronically.

The Annual Secretarial Compliance Report in the prescribed format is enclosed.



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#### SECRETARIAL COMPLIANCE REPORT OF HERCULES HOISTS LIMITED FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31<sup>st</sup> MARCH, 2021

We have examined:

- (a) all the documents and records made available to us and explanations provided by **Hercules Hoists Limited** ('the listed entity');
- (b) 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 financial year ended **31<sup>st</sup> March, 2021** ('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 thereunder by the Securities and Exchange Board of India ('SEBI').

The specific Regulations, provisions of which 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 as there was no reportable event during the financial year under review;
- (c) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011;



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- (d) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Buyback of Securities) Regulations, 2018 –
  Not applicable as there was no reportable event during the financial year under review;
- (e) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Share Based Employee Benefits) Regulations, 2014 – Not applicable as there was no reportable event during the financial year under review;
- (f) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Debt Securities) Regulations, 2008 – Not applicable as there was no reportable event during the financial year under review;
- (g) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Non-Convertible and Redeemable Preference Shares) Regulations, 2013 – Not applicable as there was no reportable event during the financial year under review;
- (h) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015;

and Circulars/ Guidelines issued thereunder;

Based on the above examination, we hereby report that, during the review period:

(a) The listed entity has complied with the provisions of the above Regulations and circulars/ guidelines issued there under except in respect of matter specified below:-

Sr.	Compliance Requirement	Deviations	Observations/
No	(Regulations/ circulars /		Remarks of the
	guidelines including		Practicing Company
	specific clause)		Secretary
1.	Regulation 34(1)	The Company commenced	Both the dispatch of
	of SEBI (Listing	dispatch of Annual Report	Annual Report to
	Obligations and	to its shareholders on $18^{th}$	Shareholders and
	Disclosures Requirement)	August, 2020 and submitted	submission to the Stock
	Regulation, 2015	the copy of the same to the	Exchanges are well
	Copy of Annual Report along	Stock Exchanges on 21st	within the time limit of
	with Notice should be	August, 2020 with delay of	21days as provided in
	submitted to Stock	2 days.	the Regulations.
	Exchanges not later than the	A MALATI KUMAR	

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day of commencement of dispatch to the shareholders.

- (b) The listed entity has maintained proper records under the provisions of the above Regulations and circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder insofar as it appears from our examination of those records;
- (c) Following are the details of actions taken against the listed entity/ its promoters/ directors/ material subsidiaries either by SEBI or by Stock Exchanges (*including under the Standard Operating Procedures issued by SEBI through various circulars*) under the aforesaid Acts/ Regulations and circulars/ guidelines issued there under:

Sr. No.	Action taken by	Details of violation	Details of action taken	Observations/ Remarks of the
			[E.g.: fines, warning	Practicing
			letter, debarment	Company
			etc.,]	Secretary, if any
1.	NSE/ BSE	Regulation 34(1) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosures	Fine of Rs. 4,000/- levied by BSE Limited vide e-mail dated 8 <sup>th</sup> January, 2021 for delay of two days in	The Company has sought wavier from payment of fine on 11 <sup>th</sup> January, 2021 to BSE and has
		Requirement) Regulation, 2015 mandates that a copy of Annual Report along with Notice of AGM	submission of the Annual Report within the period prescribed under the said Regulation.	also created waiver request on NSE portal on the same day.
		should be submitted to the Stock Exchanges not later than the day of commencement of dispatch to the shareholders. The Company	NSE vide its e-mail dated 29 <sup>th</sup> December, 2020, has sought clarification on delay in submission under Regulation 34(1) and compliance with	NSE has sought proof of dispatch of Annual Report which has been submitted by the Company. It is observed that





commenced the	Regulation 36(2)	both the dispatch of
dispatch of annual	pertaining to sending	Annual Report to
report to	of Annual Report	Shareholders and
shareholders on 18 <sup>th</sup>	referred to in sub-	submission to the
August, 2020 and	regulation 34(1), to the	Stock Exchanges
submitted the copy	holders of securities,	are well within the
of annual report to	not less than twenty-	time limit of 21days
the Stock	one days before the	as provided in the
Exchanges on 21 <sup>st</sup>	annual general	Regulations.
August, 2020, with a	meeting.	
delay of 2 days.		The Company is
		awaiting the
		decision on the
		application for
		waiver.

(d) The listed entity has taken the following actions to comply with the observations made in previous reports – Not Applicable since there was no observation in the previous Report and accordingly no action was required to be taken by the Company.

For S. N. ANANTHASUBRAMANIAN & Co. Company Secretaries ICSI Unique Code P1991MH040400 Peer Review Cert. No.: 606/2019

Malati Kumar

Partner



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24<sup>th</sup> May, 2021 | Thane