## Pitti Engineering Limited

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To, BSE Limited Floor 25, P J Towers, Dalal Street Mumbai – 400 001 Scrip Code: 513519 To, National Stock Exchange of India Limited Exchange Plaza, Bandra Kurla Complex Bandra (E), Mumbai – 400 051 Scrip Code: PITTIENG

Dear Sirs,

Sub: Receipt of observation letters from BSE limited and National Stock Exchange of India Limited for the Scheme of Amalgamation among Pitti Castings Private Limited ("PCPL" or the "Amalgamating Company 1"), Pitti Rail and Engineering Components Limited ("PRECL" or the "Amalgamating Company 2") and Pitti Engineering Limited ("PEL" or the "Company" or the "Amalgamated Company") and their respective shareholders and creditors (the "Scheme") under Sections 230 to 232 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with other applicable provisions and the rules framed thereunder (including any statutory modification or reenactment thereof).

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This is with reference to our letter dated 15<sup>th</sup> June 2023 informing about the decision of the Board of Directors of Pitti Engineering Limited approving the Scheme, subject to receipt of applicable regulatory and other approvals.

In this regard, we would like to inform you that the Company has received observation letter with "no adverse observations" dated 26<sup>th</sup> October 2023 from BSE Limited and observation letter with "no objection" dated 26<sup>th</sup> October 2023 from National Stock Exchange of India Limited respectively in relation to the Scheme. The copies of the observation letters are enclosed and is also available on the website of the Company at <a href="https://www.pitti.in/investor\_desk/investor\_soa.php">https://www.pitti.in/investor\_desk/investor\_soa.php</a>

The Scheme remains subject to applicable regulatory and other approvals.

Please take the above information on record.

Thanking you, Yours faithfully, For Pitti Engineering Limited

Mary Monica Braganza Company Secretary & Compliance Officer FCS: 5532

CIN: L29253TG1983PLC004141





## DCS/AMAL/TL/R37/2952/2023-24

October 26, 2023

The Company Secretary, Pitti Engineering Ltd. 6 / 3 / 648 / 401, 4th Floor, Padmaja Landmark, Somajiguda, Hyderabad, Telangana, 500082.

Dear Sir/ Madam,

Sub: Observation letter regarding a draft Scheme of Amalgamation amongst Pitti Castings Private Limited ("Amalgamating Company 1"), Pitti Rail and Engineering Components Limited ("Amalgamating Company 2") and Pitti Engineering Limited ("Amalgamated Company") and their respective Shareholders and Creditors

We are in receipt of the Scheme of Arrangement for Amalgamation amongst Pitti Castings Private Limited ("Amalgamating Company 1/ PCPL"), Pitti Rail and Engineering Components Limited ("Amalgamating Company 2/ PRECL") and Pitti Engineering Limited ("Amalgamated Company/ PEL") and their respective Shareholders and Creditors filed by Pitti Engineering Limited ("Amalgamated Company") as required under SEBI Master circular no. SEBI/HO/CFD/POD-2/P/CIR/2023/93 dated June 20, 2023 and Regulation 94(2) of SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015; SEBI vide its letter dated October 25, 2023 has inter alia given the following comment(s) on the draft scheme of Amalgamation:

- a) "The Company shall ensure that the Company discloses all details of ongoing adjudication & recovery proceedings, prosecution initiated and all other enforcement action taken, if any, against the Company, its promoters and directors, before Hon'ble NCLT and shareholders, while seeking approval of the scheme."
- b) "The Company shall ensure that additional information, if any, submitted by the Company after filing the scheme with the stock exchange, from the date of receipt of this letter is displayed on the websites of the listed company and the stock exchanges."
- c) "Company shall ensure compliance with the SEBI circulars issued from time to time."
- d) "The entities involved in the Scheme shall duly comply with various provisions of the Circular."
- e) "Company is advised that the information pertaining to all the Unlisted Companies involved in the Scheme shall be included in the format specified for abridged prospectus as provided in Part E of Schedule VI of the ICDR Regulations, 2018, in the explanatory statement or notice or proposal accompanying resolution to be passed, which is sent to the shareholders for seeking approval."
- f) "Company shall ensure that the financials in the scheme including financials considered for valuation report are not for period more than 6 months old."
- g) "Company is advised to additionally disclose:
- Details of Assets, Liabilities, revenue being transferred to the merger entity.
- (ii) Details of legal proceedings and contingent liabilities merged in Pitti Engineering Limited.

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- (iii) Details of regulatory actions initiated against the three companies in last 8 financial years.
- (iv) Reconciliation of share capital of all the companies, prior and post scheme.
- (v) Details of the open offer made by M/s Pitti Electrical Equipment Ltd. and Smt. Madhuri S Pitti in the matter of Pitti Engineering Limited and subsequent developments in the same.
- (vi) Any type of arrangement between the demerged company/ resulting company/ merged/ amalgamated company/ creditors/ shareholders/ promoters/ directors etc., which may have any implication on the scheme of arrangement.
- (vii) Brief history of the demerged undertaking/ transferor company.
- (viii) Build-up and nature of reserves of the companies involved in the scheme.
- (ix) List of comparable companies considered for CCM method.
- (x) How the scheme will be beneficial to the public shareholders of the listed entity.
- (xi) Details of business activities undertaken by unlisted companies along with discussions on their financials.
- (xii) Tax/ other liability/ benefit arising to the entities involved in the scheme, if any.
- (xiii) Calculation pertaining to shares issued to each promoter of PCPL pursuant to the scheme and final shareholding of PEL.
  - as a part of explanatory statement or notice or proposal accompanying resolution to be passed to be forwarded by the company to the shareholders while seeking approval u/s 230 to 232 of the Companies Act 2013, so that public shareholders can make an informed decision in the matter.
- h) "Company is advised to ensure that the details of the proposed scheme under consideration as provided by the company to the stock exchange shall be prominently disclosed in the notice sent to the shareholders."
- i) "Company is advised to ensure that proposed equity shares to be issued in terms of the 'Scheme' shall mandatorily be in demat form only."
- j) "Company is advised that the "scheme" shall be acted upon subject to the applicant complying with the relevant clauses mentioned in the scheme document."
- k) "Company shall ensure that no changes to the draft scheme except those mandated by the regulators/ authorities / tribunals shall be made without specific written consent of SEBI."
- "Company is advised that the observations of SEBI/Stock Exchanges shall be incorporated in the petition to be filed before Hon'ble NCLT and the Company is obliged to bring the observations to the notice of Hon'ble NCLT."





- m) "Company is advised to comply with all applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013, rules and regulations issued thereunder including obtaining the consent from the creditors for the proposed scheme."
- n) "It is to be noted that the petitions are filed by the company before Hon'ble NCLT after processing and communication of comments/observations on draft scheme by SEBI/stock exchange. Hence, the company is not required to send notice for representation as mandated under section 230(5) of Companies Act, 2013 to SEBI again for its comments / observations / representations."

Accordingly, based on aforesaid comment offered by SEBI, the company is hereby advised:

- To provide additional information, if any, (as stated above) along with various documents to the Exchange for further dissemination on Exchange website.
- To ensure that additional information, if any, (as stated aforesaid) along with various documents are disseminated on their (company) website.
- To duly comply with various provisions of the circulars.

In light of the above, we hereby advise that we have no adverse observations with limited reference to those matters having a bearing on listing/de-listing/continuous listing requirements within the provisions of Listing Agreement, so as to enable the company to file the scheme with Hon'ble NCLT.

Further, where applicable in the explanatory statement of the notice to be sent by the company to the shareholders, while seeking approval of the scheme, it shall disclose information about unlisted company involved in the format prescribed for abridged prospectus as specified in the circular dated March 10, 2017.

Kindly note that as required under Regulation 37(3) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, the validity of this Observation Letter shall be six months from the date of this Letter, within which the scheme shall be submitted to the NCLT.

The Exchange reserves its right to withdraw its 'No adverse observation' at any stage if the information submitted to the Exchange is found to be incomplete / incorrect / misleading / false or for any

contravention of Rules, Bye-laws and Regulations of the Exchange, Listing Agreement, Guidelines/Regulations issued by statutory authorities.

Please note that the aforesaid observations does not preclude the Company from complying with any other requirements.

Further, it may be noted that with reference to Section 230 (5) of the Companies Act, 2013 (Act), read with Rule 8 of Companies (Compromises, Arrangements and Amalgamations) Rules 2016 (Company Rules) and Section 66 of the Act read with Rule 3 of the Company Rules wherein pursuant to an Order passed by the Hon'ble National Company Law Tribunal, a Notice of the proposed scheme of compromise or arrangement filed under sections 230-232 or Section 66 of the Companies Act 2013 as the case may be is required to be served upon the Exchange seeking representations or objections if any.

In this regard, with a view to have a better transparency in processing the aforesaid notices served upon the Exchange, the Exchange has <u>already introduced an online system of serving such Notice</u> along with the relevant documents of the proposed schemes through the BSE Listing Centre.

Any service of notice under Section 230 (5) or Section 66 of the Companies Act 2013 seeking Exchange's representations or objections if any, would be accepted and processed through the





<u>Listing Centre only and no physical filings would be accepted.</u> You may please refer to circular dated February 26, 2019 issued to the company.

Yours faithfully,

**Manu Thomas** 

**Additional General Manager** 

Tanmayi Lele Assistant Manager





## National Stock Exchange Of India Limited

Ref: NSE/LIST/2023/36263\_I

October 26, 2023

The Company Secretary Pitti Engineering Limited 6-3-648/401, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, Padmaja Landmark, Somajiguda, Hyderabad-500 082

Kind Attn.: Ms. Mary Monica Braganza

Dear Madam,

Sub: Observation Letter for draft scheme of amalgamation among Pitti Castings Private Limited ("Amalgamating Company 1") and Pitti Rail and Engineering Components Limited ("Amalgamating Company 2") and Pitti Engineering Limited ("Amalgamated Company") and their respective shareholders and creditors.

We are in receipt for draft scheme of amalgamation among Pitti Castings Private Limited ("Amalgamating Company 1") and Pitti Rail and Engineering Components Limited ("Amalgamating Company 2") and Pitti Engineering Limited ("Amalgamated Company") and their respective shareholders and creditors under section 230 to 232 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with rules made thereunder vide application dated June 26, 2023.

Based on our letter reference no. NSE/LIST/36263 dated August 17, 2023, submitted to SEBI pursuant to SEBI Master circular no. CFD/DIL3/CIR/2017/21 dated March 10, 2017 read with Master circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/DIL1/CIR/P/2021/665 dated November 23, 2021 and Regulation 94(2) of SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015, SEBI vide its letter dated October 25, 2023, has inter alia given the following comment(s) on the draft scheme of amalgamation:

- a. Company shall ensure to discloses all details of ongoing adjudication & recovery proceedings, prosecution initiated, and all other enforcement action taken, if any, against the Company, its promoters, and directors, before Hon'ble NCLT and shareholders, while seeking approval of the Scheme.
- b. Company shall ensure that additional information, if any, submitted by the Company after filing the Scheme with the stock exchange, from the date of receipt of this letter, is displayed on the websites of the listed Company and the stock Exchanges.
- c. The entities involved in the scheme shall duly comply with various provisions of the Circular.
- d. Company shall ensure that information pertaining to all the unlisted companies involved in the scheme, shall be included in the format specified for abridged prospectus as provided in Part E of Schedule VI of the ICDR Regulations, 2018, in the explanatory statement or notice or proposal accompanying resolution to be passed, which is sent to the shareholders for seeking approval.
- e. Company shall ensure that the financials in the scheme including financials considered for valuation report are not for period more than 6 months old.



- f. Companies shall disclose the following as a part of explanatory statement or notice or proposal accompanying resolution to be passed to be forwarded by the company to the shareholders while seeking approval u/s 230 to 232 of the Companies Act 2013, so that public shareholders can make an informed decision in the matter:
  - The details of the Assets & Liabilities and revenue being transferred to the merged entity.
  - The details of legal proceedings and contingent liabilities merged in Pitti Engineering Limited.
  - The details of regulatory actions initiated against the three companies in last 8 financial years.
  - The reconciliation of share capital of all the companies, prior and post the scheme.
  - The details of the open offer made by M/s Pitti Electrical Equipment Ltd. and Smt. Madhuri S Pitti in the matter of Pitti Engineering Limited and subsequent developments in the same.
  - Any type of arrangement between the demerged company/resulting company/ merged/ amalgamated company/creditors/shareholders/promoters/directors etc., which may have any implication on the scheme of arrangement.
  - Brief history of the demerged undertaking / transferor Company.
  - Build-up and nature of reserves of the companies involved in the scheme.
  - List of comparable companies considered for CCM method.
  - How the scheme will be beneficial to the public shareholders of the listed entity.
  - Details of business activities undertaken by unlisted companies along with discussion on their financials.
  - Tax/other liability/ benefit arising to the entities involved in the scheme, if any.
  - Calculation pertaining to shares issued to each promoter of PCPL pursuant to the scheme and final shareholding of PEL.
- g. Company shall ensure that the details of the proposed Scheme under consideration as provided by the Company to the Stock Exchange shall be prominently disclosed in the notice sent to the Shareholders.
- h. Company shall ensure that the proposed equity shares to be issued in terms of the "scheme" shall mandatorily be in demat form only.
- i. Company shall ensure that the "Scheme" shall be acted upon subject to the applicant complying with the relevant clauses mentioned in the scheme document.
- j. Company shall ensure that no changes to the draft scheme except those mandated by the regulators/authorities/ tribunals shall be made without specific written consent of SEBI.
- k. Company shall ensure that the observations of SEBI/Stock Exchanges shall be incorporated in the petition to be filed before NCLT and the Company is obliged to bring the observations to the notice of NCLT.
- l. Company shall ensure that all the applicable provisions of the Companies Act,2013, rules and regulations issued thereunder including obtaining the consent from the creditors for the proposed scheme.
- m. It is to be noted that the petitions are filed by the Company before NCLT after processing and communication of comments/observations on draft scheme by SEBI/ Stock Exchange. Hence, the Company is not required to send notice for representation as mandated under section 230(5) of Companies Act, 2013 to SEBI again for its comments/ observations/ representations.



It is to be noted that the petitions are filed by the company before NCLT after processing and communication of comments/observations on draft scheme by SEBI/ stock exchange. Hence, the company is not required to send notice for representation as mandated under section 230(5) of Companies Act, 2013 to National Stock Exchange of India Limited again for its comments/observations/representations.

Further, where applicable in the explanatory statement of the notice to be sent by the company to the shareholders, while seeking approval of the scheme, it shall disclose information about unlisted companies involved in the format prescribed for abridged prospectus as specified in the Circular.

Based on the draft scheme and other documents submitted by the Company, including undertaking given in terms of Regulation 11 of SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015, we hereby convey our "No objection" in terms of Regulation 94(2) of SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015, so as to enable the Company to file the draft scheme with NCLT.

Please note that the submission of documents/information, in accordance with the Circular to SEBI and National Stock Exchange of India (NSE), should not in any way be deemed or construed that the same has been cleared or approved by SEBI and NSE. SEBI and NSE does not take any responsibility either for the financial soundness of any scheme or for the correctness of the statements made or opinions expressed in the documents submitted.

However, the Exchange reserves its rights to raise objections at any stage if the information submitted to the Exchange is found to be incomplete/ incorrect/ misleading/ false or for any contravention of Rules, Bye-laws and Regulations of the Exchange, Listing Regulations, Guidelines/ Regulations issued by statutory authorities.

The validity of this "Observation Letter" shall be six months from October 26, 2023, within which the Scheme shall be submitted to NCLT.

Kindly note, this Exchange letter should not be construed as approval under any other Act /Regulation/rule/bye laws (except as referred above) for which the Company may be required to obtain approval from other department(s) of the Exchange. The Company is requested to separately take up matter with the concerned departments for approval, if any.

The Company shall ensure filing of compliance status report stating the compliance with each point of Observation Letter on draft scheme of arrangement on the following path: NEAPS > Issue > Scheme of arrangement > Reg 37(1) of SEBI LODR, 2015> Seeking Observation letter to Compliance Status.

Yours faithfully, For National Stock Exchange of India Limited

Dipti Chinchkhede Senior Manager

P.S. Checklist for all the Further Issues is available on website of the exchange at the following URL: https://www.nseindia.com/companies-listing/raising-capital-further-issues-main-sme-checklist