

November 6, 2023

BSE Limited Corporate Services Department Phiroze Jeejeeboy Towers Dalal Street, Mumbai-400 001

Scrip Symbol: QUINT Scrip Code: 539515

Subject: Monitoring Agency Report for the quarter ended September 30, 2023

Dear Sir/Madam,

Please find enclosed Monitoring Agency Report, issued by ICRA Limited under Regulation 32 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, for the quarter ended September 30, 2023, duly reviewed and taken on record by the Board of Directors & Audit Committee of the Company.

We request you to take the above information on record.

Yours sincerely For Quint Digital Limited

Tarun Belwal Company Secretary & Compliance Officer M.No.: A39190

Encl: As above

QUINT DIGITAL LIMITED

(formerly known as Quint Digital Media Limited)

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MONITORING AGENCY REPORT

Name of the Issuer: Quint Digital Media Limited For quarter ended: Q2 FY2024

Name of the Monitoring Agency (MA): ICRA Limited

(a) Deviation from the objects of the issue:

No deviation - The utilization of the issuance proceeds is in line with the objects of the issue.

(b) Range of deviation: Not Applicable

Declaration:

We declare that this report provides an objective view of the utilization of the issue proceeds in relation to the objects of the issue based on the information provided by the Issuer and information obtained from sources believed by it to be accurate and reliable. The MA does not perform an audit and undertakes no independent verification of any information/ certifications/ statements it receives. This Report is not intended to create any legally binding obligations on the MA which accepts no responsibility, whatsoever, for loss or damage from the use of the said information. The views and opinions expressed herein do not constitute the opinion of MA to deal with any security of the Issuer in any manner whatsoever. Nothing mentioned in this report is intended to or should be construed as creating a fiduciary relationship between the MA and any issuer or between the agency and any user of this report. The MA and its affiliates also do not act as an expert as defined under Section 2(38) of the Companies Act, 2013. The MA or its affiliates may have a credit rating or other commercial transactions with the entity to which the report pertains and may receive separate compensation for its ratings and certain creditrelated analyses. We confirm that we do not perceive any conflict of interest in such relationship/ interest while monitoring and reporting the utilization of the issue proceeds by the issuer. We have submitted the report herewith in line with the format prescribed by SEBI, capturing our comments, where applicable. There are certain sections of the report under the title "Comments of the Board of Directors", that shall be captured by the Issuer's Management / Audit Committee of the Board of Directors subsequent to the MA submitting their report to the issuer and before dissemination of the report through stock exchanges. These sections have not been reviewed by the MA, and the MA takes no responsibility for such comments of the issuer's Management/Board.

Signature:

PARUL GOYAL NARANG

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Parul Goyal Narang Vice President & Head - Process Excellence

Analyst: Dhwani Vinchhi QA: Parul Goyal Narang



1. Issuer Details

Name of the Issuer: Quint Digital Media Limited Name(s) of the promoters:

Promoters	
Raghav Bahl	
Ritu Kapur	
Source: BSE	

Source: BSE

Industry/ sector to which it belongs: Electronic Media

2. Issue Details

Issue Period: Opening date- January 09, 2023 Closing date- January 24, 2023 Type of Issue: Rights Issue Type of specified securities: Equity shares IPO Grading, if any: No credit rating agency registered with SEBI has been appointed in respect of obtaining grading for the offer. Issue Size (Rs. Crore): 125.00 Crore

With OFS portion: NA; Excluding OFS portion: NA. Net proceeds: INR 120.50 Crore (Excluding Issue Related Expenses)

3. Details of the arrangement made to ensure the monitoring of issue proceeds.

Particulars	Reply	Source of information, certifications considered by the Monitoring Agency for the preparation of report	Comments of the Monitoring Agency	Comments of the Issuer's Board of Directors
Whether all utilization is as per the disclosures in the Offer Document?	Yes	-Peer Reviewed CA- Certificate -Confirmation from management -Bank statement of the proceeds account	No deviation observed.	Noted
Whether shareholder approval has been obtained in case of material deviations [#] from expenditures disclosed in the Offer Document?	Not Applicable	As confirmed by the Issuer's management	No comments	No comments



Particulars	Reply	Source of information, certifications considered by the Monitoring Agency for the preparation of report	Comments of the Monitoring Agency	Comments of the Issuer's Board of Directors
Whether the means of finance for the disclosed objects of the issue has changed?	Νο	As confirmed by the Issuer's management	No deviation observed.	Noted
Is there any major deviation observed over the earlier monitoring agency reports?	No	No deviation observed.	No comments	No Comments
Whether all Government/ statutory approvals related to the object(s) have been obtained?	Not Applicable	As confirmed by the Issuer's management	No comments	No Comments
Whether all arrangements pertaining to technical assistance/ collaboration are in operation?	Not Applicable	As confirmed by the Issuer's management	No comments	No Comments
Are there any favorable events improving the viability of these object(s)?	Νο	As confirmed by the Issuer's management	As understood from the Issuer's management	Noted
Are there any unfavorable events affecting the viability of the object(s)?	Νο	As confirmed by the Issuer's management	As understood from the Issuer's management	Noted
Is there any other relevant information that may materially affect the decision making of the investors?	Νο	As confirmed by the Issuer's management	As understood from the Issuer's management	Noted

[#] Where material deviation is defined to mean:

(a) Deviation in the objects or purposes for which the funds had been raised.

(b) Deviation in the amount of funds utilized by more than 10% of the amount specified in the offer document.



4. Details of the object(s) to be monitored.

(i) Cost of object(s)

	Item Head	Source of information, certifications considered by the Monitoring Agency for the preparation of report	Original cost (as per the offer document) [Rs. Crore]			Comments of the Issuer's Board of Directors			
S.N.				Revised cost [Rs. Crore]	Comments of the Monitoring Agency	Reaso n for cost revisio n	Proposed financing option	Particulars of firm arrangements made	
1	Towards the exercise of the call option under the Quintype India SHA	Letter of Offer	37.5000	Not Applicable	No comments	N.A.	-	-	
2	Payment of remaining purchase price to Mr. Raghav Bahl for acquisition of QML shares/securities	Letter of Offer	6.5600	Not Applicable	No comments	N.A.	-	-	
3	Payment of remaining purchase price to RB Diversified for acquisition of QML shares / securities	Letter of Offer	2.0500	Not Applicable	No comments	N.A.	-	-	
4	Payment of remaining purchase price to Mr. Raghav Bahl for acquisition of Spunklane Media shares / securities	Letter of Offer	5.3800	Not Applicable	No comments	N.A.	_	-	
5	Pre- payment / repayment of loans	Letter of Offer	38.2613	Not Applicable	No comments	N.A.	-	-	
6	General Corporate Purposes	Letter of Offer	30.7487	Not Applicable	No comments	N.A.	-	-	
	Total		120.5000						



(ii) Progress in the object(s)

	Item Head*	Item Head* Source of information, certifications considered by the Monitoring Agency for the preparation of report	Amount as proposed in	ļ	Amount utilized. [Rs. Crore]		Total	Total unutilized Comments of the		f the Issuer's Directors
S.N.			the offer document. [Rs. Crore]	As at the beginning of the quarter	During the quarter	At the end of the quarter	amount [Rs. Crore]	Monitoring Agency	Reasons for idle funds	Proposed course of action
1	Towards the exercise of the call option under the Quintype India SHA	-Peer Reviewed CA- Certificate -Bank statement of the proceeds account -Letter of offer	37.5000	-	-	-	37.5000	No comments	No comments	No comments
2	Payment of remaining purchase price to Mr. Raghav Bahl for acquisition of QML shares / securities	Same as above	6.5600	6.5600	-	6.5600	Nil	No comments	No comments	No comments
3	Payment of remaining purchase price to RB Diversified for acquisition of QML shares / securities	Same as above	2.0500	2.0500	-	2.0500	Nil	No comments	No comments	No comments
4	Payment of remaining purchase price to Mr. Raghav Bahl for acquisition of Spunklane Media shares / securities	Same as above	5.3800	5.3800	-	5.3800	Nil	No comments	No comments	No comments
5	Pre- payment / repayment of loans	Same as above	38.2613	38.2613	-	38.2613	Nil	No comments	No comments	No comments
6	General corporate purposes	Same as above	30.7487	30.7487	-	30.7487	Nil	No comments	No comments	No comments
	Total		120.5000	72.5694	-	83.0000	37.5000			



(iii) Deployment of unutilized proceeds

S.N.	Type of instrument and name of the entity invested in	Amount invested. [Rs. Crore]	Maturity date	Earning [Rs. Crore]	Return on Investment [%]	Market Value as at the end of quarter* [Rs. Crore]
1	Fixed Deposit with Kotak Mahindra Bank	37.5000	July 28, 2024	1.2485	7.40%	38.7485
	Total		-	-	-	38.7485

Source: As certified by Nayyar Maniar Sharma & Associates LLP.

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(iv) Delay in the implementation of the object(s)

	Cor	npletion date		Comments of the Issuer's Board of Directors		
Object(s)	As per the offer document	offer Actual^		Reason for delay	Proposed course of action	
Towards the exercise of the call option under the Quintype India SHA	FY23 - FY24	On Schedule	NA	NA	NA	
Payment of remaining purchase price to Mr. Raghav Bahl for acquisition of QML shares / securities	FY23	On Schedule	NA	NA	NA	
Payment of remaining purchase price to RB Diversified for acquisition of QML shares / securities	FY23	On Schedule	NA	NA	NA	
Payment of remaining purchase price to Mr. Raghav Bahl for acquisition of Spunklane Media shares / securities	FY23	On Schedule	NA	NA	NA	
Pre- payment / repayment of loans	FY23	On Schedule	NA	NA	NA	
General Corporate Purposes	FY23-FY25	On Schedule	NA	NA	NA	

Source: As confirmed by the Issuer's management ^Refers to the latest estimate of the completion date

5. Details of utilization of proceeds stated as General Corporate Purpose (GCP) amount in the offer document.

S.N.	Item Head	Amount [Rs. Crore]	Source of information, certifications considered by the Monitoring Agency for the preparation of report	Comments of the Monitoring Agency	Comments of the Issuer's Board of Directors
1	Loan Repayment	6.9900	Peer Reviewed CA- Certificate and Bank Statements	No Comments	Noted
2	Payment to Creditors	5.8181	Peer Reviewed CA- Certificate and Bank No Comments Statements		Noted
3	Intercorporate deposit with Subsidiaries	10.7100	Peer Reviewed CA- Certificate and Bank Statements	No Comments	Noted
4	Payment of operational Expenses	6.3566	Peer Reviewed CA- Certificate and Bank Statements	No Comments	Noted
5	Investment in Associates	0.8740	Peer Reviewed CA- Certificate and Bank Statements	No Comments	Noted
	Total	30.7487			

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