## **IndusInd Bank**

May 21, 2024

National Stock Exchange of India Ltd (Symbol: INDUSINDBK) BSE Ltd. (Scrip Code: 532187) Luxembourg Stock Exchange

Madam / Dear Sir,

## <u>Subject: Annual Secretarial Compliance Report of IndusInd Bank Limited for the Financial</u> <u>Year 2023-24</u>

In compliance with Regulation 24A of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 read with SEBI Circular CIR/CFD/CMDI/27/2019 dated February 8, 2019, we furnish herewith the Annual Secretarial Compliance Report for Financial Year 2023- 24, issued by Mr. Alwyn D'Souza (FCS No. 5559 and CP No.5137), Partner, Alwyn Jay & Co., Practising Company Secretaries.

This is for your information and appropriate dissemination.

Yours faithfully, For IndusInd Bank Ltd.

Anand Kumar Das Company Secretary

Encl. a/A



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## Alwyn Jay & Co.

Company Secretaries

[Firm Registration No: P2010MH021500] [Peer Review Certificate No.621/2019]

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> Secretarial compliance report of Indusind Bank Limited (CIN: L65191PN1994PLC076333) for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2024

We, Alwyn Jay & Co., Company Secretaries, have examined that:

- (a) all the documents and records made available to us and explanation provided by **IndusInd Bank Limited** (hereinafter called "the Bank"),
- (b) the fillings/submissions made by the Bank to the stock exchanges,
- (c) Website of the Bank,
- (d) any other document/filing, as may be relevant, which has been relied upon to make this certification,

for the year ended **31<sup>st</sup> March**, **2024** ("Review Period") in respect of compliance with 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 Contract (Regulation) Act, 1956 ("SCRA"), rules made thereunder and the Regulations, circular, guidelines issued thereunder by the Securities and Exchange Board of India ("SEBI").

The specific Regulations, as amended 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) Regulation 2015.
- (b) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulation 2018.
- (c) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulation 2011.
- (d) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Buyback of Securities) Regulations, 2018 Not applicable to the Bank during the review period.
- (e) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Share Based Employee Benefits and Sweat Equity) Regulations, 2021.
- (f) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Non-Convertible Securities) Regulations, 2021.
- (g) 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 **Not applicable to the Bank during the review period**.
- (h) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulation 2015.
- (i) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Delisting of Equity Shares) Regulations, 2021- Not applicable to the Bank during the review period.
- (j) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Depositories and Participants) Regulations, 2018.

(k) SEBI Circular CIR/CFD/CMD1/114/2019 dated October 18, 2019 in terms of Para 6(A) and 6(B) of the said circular in the terms of appointment of statutory auditor of the listed entity.

And circulars/guidelines issued thereunder.

and based on the above examination, we hereby report that during the Review Period:

(a) The Bank has complied with the provisions of the above Regulations and circulars/guidelines issued thereunder including except in respect of the 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 Practicing Bank Secretary	Management Response	Remarks
					Advisory/ Clarification/ Fine/Show Cause Notice/ Warning etc.	,				
1	Submission of Voting Results within two working days of conclusion of the General Meeting of the Bank	Regulation 44(3) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirement	Delay of one minute fifty- Eight seconds in uploading the voting results on BSE online portal	BSE Limited	Fine	delay in submission of disclosure under Regulation 44(3) of SEBI (Listing	Rs. 11,800/- (includi ng GST)	The Bank had paid the fine of Rs.11,800/- on December 4, 2023 and simultaneously the Bank had	Due to technical reasons, there was marginal delay in submission of disclosure on	Not Applicable

	(including Postal Ballot)	s) Regulations, 2015, as amended				Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended		filed application for waiver of fine as per BSE Policy for exemption of fines levied as per the provisions of SEBI Circular no. SEBI/HO/CFD/Po D2/CIR/P/2023/1 20 dated July, 11, 2023.	BSE online portal. The Bank had paid the fine of Rs.11,800/- on December 4, 2023 and had filed an application for waiver of fine with BSE Limited.	
2.	Submission of the intimation to the Stock Exchange in advance of at least seven working days (excluding the date of intimation and the record date)	Regulation 60 (2) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirement s) Regulations, 2015, as amended	Delay in intimation of Record Date for payment of interest on Infrastructure Bonds	National Stock Exchang e of India Limited	Fine	Delay in submission of intimation under Regulation 60 (2) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended	11,800/- (includi	The Bank had paid the fine of Rs.11,800/- on February 1, 2024	There was an inadvertent delay with respect to intimation of record date in compliance with SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements ) Regulations, 2015, as amended. In order to ensure non- occurrence of such event in future, the	Not Applicable

				Bank has
				strengthened
				control &
				compliance.
				The Bank had
				paid the fine
				of Rs.11,800/-
				on February 1,
				2024

(b) The Bank has taken the following actions to comply with the observation made in previous reports:

Sr. No.		Regulation /Circular No.	Deviations	Action Taken by	Type of Action	Details of Violation	Fine Amount	Observations /Remarks of the Practicing Bank Secretary	Management Response	Remarks
					Advisory/ Clarification/ Fine/Show Cause Notice/ Warning etc.					
1.	Sections 12A(a), (b) & (c) of the SEBI Act, 1992 and Regulations 3(b), (c) & (d) and 4(1) of SEBI (Prohibition of	Section 11(1), 11(4), 11(4A), 11A and 11B(1), 11B(2) of	Bank had violated provisions of Sections 12A(a), (b) & (c) of the SEBI Act, 1992 and Regulations	SEBI	Fine	Alleged Commission and omission to get the Bank's loan repaid earlier sanctioned to CG Group	Rs. 1 Crore	SEBI vide its order bearing reference no. WTM/AB/CFID /CFID_1/20149 /2022-23	The Bank has deposited Rs.50 Lakhs as directed by SAT. SAT, meanwhile, effect and	Not Applicable

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Fraudulent and		3(b), (c) & (d)		in	dated October	operation of	
Unfair Trade		and 4(1) of SEBI	the year 2017		4, 2022	the impugned	
Practices	with	(Prohibition of			in respect of	order with	
relating to	Section 19	Fraudulent and			the alleged	regard to	
Securities	of SEBI	Unfair Trade			violations	debarment and	
Market)	Act, 1992	Practices			relating to	penalty shall	
Regulations,	and Rule 5	relating to			loans granted	remain stayed.	
2003.	of the SEBI	Securities			by the Bank to	The Bank vide	
	(Procedure	Market)			group	its letter dated	
		Regulations,200			companies of	February 28,	
		3.			CG Power and	2023 had	
	Imposing				Industrial	disclosed that	
	Penalties)				Solutions	deposit of	
	Rules, 1995				Limited	penalty	
					levying the	amount. The	
					penalty of	appeal is	
					Rs.1 Crore.	pending before	
					Bank had filed	SAT.	
					an Appeal		
					before		
					Securities		
					Appellate		
					Tribunal (SAT)		
					challenging		
					the Order		
					passed by		
					SEBI. SAT		
					vide its order		
					passed on 27 <sup>th</sup>		
					February,		
					2023 had		
					granted a stay		
					on the		
					operation and		
					effect of the		

	SEBI Order until further orders, subject to deposit of Rs. 50 lakhs by the Bank with SEBI within 3 weeks from the date of the Order.
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Further, we hereby confirm the following for the Review Period:

Sr.	Particulars	Compliance Status	Observations/Remarks by
No.		(Yes/No/NA)	PCS
1.	Secretarial Standard:	Yes	Not Applicable
	The compliances of the Bank are in accordance		
	with the applicable Secretarial Standards (SS)		
	issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries		
	India (ICSI).		

2.	<ul> <li>Adoption and timely updation of the Policies:</li> <li>All applicable policies under SEBI Regulations are adopted with the approval of board of directors of the Bank.</li> <li>All the policies are in conformity with SEBI Regulations and has been reviewed &amp; timely updated as per the regulations/ circulars/ guidelines issued by SEBI.</li> </ul>	Yes	Not Applicable
3.	<ul> <li>Maintenance and disclosures on Website:</li> <li>The Bank is maintaining a functional website</li> <li>Timely dissemination of the documents/ information under a separate section on the website</li> <li>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.</li> </ul>	Yes	Not Applicable
4.	<u>Disqualification of Director:</u> None of the Director of the Bank are disqualified under Section 164 of Companies Act, 2013.	Yes	Not Applicable

5.	To examine details related to Subsidiaries of the Bank:(a) Identification of material subsidiary companies(b) Requirements with respect to disclosure of material as well as other subsidiaries.	Not Applicable	The Bank does not have any material subsidiary company. The Bank has a wholly-owned subsidiary named 'Bharat Financial Inclusion Limited.'
6.	Preservation of Documents: The Bank 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	Not Applicable
7.	Performance Evaluation: The Bank has conducted performance evaluation of the Board, Independent Directors and the Committees at the start of every financial year as prescribed in SEBI Regulations.	Yes	Not Applicable
8.	<ul> <li><u>Related Party Transactions:</u></li> <li>(a) The Bank has obtained prior approval of Audit Committee for all Related party transactions.</li> <li>(b) In case no prior approval obtained, the Bank shall provide detailed reasons along with confirmation whether the transactions were</li> </ul>	Yes	Not Applicable

	subsequently approved/ ratified/rejected by the Audit committee.		
9.	Disclosure of events or information: The Bank has provided all the required disclosure(s) under Regulation 30 alongwith Schedule III of SEBI LODR Regulations, 2015 within the time limits prescribed thereunder.	Yes	Not Applicable
10.	Prohibition of Insider Trading:The Bank is in compliance with Regulation 3(5)& 3(6) SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading)Regulations, 2015	Yes	Not Applicable
11.	Actions taken by SEBI or Stock Exchange(s), if any: No Actions taken against the Bank/ 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	Please refer to point no. (a) above
12.	Additional Non-compliances, if any: No any additional non-compliance observed for all SEBI regulation/ circular/ guidance note etc.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

## Assumptions & Limitation of scope and Review:

1. Compliance of the applicable laws and ensuring the authenticity of documents and information furnished, are the responsibilities of the management of the Bank.

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 Bank.

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 Bank nor of the efficacy or effectiveness with which the management has conducted the affairs of the Bank.

Place : USA Date : 21<sup>st</sup> May, 2024

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