

### HINDUSTAN ADHESIVES LIMITED

Date: 26.05.2023

The Manager, Corporate Relationship Department, BSE Limited. Phiroze Jeejeebbhoy Towers Dalal Street, Mumbai-400001

**BSE Scrip Code-514428** 

Dear Sir/Madam,

### Sub: Annual Secretarial Compliance report of the Company for the Year ended March 31, 2023

In compliance of Regulation 24A of SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015, Company has appointed Mr. Puneet Kumar Pandey., Practicing Company Secretaries, as Auditor of the Company for the financial year ended on 31 March, 2023. They have carried out the audit and submitted Annual Secretarial Compliance Report. We are enclosing the copy of the same for your record.

You are requested to take the above information in your records.

For Thanking You, Yours faithfully,

### For HINDUSTAN ADHESIVES LIMITED

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## **Puneet Kumar Pandey**



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# Secretarial Compliance report of Hindustan Adhesives Limited for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2023 (Pursuant to SEBI vide its circular no.- CIR/CFD/CMD1/27/2019 dated 8<sup>th</sup> February, 2019)

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I have conducted the review of the compliance of the applicable statutory provisions and the adherence to good corporate practices by Hindustan Adhesives Limited (hereinafter referred as 'the listed entity'), having its Registered Office at B-2/8, Safdarjung Enclave, New Delhi-110029. Secretarial Review was conducted in a manner that provided me a reasonable basis for evaluating the corporate conducts/statutory compliances and to provide my observations thereon.

Based on my verification of the listed entity's books, papers, minutes books, forms and returns filed and other records maintained by the listed entity and also the information provided by the listed entity, its officers, agents and authorized representatives during the conduct of Secretarial Review, I hereby report that the listed entity has, during the review period covering the financial year ended on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2023 complied with the statutory provisions listed hereunder in the manner and subject to the reporting made hereinafter:

#### I have examined:

- (a) all the documents and records made available to us and explanation provided by Hindustan Adhesives Limited ("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 in respect of compliance with the provisions of :

- (a) the Securities and Exchange Board of India Act, 1992 ("SEBI Act") and the Regulations, circulars, quidelines issued thereunder; and
- (b) the 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 to the Company during the Audit 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 to the Company during the Audit Period)
- (e) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Share Based Employee Benefits and Sweat Equity) Regulations, 2021; (Not Applicable to the Company during the Audit Period)
- (f) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Debt Securities) Regulations, 2008; (Not Applicable to the Company during the Audit Period)



- (g) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Non-Convertible Securities) Regulations, 2021; (Not Applicable to the Company during the Audit Period)
- (h) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015;

Securities and Exchange Board of India (Depositories and Participants) Regulations, 2018; and circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder; I hereby report that, during the Review Period the compliance status of the listed entity is appended as below:

Sr. No.	Particulars	Compliance Status (Yes/No/ NA)	Observations /Remarks by PCS*
1.	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), as notified by the Central Government under section 118(10) of the Companies Act, 2013 and mandatorily applicable.	Yes	-
2.	Adoption and timely updation of the Policies:     a) All applicable policies under SEBI Regulations are adopted with the approval of board of directors of the listed entities     b) 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	Yes Yes	<u>-</u>
3.	Maintenance and disclosures on Website:     a) The Listed entity is maintaining a functional website     b) Timely dissemination of the documents/ information under a separate section on the website     c) 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	Yes Yes Yes	<del>-</del>
4.	Disqualification of Director:  None of the Director(s) of the Company is/are disqualified under Section 164 of Companies Act, 2013 as confirmed by the listed entity.	Yes	-
5.	Details related to Subsidiaries of listed entities have been examined w.r.t.:  (a) Identification of material subsidiary companies  (b) Disclosure requirement of material as well as other subsidiaries	NA NA	The Company doe not have material or any other Subsidiary

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6.	Preservation of Documents:  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.	Yes	ē
7.	Performance Evaluation:  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.	Yes	
8.	Related Party Transactions:  (a) The listed entity has obtained prior approval of Audit Committee for all related party transactions; or  (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.	Yes NA	No such Case
9.	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	_
10.	Prohibition of Insider Trading:  The listed entity is in compliance with Regulation 3(5) & 3(6) SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015.	Yes	
11.	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	Yes	-



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12.	Additional Non-compliances, if any:		
		Yes	It may be noted that during the year, Stock Exchange has imposed a fine of Rs.5,000/-consequent to non-compliance of regulation 23(9) of listing regulations and Rs.10,000/-consequent to non-compliance of regulation 17(2A) of listing regulations

(a) The listed entity has complied with the provisions of the above Regulations and circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder, except in respect of matters specified below:

Compliance	Regu-	Deviations	ActionTakenby	Type of	Details of	Fine	Obser- vations/	Man	Rem
Requirement (Regulations/ circulars/ guide- lines including specific clause)	lation/ Circular No.			Action Advisory/ Clarification / Fine/Show Cause Notice/ Warning, etc.	Violation	Amount	Remarks ofthe Practicing Company Secretary	age- men t Re- spo nse	arks
In pursuance of SEBI(LODR), Regulation,2015 listed entity shall make such disclosures every six months within fifteen days from the date of publication of its standalone and consolidated financial results	Regulation 23(9)	Delayed in Submission of Report	Company has filed a waiver application against the Notices with a fine of Rs. 5,000/- received from Stock exchanges for delayed compliances	Company has paid the fine levied by Stock exchanges	Delayed in submission of Related party transaction report in pursuance of regulation 23(9)	5,000/-	The Conpany has delayed of 1 day in submission of report uder reg 23{9} to Stock exchanges and accordingly Company has paid the fine levied by the Stock Exchanges		Ackno wledge d
In pursuance of SEBI(LODR), Regulation,2015 the quorum for every meeting of the board of directors of the top 2000 listed entities shall be one-third of its total strength or three directors, whichever is higher, including at least one independent director	Regulation 17(2A)	Non- Compliance of quorum of the board Meeting	Company has filed a waiver application against the Notices with a fine of Rs. 10,000/- received from Stock exchanges for Non-Compliance	Company has paid the fine levied by Stock exchanges	Non-Compliance of quorum of the board Meeting in pursuance of regulation 17(2A)	10,000/-	The Conpany has Non-Compliance of quorum of the board Meeting under Reg 17{2A} and accordingly Company has paid the fine levied by the Stock Exchanges		Ackno wledge d

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

Requirement Regulations	Circul	Deviations	Taken by	Type of Action Advisory/ Clarification/	Details of Violation	Fine Amount	vations/ Remarks	Managem- ent Response	
/ circulars/ guide- lines including specific clause)	arNo.			Fine/Show Cause Notice/ Warning,			of the Practicing Company Secretary		
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Compliances related to resignation of statutory auditors from listed entities and their material subsidiaries as per SEBI Circular CIR/CFD/CMD1/114/2019 dated 18<sup>th</sup> October, 2019:

Sr. No.	Particulars	Observations /Remarks by PCS*						
1.	Compliances with the following conditions while appointing/re-appointing an auditor							
	i. If the auditor has resigned within 45 days from the end of a quarter of a financial year, the auditor before such resignation, has issued the limited review/ audit reportfor such quarter; or							
	ii. If the auditor has resigned after 45 days from the end of a quarter of a financial year, the auditor before such resignation, has issued the limited review/ audit report for such quarter as well as the next quarter; or	NA	No such Case					
	iii. If the auditor has signed the limited review/ audit report for the first three quarters of a financial year, the auditor before such resignation, has issued the limited review/ audit report for the last quarter of such financial year as well as the audit report for such financial year.							
2.	Other conditions relating to resignation of statutory auditor	or						



	Reporting of concerns by Auditor with respect to the listed entity/its material subsidiary to the Audit Committee:	4	
	a. In case of any concern with the management of the listed entity/material subsidiary such as non- availability of information / non-cooperation by the management which has hampered the audit process, the auditor has approached the Chairman of the Audit Committee of the listed entity and the Audit Committee shall receive such concern directly and immediately without specifically waiting for the quarterly Audit Committee meetings.	NA	No such Case
	b. In case the auditor proposes to resign, all concerns with respect to the proposed resignation, along with relevant documents has been brought to the notice of the Audit Committee. In cases where the proposed resignation is due to non-receipt of information / explanation from the company, the auditor has informed the Audit Committee the details of information / explanation sought and not provided by the management, as applicable.		
	c. The Audit Committee / Board of Directors, as the case may be, deliberated on the matter on receipt of such information from the auditor relating to the proposal to resign as mentioned above and communicate its views to the management and the auditor.		
	ii. Disclaimer in case of non-receipt of information:		E
	The auditor has provided an appropriate disclaimer in its audit report, which is in accordance with the Standards of Auditing as specified by ICAI / NFRA, in case where the listedentity/ its material subsidiary has not provided information as required by the auditor.	NA	No such Case
3.	The listed entity / its material subsidiary has obtained information from the Auditor upon resignation, in the format as specified in Annexure- A in SEBI Circular CIR/CFD/CMD1/114/2019 dated 18 <sup>th</sup> October, 2019.	NA	No such Case



### 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 listed entity.

2. Our responsibility is to certify 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 listed entity.

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 listed entity nor of the efficacy or effectiveness with which the management has conducted the affairs of the listed entity

Place: Delhi Date:26.05.2023

**Puneet Kumar Pandey** M. No.: A29848

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