AXIS/CO/CS/98/2020-21

27th May 2020

The Chief Manager, Listing & Compliance Department National Stock Exchange of India Limited Exchange Plaza, 5th Floor Plot No. C/1, "G" Block Bandra-Kurla Complex Bandra (E), Mumbai – 400 051 The Senior General Manager – Listing Department BSE Limited 1st Floor, New Trading Ring, Rotunda Building P. J. Towers, Dalal Street Fort, Mumbai – 400 001

NSE Symbol: AXISBANK

BSE Scrip Code: 532215

SUB: ANNUAL SECRETARIAL COMPLIANCE REPORT OF AXIS BANK LIMITED (THE BANK) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH 2020.

REF: SEBI CIRCULAR CIR/CFD/CMDI /27 /2019 DATED FEBRUARY 8, 2019.

This is to inform you that, in terms of Clause 3(b) of the SEBI circular no. CIR/CFD/CMD1/27/2019 dated 8th February 2019, please find enclosed the Annual Secretarial Compliance Report of the Bank, for the year ended 31st March 2020, issued by the Secretarial Auditor of the Bank, M/s. BNP & Associates, Company Secretaries, Mumbai (Certificate of Practise No.2311).

You are requested to take note of above and arrange to bring it to the notice of all concerned.

Thanking You.

Yours sincerely,

For Axis Bank Limited

Girish V. Koliyote Company Secretary

Encl.: as above





Secretarial Compliance Report of Axis Bank Limited for the year ended 31st March, 2020

We, BNP & Associates, have examined:

- (a) all the documents and records made available to us and explanation provided by Axis Bank Limited ("the listed entity"),
- (b) the filings/ submissions made by the listed entity to the stock exchanges,
- (c) website of the Company,
- (d) any other document/ filing, as may be relevant, which has been relied upon to make this certification,

for the year ended 31st March, 2020 (" Review Period") compliance with respect to 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 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 (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011;
- (c) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Share Based Employee Benefits) Regulations, 2014;
- (d) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015;
- (e) 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;
- (f) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Depositories and Participants) Regulations, 2018;
- (g) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Merchant Bankers) Regulations, 1992; and
- (h) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Banker to Issue) Regulations, 1994.

and circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder;

and 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 thereunder, <u>except</u> in respect of matters specified below:-

Sr.No	Compliance (Regulations/ guidelines incl clause)	Requirement circulars / uding specific	Deviations	Observations/ Remarks of the Practicing Company Secretary		
NIL						

- (b) The listed entity has maintained proper records under the provisions of the above Regulations and circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder in so far as it appears from our examination of those records.
- (c) The 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 thereunder:

Sr. No.	Action taken by	Details of violation	Details of action taken E.g. fines, warning letter, debarment, etc.	Observations/ remarks of the Practicing Company Secretary, if any.
	NIL			

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

Sr. No.	Observations of the Practicing Company Secretary in the previous reports	Observations made in the secretarial compliance report for the year ended	Actions taken by the listed entity, if any	Comments of the Practicing Company Secretary on the actions taken by the listed entity		
NA						

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(e) The listed entity has complied with the points 6(A) and 6(B) as mentioned in SEBI Circular No. CIR/CFD/CMD1/114/2019 dated 18th October, 2019 and that they have incorporated all the terms and conditions in the respective appointment letter/supplemental letter issued to the Statutory Auditors.

Date:26.05.2020 Place: Mumbai For BNP & Associate Company Secretaries Firm Registration. No:P2014MH037400 PR. No: 637/2019

B. Narasimhan Partner FCS No: 1303 / C P No: 10440 UDIN: F001303B000284718