

#### eClerx/SECD/SE/2024/057

May 16, 2024

**BSE Limited** 

Corporate Relationship Department, Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers, 25<sup>th</sup> Floor, Dalal Street, Fort, Mumbai - 400 001 **National Stock Exchange of India Limited** 

Exchange Plaza, Plot No. C/1, Block G, Bandra - Kurla Complex Bandra (East), Mumbai – 400 051

Dear Sir/Madam,

Sub: Outcome of Board Meeting held on Thursday, May 16, 2024

Scrip Code: <u>BSE - 532927</u>

NSE - ECLERX

This is to inform you that the Board of Directors of the Company at its meeting held on Thursday, May 16, 2024, which commenced at 4:30 p.m. and concluded at 9:00 p.m., *inter-alia*, unanimously:

1. Approved the Standalone and Consolidated Audited Financial Results of the Company for the quarter and financial year ended March 31, 2024.

The said financials as approved by the Board of Directors along with the Audit Reports and Declaration on Unmodified Opinion on Auditors' Report are **attached**.

2. Recommended Final Dividend of Re. 1/- per equity share of Rs. 10/- each for the financial year ended March 31, 2024, subject to the approval of the shareholders at the ensuing Annual General Meeting of the Company.

The Company shall inform the Stock Exchange(s) in due course about the date of AGM for financial year ended March 31, 2024, dates of book closure for purpose of entitlement of final dividend and date from which the final dividend will be paid, once approved by shareholders.

This is for your information and records.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully

For eClerx Services Limited

Pratik Bhanushali VP-Legal & Company Secretary F8538

Encl: as above





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Dear Sir/Madam,

Sub: <u>Declaration pursuant to Regulation 33(3)(d) of the Securities & Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015</u>

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In terms of the provisions of Regulation 33(3)(d) of the Securities & Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, and other applicable provisions, we hereby state that the Statutory Auditors of the Company M/s. S.R. Batliboi & Associates LLP (Registration No. 101049W/E300004) have issued an Audit Report with unmodified opinion on the Audited Financial Results of the Company (Standalone and Consolidated) for the quarter/financial year/period ended March 31, 2024.

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Thanking you,

Yours faithfully For eClerx Services Limited

Pratik Bhanushali
VP- Legal & Company Secretary
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Independent Auditor's Report on the Quarterly and Year to Date Audited Standalone Financial Results of the Company Pursuant to the Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended

To The Board of Directors of eClerx Services Limited

Report on the audit of the Standalone Financial Results

#### **Opinion**

We have audited the accompanying statement of quarterly and year to date standalone financial results of eClerx Services Limited (the "Company") for the quarter ended March 31, 2024 and for the year ended March 31, 2024 ("Statement"), attached herewith, being submitted by the Company pursuant to the requirement of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended (the "Listing Regulations").

In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the Statement:

- i. is presented in accordance with the requirements of the Listing Regulations in this regard; and
- ii. gives a true and fair view in conformity with the applicable accounting standards and other accounting principles generally accepted in India, of the net profit and other comprehensive income and other financial information of the Company for the quarter ended March 31, 2024 and for the year ended March 31, 2024.

#### **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with the Standards on Auditing (SAs) specified under section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013, as amended ("the Act"). Our responsibilities under those Standards are further described in the "Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Standalone Financial Results" section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the Code of Ethics issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements under the provisions of the Act and the Rules thereunder, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the Code of Ethics. We believe that the audit evidence obtained by us is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

#### Management's Responsibilities for the Standalone Financial Results

The Statement has been prepared on the basis of the standalone annual financial statements. The Board of Directors of the Company are responsible for the preparation and presentation of the Statement that gives a true and fair view of the net profit and other comprehensive income of the Company and other financial information in accordance with the applicable accounting standards prescribed under Section 133 of the Act read with relevant rules issued thereunder and other accounting principles generally accepted in India and in compliance with Regulation 33 of the Listing Regulations. This responsibility also includes maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of the Act for safeguarding of the assets of the Company and for preventing and detecting frauds and other irregularities; selection and application of appropriate accounting policies; making judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent; and the design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls, that were operating effectively for ensuring the accuracy and completeness



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of the accounting records, relevant to the preparation and presentation of the Statement that give a true and fair view and are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the Statement, the Board of Directors are responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the Board of Directors either intends to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

The Board of Directors are also responsible for overseeing the Company's financial reporting process.

#### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Standalone Financial Results

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the Statement as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with SAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of the Statement.

As part of an audit in accordance with SAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the Statement, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures
  that are appropriate in the circumstances. Under Section 143(3)(i) of the Act, we are also
  responsible for expressing our opinion on whether the Company has adequate internal financial
  controls with reference to financial statements in place and the operating effectiveness of such
  controls.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the Board of Directors.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the Board of Directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial results or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the Statement, including the disclosures, and whether the Statement represents the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other



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matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

#### Other Matter

The Statement includes the results for the quarter ended March 31, 2024 being the balancing figure between the audited figures in respect of the full financial year ended March 31, 2024 and the published unaudited year-to-date figures up to the third quarter of the current financial year, which were subjected to a limited review by us, as required under the Listing Regulations.

For S.R. BATLIBOI & ASSOCIATES LLP

Chartered Accountants

ICAI Firm Registration Number: 101049W/E300004

per Vineet Kedia

Partner

Membership No.: 212230

UDIN: 24212230BKCYVQ1125

Mumbai May 16, 2024

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# ECLERX SERVICES LIMITED CIN: L72200MH2000PLC125319

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#### STATEMENT OF STANDALONE AUDITED FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2024

(Rupees in million, except per share data)

			Quarter ended		Year ei	· · · · · · · ·	
Sr. No.	Particulars	March 31, 2024	December 31, 2023	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2024	March 31, 2023	
		Audited*	Unaudited	Audited*	Audited	Audited	
ı	Revenue from operations	5,605.98	5,302.19	5,005.70	20,948.30	18,881.61	
Ш	Other income	149.13	144.30	58.60	451.07	567.19	
III	Total Income (I + II)	5,755.11	5,446.49	5,064.30	21,399.37	19,448.80	
IV	Expenses						
	Employee benefits expense	2,407.64	2,190.00	2,017.06	8,851.52	7,976.89	
	Sales and marketing services (refer note 5)	1,158.14	1,007.78	874.91	3,993.17	3,344.87	
	Cost of technical sub-contractors	142.13	153.70	159.92	661.84	793.24	
	Depreciation and amortisation expense	182.56	166.26	167.53	639.15	587.31	
	Finance cost	45.57	46.77	44.37	187.13	162.40	
	Other expense (refer note 5)	539.74	595.16	398.71	2,267.93	1,544.11	
	Total expenses (IV)	4,475.78	4,159.67	3,662.50	16,600.74	14,408.82	
V	Profit before exceptional items and tax (III-IV)	1,279.33	1,286.82	1,401.80	4,798.63	5,039.98	
VI	Exceptional items	-	-	-	-	-	
VII	Profit before tax (V-VI)	1,279.33	1,286.82	1,401.80	4,798.63	5,039.98	
VIII	Tax expense	330.35	329.04	332.58	1,228.20	1,255.96	
	(1) Current tax	338.61	337.76	367.22	1,238.32	1,290.54	
	(2) Deferred tax	(8.26)	(8.72)	(34.64)	(10.12)	(34.58)	
IX	Profit for the period (VII-VIII)	948.98	957.78	1,069.22	3,570.43	3,784.02	
X	Other Comprehensive Income / (Loss) ('OCI')	23.54	35.11	192.60	143.01	(224.00)	
	A (i) Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss	(11.83)	(19.85)	(7.91)	(44.21)	(13.06)	
	(ii) Income tax relating to items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss	2.98	5.00	1.99	11.13	3.29	
	B (i) Items that will be reclassified to profit or loss (net)	43.28	66.76	265.29	235.31	(286.28)	
	(ii) Income tax relating to items that will be reclassified to profit or loss	(10.89)	(16.80)	(66.77)	(59.22)	72.05	
	Total Comprehensive Income for the period (IX+X)						
XI	(Comprising Profit and Other Comprehensive Income for	972.52	992.89	1,261.82	3,713.44	3,560.02	
	the period)						
XII	Paid up equity share capital						
	(Face value of Rs. 10 each, fully paid up)	482.32	482.31	480.34	482.32	480.34	
	Other equity				14,641.34	11,108.08	
XIV	Earnings per share: (in Rs.)						
	(1) Basic	19.68	19.87	21.82	74.11	76.45	
	(2) Diluted	19.30	19.50	21.50	72.86	75.21	

<sup>\*</sup> Refer note 3



#### Notes:

- 1 The statement of audited financial results for the quarter and year ended March 31, 2024 have been reviewed by the Audit Committee and approved by the Board of Directors at their respective meetings held on May 16, 2024. There are no qualifications in the audit report issued by the auditors.
- 2 These financial results have been prepared in accordance with the Indian Accounting Standards (Ind AS) prescribed under Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013, read with the relevant rules issued thereunder.
- 3 The figures for the three month period ended March 31, 2024 and March 31, 2023 are the balancing figures between audited figures in respect of the full financial year ended March 31, 2024 and March 31, 2023 respectively and unaudited published year- to-date figures up to December 31, 2023 and December 31, 2022 respectively, being the end of the third quarter of the respective financial years, which were subject to limited review.
- 4 The Company operates under a single reportable segment which is data management, analytics solutions and process outsourcing services. Further, the risks and rewards under various geographies where the Company operates are similar in nature.
- 5 The Company has reclassified expense amounting to Rs. 95.80 million pertaining to quarter ended December 31, 2023, from sales and marketing services to other expense to conform to expense of current quarter/year.
- The Board of Directors at its meeting held on May 16, 2024, approved the buyback of equity shares through tender offer route for an amount not exceeding Rs.3,850 million (Buy Back Size) excluding transaction costs at a price of Rs.2,800 per share (Buy Back Price), subject to approval of shareholders.
- 7 The Board of Directors have recommended a dividend of Re. 1 per Equity Share of Rs. 10 each for the financial year 2023-24.



#### 8 Statement of assets and liabilities

Employee benefit obligations

**TOTAL - EQUITY AND LIABILITIES** 

Current tax liabilities (net)

(Rupees in million) As at As at March 31, March 31, **Particulars** 2024 2023 Audited Audited A. ASSETS 1. Non current assets 817.99 574.96 Property, plant and equipment Right of use assets 1,721.51 977.64 202.56 Capital work-in-progress 5.80 Intangible assets 14.25 20.42 Financial assets 4,588.61 Investments 4,468.56 Derivative instruments 15.13 4.58 Other financial assets 211.41 217.05 337.76 Deferred tax assets (net) 375.73 Other non-current assets 73.45 55.11 Non-current tax assets (net) 202.30 200.38 7,988.21 7,096.99 2. Current assets Financial assets Investments 3,403.97 2,289.41 Trade receivables 3,369.50 3,228.41 Cash and cash equivalents 686.10 1,355.87 Other bank balance 2,388.23 87.71 Other financial assets 2,019.69 1,716.30 Derivative instruments 96.76 193.10 Other current assets 646.96 12,611.21 8,870.80 **TOTAL - ASSETS** 20,599.42 15,967.79 **B. EQUITY AND LIABILITIES** 1. Equity Equity share capital 482.32 480.34 Other equity 14,641.34 11,108.08 15,123.66 11,588.42 2. Non current liabilities Financial liabilities Lease liabilities 1,765.66 994.03 Employee benefit obligations 465.41 337.80 2,231.07 1,331.83 3. Current Liabilities Financial liabilities Lease liabilities 226.06 252.51 Derivative instruments 128.00 Trade payables Total outstanding dues of Micro enterprises and small enterprises 0.13 Total outstanding dues of creditors other than Micro enterprises and small enterprises 1,192.33 938.96 Other financial liabilities 449.68 334.44 Other current liabilities 517.35 572.07



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9 Statement of Cash flow (Rupees in million)

Statement of Cash flow	Year er	upees in million) <b>ded</b>
Particular <del>s</del>	March 31, 2024	March 31, 2023
	Audited	Audited
Operating activities	1/	
Profit before tax	4,798.63	5,039.98
Adjustments to reconcile profit before tax to net cash flows:	2004-	-0-04
Depreciation and amortisation expense	639.15	587.31
Share-based payment expense	81.43	12.46
Net foreign exchange differences	(25.96)	(118.52
Gain on sale of assets	(8.35)	(0.4.00
Interest income on corporate rent deposits	(20.12)	(24.60
Amortised cost on corporate rent deposits	20.63	19.30
Profit on sale of current investments	(106.63)	(106.07
Dividend income	(405.00)	(0.02
Interest income	(120.23)	(50.68
Bad debts written off	0.72	0.12
Provision/ (reversal of provision) for doubtful debts	2.06	4.77
Finance cost	187.13	162.40
Fair value (gain) / loss on financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss	(46.55)	(32.85
Gain on lease modifications	(12.12)	(54.60
Other adjustments	(44.21)	(13.07
	5,345.58	5,425.93
Working capital adjustments:		
Increase in trade receivables	(130.25)	(876.64
Decrease/(Increase) in other current and non current financial assets	(292.69)	278.65
(Increase)/Decrease in other current and non current assets	(487.92)	(298.87
Increase in employee benefit obligations	158.74	25.87
Increase in trade payables, other current and non current liabilities and provisions	313.59	335.68
Cash generated by operating activities	4,907.05	4,890.62
Income tax paid (Net of refunds)	(1,238.95)	(1,342.81
Net cash flows generated from operating activities (A)	3,668.10	3,547.81
Investing activities		
Proceeds from sale of current investments	15,140.84	15,405.82
Purchase of current investments	(16,101.07)	(15,618.02
Purchase of non-current investments	(13.00)	(20.00
Redemption of preference shares of subsidiary	,	516.77
Investment in bank deposits (having original maturity of more than three months)	(2,828.25)	(1,078.83
Redemption / maturity of bank deposits (having original maturity of more than three months)	519.35	1,707.72
Unclaimed dividend paid	(0.01)	(0.18
Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment	10.23	1.87
Purchase of property, plant, equipment and intangibles (including capital work in progress)	(407.72)	(554.15
Dividend received	(101.112/	0.02
Interest received	123.03	58.21
Net cash flows generated from investing activities (B)	(3,556.60)	419.23
Financing activities	4200 - 20a0 - 1044	W1254-24C44-0000
Money received from exercise of ESOP options	150.22	218.62
Purchase of treasury shares by eClerx Employees Welfare Trust	(458.65)	(383.42
Buyback of equity shares*	-	(2,957.60
Buyback expenses	(5.74)	(29.84
Tax on buyback of equity shares*		(621.11
Payment of dividend	(48.22)	(33.11
Interest paid	(187.13)	(162.40
Principal payment - Lease	(244.28)	(218.57
Net cash flows used in financing activities (C)	(793.80)	(4,187.43
Effect of exchange fluctuation on cash and cash equivalents (D)	12.53	124.29
Net Increase In cash and cash equivalents (A+B+C+D)	(669.77)	(96.10
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year	1,355.87	1,451.97
Cash and cash equivalents	686.10	1,355.87

<sup>\*</sup>Net after elimination of amount pertaining to buyback of shares held by eClerx Employee Welfare Trust

#### For and on behalf of Board of Directors

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Independent Auditor's Report on the Quarterly and Year to Date Consolidated Financial Results of the Company Pursuant to the Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended

To Board of Directors of eClerx Services Limited

Report on the audit of the Consolidated Financial Results

#### Opinion

We have audited the accompanying statement of quarterly and year to date consolidated financial results of eClerx Services Limited ("Holding Company") and its subsidiaries (the Holding Company and its subsidiaries together referred to as "the Group"), for the quarter ended March 31, 2024 and for the year ended March 31, 2024 ("Statement"), attached herewith, being submitted by the Holding Company pursuant to the requirement of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended ("Listing Regulations")

In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us and based on the consideration of the reports of the other auditors on separate audited financial statements and financial information of the subsidiaries, the Statement:

- i. includes the results of the entities mentioned in the Annexure to this report;
- ii. are presented in accordance with the requirements of the Listing Regulations in this regard; and
- iii. gives a true and fair view in conformity with the applicable accounting standards, and other accounting principles generally accepted in India, of the consolidated net profit and other comprehensive income and other financial information of the Group for the quarter ended March 31, 2024 and for the year ended March 31, 2024.

#### **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with the Standards on Auditing (SAs), as specified under Section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013, as amended ("the Act"). Our responsibilities under those Standards are further described in the "Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Results" section of our report. We are independent of the Group, in accordance with the 'Code of Ethics' issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements under the provisions of the Act and the Rules thereunder, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the Code of Ethics. We believe that the audit evidence obtained by us and other auditors in terms of their reports referred to in "Other Matter" paragraph below, is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

#### Management's Responsibilities for the Consolidated Financial Results

The Statement has been prepared on the basis of the consolidated annual financial statements. The Holding Company's Board of Directors are responsible for the preparation and presentation of the Statement that give a true and fair view of the net profit and other comprehensive income and other financial information of the Group in accordance with the applicable accounting standards prescribed under section 133 of the Act read with relevant rules issued thereunder and other accounting principles generally accepted in India and in compliance with Regulation 33 of the Listing Regulations. The respective Board of Directors of the companies included in the Group are responsible for maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of the Act for safeguarding of the



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assets of the Group and for preventing and detecting frauds and other irregularities; selection and application of appropriate accounting policies; making judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent; and the design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls, that were operating effectively for ensuring the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, relevant to the preparation and presentation of the Statement that give a true and fair view and are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, which have been used for the purpose of preparation of the Statement by the Directors of the Holding Company, as aforesaid.

In preparing the Statement, the respective Board of Directors of the companies included in the Group are responsible for assessing the ability of their respective companies to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless respective Board of Directors either intends to liquidate the Group or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

The respective Board of Directors of the companies included in the Group are also responsible for overseeing the financial reporting process of their respective companies.

#### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Results

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the Statement as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with SAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of the Statement.

As part of an audit in accordance with SAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the Statement, whether due to fraud or
  error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence
  that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a
  material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud
  may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of
  internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit
  procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances. Under Section 143(3)(i) of the Act,
  we are also responsible for expressing our opinion on whether the Company has adequate
  internal financial controls with reference to financial statements in place and the operating
  effectiveness of such controls.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the Board of Directors.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the Board of Directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the ability of the Group to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the Statement or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Group to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the Statement, including the disclosures, and whether the Statement represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.



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whose financial information we have audited, to express an opinion on the Statement. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the audit of the financial information of such entities included in the Statement of which we are the independent auditors. For the other entities included in the Statement, which have been audited by other auditors, such other auditors remain responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the audits carried out by them. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

We communicate with those charged with governance of the Holding Company and such other entities included in the Statement of which we are the independent auditors regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit. We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

We also performed procedures in accordance with the Circular No. CIR/CFD/CMD1/44/2019 dated March 29, 2019 issued by the Securities Exchange Board of India under Regulation 33 (8) of the Listing Regulations, to the extent applicable.

#### Other Matter

The accompanying Statement includes the audited financial statements and other financial information, in respect of four subsidiaries, whose financial statements include total assets of Rs 3,704.61 million as at March 31, 2024, total revenues of Rs 629.90 million and Rs 2,504.58 million, total net profit after tax of Rs. 35.95 million and Rs. 220.84 million, total comprehensive income of Rs. 20.79 million and Rs. 223.80 million, for the quarter and the year ended on that date respectively, and net cash inflows of Rs. 148.26 million for the year ended March 31, 2024, as considered in the Statement which have been audited by their respective independent auditors. The independent auditor's report on the financial statements and other financial information of these entities have been furnished to us and our opinion on the Statement in so far as it relates to the amounts and disclosures included in respect of these subsidiaries, is based solely on the reports of such auditors and the procedures performed by us as stated in paragraph above. Our opinion on the Statement is not modified in respect of the above matters with respect to our reliance on the work done and the reports of the other auditors.

The Statement includes the results for the quarter ended March 31, 2024 being the balancing figures between the audited figures in respect of the full financial year ended March 31, 2024 and the published unaudited year-to-date figures up to the end of the third quarter of the current financial year, which were subjected to a limited review by us, as required under the Listing Regulations.

For S.R. Batliboi & Associates LLP

Chartered Accountants

ICAL Firm Registration Number: 101049W/E300004

per Vineet Kedia

Partner

Membership No.: 212230

UDIN: 24212230BKCYVR8291

Mumbai May 16, 2024

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Annexure to the Independent Auditor's Report on the Quarterly and Year to Date Consolidated Financial Results of the Company Pursuant to the Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended

Sr. No.	Name of subsidiaries
1	eClerx LLC
2	eClerx Limited
3	eClerx Private Limited
4	eClerx Investments (UK) Limited
5	eClerx Canada Limited
6	CLX Europe S.P.A
7	CLX Europe Media Solution GmbH
8	CLX Europe Media Solution Limited
9	CLX Thai Company Limited
10	eClerx Employee Welfare Trust
11	eClerx B.V.
12	Eclipse Global Holdings LLC
13	eClerx Pty Ltd
14	ASEC Group, LLC
15	Personiv Contact Centers LLC
16	Personiv Contact Centers India Private Limited
17	AG Resources (India) Private Limited
18	AGR Operations Manila Inc
19	eClerx ME Information Technology Consultant LLC
20	eClerx Switzerland SA



### ECLERX SERVICES LIMITED CIN: L72200MH2000PLC125319

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#### STATEMENT OF CONSOLIDATED AUDITED FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2024

(Rupees in million, except per share data)

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1_		Quarter ended Year ended				
Sr.	Particulars Particulars	March 31,	December 31,	March 31,	March 31,	March 31,
No.		2024	2023	2023	2024	2023
		Audited*	Unaudited	Audited*	Audited	Audited
1 !	Revenue from operations	7,665.29	7,527.59	6,931.01	29,255.43	26,478.97
Ш	Other income	230.45	207.89	50.85	656.35	659.51
III	Total Income (I + II)	7,895.74	7,735.48	6,981.86	29,911.78	27,138.48
IV	Expenses					
	Employee benefits expense	4,536.95	4,405.64	3,836.90	17,383.93	15,095.25
	Cost of technical sub-contractors	190.83	156.03	277.52	658.09	1,106.35
	Depreciation and amortisation expense	335.34	335.25	318.57	1,257.72	1,140.14
	Finance cost	55.83	58.57	56.52	234.84	211.62
	Other expense	982.15	893.73	747.40	3,465.49	3,055.22
	Total expenses (IV)	6,101.10	5,849.22	5,236.91	23,000.07	20,608.58
	Profit before exceptional items and tax (III-IV)	1,794.64	1,886.26	1,744.95	6,911.71	6,529.90
VI	Exceptional items (refer note 5)	-	(18.35)	-	(18.35)	-
VII	Profit before tax	1,794.64	1,867.91	1,744.95	6,893.36	6,529.90
VIII	Tax expense	495.72	477.27	421.41	1,776.05	1,638.09
	(1) Current tax	484.36	523.41	447.49	1,801.06	1,741.24
	(2) Deferred tax	11.36	(46.14)	(26.08)	(25.01)	(103.15)
IX	Profit for the period (VII-VIII)	1,298.92	1,390.64	1,323.54	5,117.31	4,891.81
	Attributable to:					
	Shareholders of the Company	1,305.28	1,386.31	1,325.46	5,114.56	4,888.20
	Non controlling interest	(6.36)	4.33	(1.92)	2.75	3.61
Х	Profit for the period (IX)	1,298.92	1,390.64	1,323.54	5,117.31	4,891.81
XI	Other Comprehensive Income / (Loss) ('OCI')	(70.93)	212.63	204.11	209.34	255.54
	A (i) Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss	(30.21)	(24.01)	(13.40)	(66.76)	(18.67)
	(ii) Income tax relating to items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss	3.98	6.05	3.33	13.18	4.63
	B (i) Items that will be reclassified to profit or loss (net)	(33.81)	247.39	280.95	322.14	197.53
	(ii) Income tax relating to items that will be reclassified to profit or loss	(10.89)	(16.80)	(66.77)	(59.22)	72.05
	Total Comprehensive Income for the period (X+XI)	(10.09)	(10.00)	(00.77)	(55.22)	72.03
XII	(Comprising Profit and Other Comprehensive Income for the period)	1,227.99	1,603.27	1,527.65	5,326.65	5,147.35
	Attributable to:					
	Shareholders of the Company	1,234.35	1,598.94	1,529.57	5,323.90	5,143.74
	Non controlling interest	(6,36)	4.33	(1.92)	5,323.90 2.75	3,143.74
-	Paid up equity share capital	(0.36)	4.33	(1.92)	2.13	3.01
XIII	(Face value of Rs. 10 each, fully paid up)	482.32	482.31	480.34	482.32	480.34
XIV	Other equity	702.32	702.01	700.04	22,050,79	16,685,20
	Earnings per share: (in Rs.)				22,000.70	10,000.20
^\	(1) Basic	27.07	28.76	27.05	106.15	98.76
	(2) Diluted	26.55	28.22	26.66	104.38	97.15
$\Box$	I(z) Diluted	∠0.55	20.22	20.00	104.38	97.15

\*Refer note 3



#### Notes:

- 1 The statement of audited financial results for the quarter and year ended March 31, 2024 have been reviewed by the Audit Committee and approved by the Board of Directors at their respective meetings held on May 16, 2024. There are no qualifications in the audit report issued by the auditors.
- 2 These consolidated financial results have been prepared in accordance with the Indian Accounting Standards prescribed under Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with the relevant rules issued thereunder.
- 3 The figures for the three month period ended March 31, 2024 and March 31, 2023 are the balancing figures between audited figures in respect of the full financial year ended March 31, 2024 and March 31, 2023 respectively and unaudited published year- to-date figures up to December 31, 2023 and December 31, 2022 respectively, being the end of the third quarter of the respective financial years, which were subject to limited review.
- 4 The Group operates under a single reportable segment which is data management, analytics solutions and process outsourcing services. Further, the risks and rewards under various geographies where the Group operates are similar in nature.
- 5 During the year, the Company's subsidiary Personiv Contact Centers Private Limited, entered into an agreement with one of its clients to transfer its personnel to the client's subsidiary. Consequently, it has received one-time fee of Rs.206.65 million from the customer. Further, the Company has evaluated, its related intangible asset in form of customer relationships and recorded impairment charge of Rs.225.00 million. Both these items are shown as exceptional items (net).
- The Board of Directors at its meeting held on May 16, 2024, approved the buyback of equity shares through tender offer route for an amount not exceeding Rs.3,850 million (Buy Back Size) excluding transaction costs at a price of Rs.2,800 per share (Buy Back Price), subject to approval of shareholders.
- 7 The Board of Directors have recommended a final dividend of Re. 1 per Equity Share of Rs. 10 each for the financial year 2023-24.
- 8 Figures for the previous year have been regrouped wherever necessary to conform to those of the current year.



#### 9 Statement of assets and liabilities

(Rupees in million) As at As at **Particulars** March 31, March 31, 2024 2023 Audited Audited A. ASSETS 1. Non current assets Property, plant and equipment 1,273.54 1,060.49 Right of use assets 2,347.16 1,529.60 208.15 Capital work in progress 7.68 Goodwill on consolidation 3,993.44 3,959.83 Other intangible assets 1,175.15 815.31 Financial assets 140.76 123.27 Investments Derivative instruments 15.13 4.58 287.27 300.50 Other financial assets 541.37 Deferred tax assets (net) 591.29 Other non - current assets 73.45 55.11 Non-current tax assets (net) 233.94 218.50 9,792.20 9,163.32 2. Current assets Inventories 6.45 4.54 Financial assets 2,621.79 Investments 3.924.22 Trade receivables 4,959.99 4,404.87 3,539.54 Cash and cash equivalents 4,180.07 Other bank balances 3,381.39 99.22 Other financial assets 2,669.17 1,974.36 96.76 Derivative instruments Other current assets 911.37 410.34 Current tax assets (net) 8.56 18.93 19,497.45 13,714.12 **TOTAL - ASSETS** 29,289.65 22,877.44 **B. EQUITY AND LIABILITIES** 1. Equity **Equity Share capital** 480.34 482.32 Other Equity 21,992.69 16,668.37 Total Equity attributable to shareholders of the Company 22,475.01 17,148.71 Non-controlling interests 19.69 16.83 22,494.70 **Total Equity** 17,165.54 2. Non current liabilities Financial liabilities Lease liabilities 2,248.31 1,501.92 Borrowings 6.77 Other financial liabilities 0.50 Employee benefit obligations 678.20 548.55 Other non - current liabilities 2.56 13.85 Deferred tax liabilities (net) 95.83 138.40 3,025.40 2,209.49 3. Current liabilities Financial liabilities Lease liabilities 409.09 423.81 128.00 Derivative instruments Borrowings 3.08 Trade payables Total outstanding dues of Micro enterprises and small enterprises 0.13 180.34 Total outstanding dues of creditors other than Micro enterprises and small enterprises 191.61 Other financial liabilities 750.13 607.23 Other current liabilities 665.86 694.17 Employee benefit obligations 1,628.39 1,367.11 Current tax liabilities (net) 98.54 124.47 3,769.55 3,502.41 **TOTAL - EQUITY AND LIABILITIES** 29,289.65 22,877.44



10 Statement of Cash flow (Rupees in Million)

Statement of Cash flow	Year e	nded
	March 31, 2024	March 31, 2023
	Audited	Audited
Operating activities		
Profit before tax	6,893.36	6,529.90
Adjustments to reconcile profit before tax to net cash flows:		
Depreciation and amortisation expense	1,482.72	1,140.14
Share-based payment expense	188.44	74.40
Net foreign exchange differences	(13.91)	(95.79)
Gain on sale of assets	(11.73)	(4.25)
Interest income on corporate rent deposits	(25.08)	(28.26)
Amortised cost on corporate rent deposits	20.63	19.30
Profit on sale of current investments	(116.15)	(106.84)
Dividend income	-	(0.02)
Interest income	(204.34)	(59.49)
Bad debts written off	7.43	(0.96)
Provision for doubtful debts	2.73	6.72
Finance cost	234.84	211.62
Gain on lease modification	(83.49)	(54.60)
Fair value loss/ (gain) on financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss	(50.89)	(36.71)
Other adjustments	(61.03)	(14.80)
	8,263.53	7,580.36
Working capital adjustments:		
Increase in trade receivables	(551.66)	(1,124.01)
Decrease/(Increase) in inventories	(1.91)	0.69
Increase in other current and non current financial assets	(698.02)	(251.22)
Decrease in other current and non current assets	(535.08)	220.12
Increase in employee benefit obligations	390.93	83.90
Increase in trade payables, other current and non current liabilities and provisions	114.26	197.93
Cash generated by operating activities	6,982.05	6,707.77
Payment of domestic and foreign taxes (net of refunds)	(1,723.13)	(1,782.03)
Net cash flows generated from operating activities (A)	5,258.92	4,925.74
Investing activities		
Proceeds from sale of current investments	15,464.68	15,477.19
Purchase of current investments	(16,528.93)	(16,017.13)
Purchase of non-current investments	(88.62)	(102.77)
Investment in bank deposits (having original maturity of more than three months)	(4,491.60)	(1,078.83)
Redemption / maturity of bank deposits (having original maturity of more than three months)	1,202.26	1,713.75
Unclaimed dividend paid	(0.01)	(0.18)
Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment	31.41	7.02
Purchase of property, plant, equipment and intangibles (including capital work in progress)	(673.91)	(907.59)
Dividend received	205.02	0.02
Interest received  Net cash flows (used in)/ generated from investing activities (B)	205.93 (4,878.79)	64.57 ( <b>843.95</b> )
Net cash hows (used in) generated from investing activities (b)	(4,070.79)	(643.93)
Financing activities		
Money received from exercise of options	150.22	218.62
Purchase of treasury shares by eClerx Employee Welfare Trust	(458.65)	(383.42)
Buyback of equity shares* Buyback expenses	(5.74)	(2,957.60) (29.84)
Tax on buyback of equity shares*	(5.74)	(29.84) (621.11)
Payment of dividend	(48.22)	(33.11)
Bank loan repaid	(9.85)	8.19
Interest paid	(234.84)	(211.37)
Principal payment - Lease	(457.98)	(391.04)
Net cash flows used in financing activities (C)  Effect of exchange fluctuation on cash and cash equivalents (D)	(1,065.06) 44.40	(4,400.68) 295.94
Net (decrease) / increase in cash and cash equivalents (A+B+C+D)		
inter (decrease) / intercase in cash and cash equivalents (A-D-O-D)	(640.53)	(22.95)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year	<b>(640.53)</b> 4,180.07	<b>(22.95)</b> 4,203.02

<sup>\*</sup>Net after elimination of amount pertaining to buyback of shares held by eClerx Employee Welfare Trust



9 The standalone financial results of the Company would be available for perusal on the Company's website viz www.eclerx.com. Key standalone financial information is given below.

(Rupees in million)

	Quarter ended			Year ended	
Particulars	March 31, 2024	December 31, 2023	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2024	March 31, 2023
	Audited*	Unaudited	Audited*	Audited	Audited
Revenue from operations	5,605.98	5,302.19	5,005.70	20,948.30	18,881.61
Profit before tax	1,279.33	1,286.82	1,401.80	4,798.63	5,039.98
Profit after tax	948.98	957.78	1,069.22	3,570.43	3,784.02

\*Refer note 3

For and on behalf of Board of Directors

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Kapil Jain Managing Director & Group CEO

Place: Mumbai Date: May 16, 2024