

### HFCL Limited

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Security Code No.: 500183	Security Code No.: HFCL		

RE: Regulation 32(1) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("SEBI Listing Regulations").

Subject: Statement of deviation(s) or variation(s), if any, of utilization of proceeds from Qualified Institutions Placement (QIP).

Dear Sir(s) / Madam,

We would like to inform that the Company has raised funds by way of allotment of 8,72,72,727 (Eight Crores Seventy Two Lakhs Seventy Two Thousand Seven Hundred and Twenty Seven) equity shares of face value of Re.1/each, to 21 (twenty one) qualified institutional buyers ("QIBs"), at a price of Rs.68.75/- per Equity Share (including premium of Rs. 67.75/- per Equity Share), pursuant to the resolution passed by the Board of Directors dated September 03, 2021, special resolution passed by the Shareholders at their 34th Annual General Meeting (AGM) held on 30th September, 2021, the preliminary placement document dated December 06, 2021, the placement document dated December 09, 2021 and resolution of the Fund Raising Committee of the Board of Directors dated 10th December, 2021 (the "Issue").

We would further like to inform that the Audit Committee, at its meeting held on July 22, 2022, has reviewed the actual utilization of funds received for an amount aggregating Rs.600 crores (approx.), pursuant to the Issue.

### In this connection, we submit that there is no deviation or variation from the objects of the Issue, in the utilization of proceeds, as stated in the placement document or explanatory statement to the aforesaid AGM Notice, during the quarter ended June 30, 2022.

In terms of Regulations 32(1), 32(2) and 32(3) of the SEBI Listing Regulations, a statement of deviation or variation, if any, in utilisation of funds raised through Qualified Institutions Placement (QIP), for the quarter ended June 30, 2022, duly reviewed by the Audit Committee and the Statutory Auditors, in the prescribed format is also enclosed herewith.

You are requested to take the above information on records and disseminate the same on your respective websites.

Thanking you.

Yours faithfully, For HFCL Limited

\* (Manoj Baid) Senior Vice-President (Corporate) & **Company Secretary** 

Encl.: Statement of deviation or variation in utilization of funds.

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### **UTILIZATION OF PROCEEDS RECEIVED THROUGH QUALIFIED INSTITUTIONAL PLACEMENT**

Statem	ent of Deviation	/ Variation in util	lization of funds r	aised		
Name of listed entity	HFCL Limited					
Mode of Fund Raising	Qualified Institutions Placement (QIP)					
Date of Raising Funds	December 10, 2021					
Amount Raised	Rs.600 Crore (approx.)					
Report filed for Quarter and Year ended	June 30, 2022					
Monitoring Agency	Not Applicable					
Monitoring Agency Name, if applicable	Not Applicable					
Is there a Deviation / Variation in use of funds raised	No					
If yes, whether the same is pursuant to change in terms of	Not Applicable					
a contract or objects, which was approved by the						
shareholders						
If Yes, Date of shareholder Approval	Not Applicable					
Explanation for the Deviation / Variation	Not Applicable					
Comments of the Audit Committee after review	No Comments					
Comments of the auditors, if any	No Comments					
Objects for which funds have been raised and where the	re has been a devia	ation, in the follow	ing table			
Original Object	Modified Object,	Original	Modified	Funds Utilized	Amount of	Remarks if any
	if any	Allocation	allocation, if any		Deviation/	
					Variation for the	
					quarter	
			0		according	
					to applicable	
		D 500 (5		-	object	
(a) Capital expenditure for capacity expansion of optic	N.A.	Rs. 589.47 crore	N.A.	Rs. 484.44 crore		The total amount
fibre and optic fibre cables ("OFC Expansion"). (b) Funding capital expenditure requirements for defence		(net of Issue				utilized till June
facilities; repayment of long term and short-term		expenses)*				30, 2022 is Rs. 484.44 crore
borrowings availed from banks and others, funding						and balance
expenditure towards upgradation of R&D initiatives						unutilized
(including inorganic growth initiatives); funding long-						amount is
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term working capital requirements and general	20 N	Rs. 105.03 crore
corporate purposes.		which has been
		placed as
		deposits with
		scheduled banks.
Total	589.47	
*The actual issue proceeds comes to Rs. 600.00 crore; out of which	Rs. 10.53 crore was incurred towards issue expen	ses. Accordingly, the net issue proceeds allocated
towards various Objects is Rs. 589.47 crore.		
Deviation or variation could mean:		
(a) Deviation in the objects or purposes for which the funds have been	en raised or	
(b) Deviation in the amount of funds actually utilized as against wha	t was originally disclosed or	
(c) Change in terms of a contract referred to in the fund raising docu	ment i.e. prospectus, letter of offer, etc.	
(Manoj Baid) Senior Vice-President (Corporate) & Company Secretary		