

May 18, 2023

Ref.: SSFB/CS/17/2023-24

To,

National Stock Exchange of India Limited

The Listing Department
Exchange Plaza,
C-1, Block G,
Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra (E)
Mumbai – 400051

Symbol: SURYODAY

BSE Limited

The Corporate Relationship Department Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers, Dalal Street, Fort, Mumbai — 400 001

Scrip Code: 543279

Dear Sir/Madam,

Sub: Submission of Annual Secretarial Compliance Report pursuant to Regulation 24A of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 for the financial Year 2022-23

Pursuant to the Regulation 24A of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 as amended read with SEBI Circular Ref. No. CIR/CFD/CMD1/27/2019 dated February 8, 2019, NSE Circular Ref. No: NSE/CML/ 2023/21 dated March 16, 2023, BSE Notice No. 20230316-14 dated March 16, 2023, NSE Circular Ref. No. NSE/CML/ 2023/30 dated April 10, 2023, BSE Notice No. 20230410-41 dated April 10, 2023 and any further modifications thereto or other applicable circulars, if any, in this regard, we are submitting herewith the Annual Secretarial Compliance Report of Suryoday Small Finance Bank Limited ("the Bank") issued by Mr. Tushar Shridharani, Practicing Company Secretary, Mumbai (FCS: 2690 and CP No.: 2190), for the financial year ended March 31, 2023.

The above is submitted for your kind information and appropriate dissemination.

Thanking You.

Yours truly,

For Suryoday Small Finance Bank Limited

Krishna Kant Chaturvedi Company Secretary & Compliance Officer

Encl: As above

TUSHAR SHRIDHARANI

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To,
The Board of Directors
Suryoday Small Finance Bank Limited
Unit No. 1101, Sharda Terraces, Plot No. 65
Sector 11, CBD Belapur
Navi Mumbai – 400 614

Dear Sir(s),

<u>Subject:</u> Annual Secretarial Compliance Report for the Financial Year 2022-23.

I have been engaged by Suryoday Small Finance Bank Limited ("**the Bank**"), whose equity shares are listed on National Stock Exchange of India Limited and BSE Limited, to conduct an audit in terms of Regulation 24A of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 as amended read with SEBI's Circular No. CIR/CFD/CMD1/27/2019 dated 8th February, 2019 / NSE Circular Ref No: NSE/CML/ 2023/21 dated 16th March, 2023, BSE Notice No. 20230316-14 dated 16th March, 2023, BSE Notice No. 20230410-41 and NSE Circular Ref No. NSE/CML/ 2023/30 dated 10th April, 2023, and any further modifications thereto or other applicable circulars, if any in this regard, to issue the Annual Secretarial Compliance Report thereon for the year ended 31st March, 2023.

It is the responsibility of the management of the Bank to maintain records, devise proper system to ensure compliance with provisions of all applicable SEBI Regulations and circulars / guidelines issued there under from time to time and to ensure that the systems are adequate and are operating effectively.

My responsibility is to verify compliances by the Bank with provisions of all applicable SEBI regulations and circulars / guidelines issued there under from time to time and issue a report thereon.

This audit was conducted in accordance with Guidance Note on Annual Secretarial Compliance Report issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India and in a manner which involved such examinations and verifications as considered necessary and adequate for the said purpose.

Annual Secretarial Compliance Report is enclosed.

(Tushar Shridharani)

Practicing Company Secretary FCS: 2690 / COP: 2190 Peer review certificate number – 1509/2021 UDIN - F002690E000304178

Place: Mumbai Date: 15th May, 2023 Secretarial Compliance Report of Suryoday Small Finance Bank Limited for the year ended 31st March, 2023

I, Tushar Shridharani, have examined:

- (a) all the documents and records made available to us and explanation provided by Suryoday Small Finance Bank 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 financial year ended 31st March, 2023 ("Review Period") in respect of compliance with the 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, to the extent applicable, 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;
- (c) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011;
- (d) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Buy-back of Securities) Regulations, 2018;
- (e) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Share Based Employee Benefits & Sweat Equity) Regulations, 2021;
- (f) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Non-Convertible Securities) Regulations, 2021;
- (g) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015;
- (h) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Delisting of Equity Shares) Regulations, 2021;
- (i) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Investor Protection and Education Fund) Regulations, 2009; and
- (j) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Depositories and Participant) Regulations, 2018;
- and circulars/guidelines issued thereunder.

Further to above, I hereby report that, during the Review Period; the compliance status of the listed entity is appended below:

Sr. No.	Particulars	(Compliance st	atus	Observations / Remarks of the		
		Yes	No	N.A.	Practicing Company Secretary		
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).	√	-	-	-		
2.	 Adoption and timely updation of the Policies: All applicable policies under SEBI Regulations are adopted with the approval of board of directors of the listed entities. All the policies are in conformity with SEBI Regulations and has been reviewed and timely updated as per the regulations/circulars/guidelines issued by SEBI. 	√	-	-	-		
3.	 Maintenance and disclosures on website: The Listed entity is maintaining a functional website. Timely dissemination of the documents/information under a separate section on the website. 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. 	√	-	-	-		
4.	Disqualification of Director: None of the Directors of the Company is disqualified under section 164 of Companies Act, 2013.	√	-	-	-		

Sr. No.	Particulars	(Compliance st	atus	Observations / Remarks of the		
		Yes	No	N.A.	Practicing Company Secretary		
5.	To examine details related to Subsidiaries of listed entities: (a) Identification of material subsidiary companies. (b) Requirements with respect to disclosure of material as well as other subsidiaries.	-	-	~	-		
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.						
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 as prescribed in SEBI Regulations.	√	-	-			
8.	Related Party Transactions: (a) The listed entity has obtained prior approval of Audit Committee for all Related party transactions. (b) In case no prior approval obtained, the listed entity shall provide detailed reasons along with confirmation whether the transactions were subsequently approved/ratified/rejected by the Audit committee.	√	-	-	-		

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.	√	-	-	
10.	Prohibition of Insider Trading: The listed entity is in compliance with Regulation 3(5) & 3(6) SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015.	√	1	-	
11.	Actions taken by SEBI or Stock Exchange(s), if any: No actions 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.	-	-	√	
12.	Additional Non-compliances, if any: Additional non-compliance observed for all SEBI regulation/circular/guidance note, etc.	-	-	√	

The listed entity has complied with the provisions of the above Regulations and circulars/guidelines issued thereunder except in respect of matters specified below.

Sr. No.	Compliance Requirement (Regulations / circulars / guidelines including specific clause)	Regulation / Circular number	Deviations	Actions taken by	Type of Action – Advisory / Clarification / Fine / Show Cause notice / Warning, etc.	Details of violation	Fine amount	Observations / Remarks of the Practicing Company Secretary	Management response	Remarks
1.	Intimation with respect to fraud in prescribed time frame.	Reserve Bank of India (Frauds classification and reporting by commercial banks and select FIs) Directions, 2016	Delay in reporting.	Reserve Bank of India	Fine	There was delay in reporting of frauds and failure to report certain fraud cases to the police authorities; as per the Reserve Bank of India (Frauds classification and reporting by commercial banks and select FIs) Directions, 2016	57,75,000	-	-	The penalty amount was paid to the regulator within the timeline by the Bank, which was timely disclosed to the Stock Exchanges.

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

Sr. No.	Compliance	Regulation /	Deviations	Actions	Type of Action	Details of	Fine	Observations /	Management	Remarks		
	Requirement	Circular		taken by	Advisory /	violation	amount	Remarks of the	response			
	(Regulations	number			Clarification /			Practicing				
	/ circulars /				Fine / Show			Company				
	guidelines				Cause notice /			Secretary				
	including				Warning, etc.							
	specific											
	clause)											
	Not Applicable											

(Tushar Shridharani)

Practicing Company Secretary FCS: 2690 / COP: 2190

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Place: Mumbai

Date: 15th May, 2023