

Date: 23rd December, 2021

To
Compliance Department
BSE Limited,
Jeejeebhoy Tower,
Dalal Street, Fort,
Mumbai – 400 001

CC:

Forbes & Company Ltd ("Company")
Forbes Building, Charanjit Rai Marg,
Fort Mumbai-400001
Kind Attn: Mr Pankaj Khattar, Company Secretary

Dear Sir / Madam

Sub: Disclosure under Regulation 31 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Shares & Takeover) Regulations, 2011.

We hereby inform you that Standard Chartered Bank and Standard Chartered Investments and Loans (India) Ltd has released pledge on 93,59,293 Equity shares of Forbes and Company Limited which are held by the Company on 20th December, 2021 which was encumbered and represent 72.56% of the subscribed equity share capital of Forbes and Company Limited (Target Company).

Particulars are given in the enclosed format.

Yours faithfully, For SHAPOORJI PALLONJI AND COMPANY PRIVATE LIMITED

F K BHATHENA DIRECTOR

DIN: 00010075

Shapoorji Pallonji And Company Private Limited

Corporate Office: SP Centre 41/44 Minoo Desai Marg, Colaba;

Mumbai 400 005. Maharashtra, India.

T: +91 22 6749 0000 F: +91 22 6633 8176 website: www.shapoorji.com

Regd Office: 70 Nagindas Master Road, Fort, Mumbai 400 001

CIN: U45200MH1943PTC003812

ANNEXURE I

Format for disclosure by the Promoter(s) to the stock exchanges and to the Target Company for encumbrance of shares / invocation of encumbrance/ release of encumbrance, in terms of Regulation 31(1) and 31(2) of SEBI (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011

Name of the Target Company(TC)

FORBES & COMPANY LIMITED

Names of the stock exchanges where the shares of the target company are listed

BSE LIMITED

Date of reporting

23rd December, 2021

Name of the promoter or PAC on whose shares encumbrance has been created/released/invoked

SHAPOORJI PALLONJI AND COMPANY PRIVATE LIMITED (SPCPL)

Details of the release of encumbrance:

| | | | | | | | | | | | | Dact avent | halding |
|---|----------------|---------|------------------|--------|-----------------|---|-----------------|-------------|---------|---------|------------------|-------------------|---------|
| Name of the | Promoter | | Promoter holding | lding | Details of ever | Details of events pertaining to encumbrance (3) | encumbrance (3) | | | | | of encumbered | ared |
| | holding in the | he | already | 9 | | | | | | | | shares {creation | ation |
| (s) or PACs | target company | any | encumbered (2) | (7) | | | | | | | | [(2)+(3)]/ | |
| with him* | Ξ | | V | | | | | | | | | release [(2)-(3)] |)-(3)] |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | / invocation | n |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | [(1)-(3)]] | |
| | 0 | 26 | | 0% of | 0/2 of Type of | Date of | Type of | Reasons for | Number | % of | % of Name of the | Number | % of |
| | total | total | | total | event | creation/ | encumbrance | encumbrance | | share | entity in | | total |
| | S | share | | share | (creation / | release/ | (pledge/ lien/ | * | | capital | whose favor | | snare |
| | 0 | capital | | capita | release / | invocation of | non-disposal | | | | shares | | capital |
| | | | | - | invocation) | encumbrance | undertaking/ | | | | encumbered *** | | |
| SHAPOORJI 93,59,293 72.56% 93,59,293 72.56% Release | 3,59,293 72 | 2.56% | 93,59,293 | 72.56% | Release | 20.12.2021 | NA | NA | ,69,585 | 30% | Standard | NIL \$ | NIL \$ |
| PALLONJI | | | | | | | | | (a) | | (IDBI | | |
| AND | | | | | | | | | | | Trusteeship | | |
| COMPANY | | | | | | | | | | | Services Limited | | |
| PRIVATE | | | | | | | | | | | representing the | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

FOR SHAPOORJI PALLONJI AND COMPANY PRIVATE LIMITED

Pledgee)

LIMITED

| | Not Amiliable |
|------------------|---|
| NA 54,89, | |
| | |
| 38,69,5 | 38,69,585 30% |
| @ 54,89,7 | (a) Standard Chartered Investme Loans (Ir (IDB) Trusteest Services represent Pledgee) |

Equity Shares. Further the same number of shares have been repledged with the existing pledgees for securing Additional Facilities on 27th November 2020. @ Shares of Forbes & Company Limited were encumbered with Standard Chartered Bank (Pledgee) and Standard Chartered Investments Loans (India) Limited (Pledgee) on 30th April 2020 representing 30% of total share capital i.e 38,69,585 Equity Shares, 1st June 2020 representing 22.53% of total share capital i.e 29,05,862 Equity Shares and 23rd June 2020 representing 20.03% of total share capital i.e 25,83,846

and Rs 14.61 crores from Standard Chartered Investments Loans (India) Limited (Pledgee) on 31st March 2021. # Same number of shares have been repledged with the existing pledgees for securing additional funded interest term loan facilities aggregating to Rs 459.66 crores from Standard Chartered Bank (Pledgee)

FOR SHAPOORJI PALLONJI AND COMPANY PRIVATE LIMITED

DIRECTOR / AUTHORISED SIGNATORY

\$ All the shares of Forbes & Company Limited i.e 38,69,585 Equity Shares representing 30% of Equity Shares and 54,89,708 Equity Shares representing 42.56% of Equity Shares held by Shapoorji Pallonji and Company Pvt Ltd has now been released fully by Standard Chartered Bank and Standard Chartered Investments Loans (India) Limited.

For Shapoorji Pallonji and Company Private Limited

Signature of the Authorized Signatory:

DIRECTOR F K BHATHENA

Place: MUMBAI DIN: 00010075

Date: 23rd December, 2021

reporting on the date of event or not. *The names of all the promoters, their shareholding in the target company and their pledged shareholding as on the reporting date should appear in the table irrespective of whether they are

***This would include name of both the lender and the trustee who may hold shares directly or on behalf of the lender. ** For example, for the purpose of collateral for loans taken by the company, personal borrowing, third party pledge, etc.