

Muthoot Finance Limited

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Symbol: MUTHOOTFIN

Department of Corporate Services **BSE Limited** P.J. Tower, Dalal Street

May 30, 2023

Mumbai - 400 001 Scrip Code: 533398

Dear Sir/Madam,

Sub: Secretarial Compliance Report for the year ended March 31, 2023

Pursuant to Regulation 24A of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended, we are submitting herewith the Secretarial Compliance Report of the Company for the financial year ended 31st March 2023 duly issued by M/s. KSR & Co. Company Secretaries LLP, Practicing Company Secretaries, Coimbatore.

Request you to kindly take on record the information.

Thanking You,

For Muthoot Finance Limited

Rajesh A Company Secretary



Secretarial Compliance Report of Muthoot Finance Limited for the year ended 31st March, 2023

We have conducted the review of the compliance of the applicable statutory provisions and the adherence to good corporate practices by **Muthoot Finance Limited (CIN: L65910KL1997PLC011300)** (hereinafter referred as 'the listed entity'), having its Registered Office at 2nd Floor, Muthoot Chambers, Opposite to Saritha Theatre Complex, Ernakulam – 682018. Secretarial Review was conducted in a manner that provided us a reasonable basis for evaluating the corporate conducts/statutory compliances and to provide our observations thereon.

Based on our verification of the listed entity's books, papers, minutes books, forms and returns filed and other records maintained by the listed entity and also the information provided by the listed entity, its officers, agents and authorized representatives during the conduct of Secretarial Review, we hereby report that the listed entity has, during the review period covering the financial year ended on 31st March, 2023 ("Review Period") complied with the statutory provisions listed hereunder in the manner and subject to the reporting made hereinafter:

We KSR & Co Company Secretaries LLP have examined:

- a) all the documents and records made available to us and explanation provided by 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 report,

for the 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");

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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 (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 (Buyback of Securities) Regulations, 2018:
- e) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Share Based Employee Benefits) Regulations, 2014;
- f) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Non-Convertible and Redeemable Preference Shares) Regulations, 2013;
- g) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015;
- the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Debenture Trustees) Regulations,
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 and circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder;
- I. 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:

	Compliance	Regulation/ Circular No.	į	Action Taken		Details of Violation	_	Observati	Manag	Rema
i	Requireme	Circular No.		by	Action	violation	Amount	ons/ Remarks	Respo	rks
	(Regulations			υ,				of PCS	nse	
	/circulars/									i
i	guidelines				Į I					i i
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NIL



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

	1 .	Regulation/ Circular No.	i i	Action Taken by	• •	Details of Violation	Fine Amount	Observati ons/ Remarks of PCS	Manag ement Respo nse	Rema rks
ļ	NIL									

II. Compliances related to resignation of statutory auditors from listed entities and their material subsidiaries as per SEBI Circular CIR/CFD/CMD1/114/2019 dated 18th October, 2019:

S.No	Particulars	Complianc	Observations/Remar
		е	ks by PCS*
	, 	Status	
1		(Yes/No/N	
	!	A)	
1.	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	conditions	while appointing/re-
	appointing an auditor	I NIA	The
	i. If the auditor has resigned within 45	NA	There was no
1	days from the end of a quarter of a		instance of
!	financial year, the auditor before		resignation of auditor
1	such resignation, has issued the		during the period
	limited review/ audit report for such	ĺ	under review.
•	quarter; or	l	
	ii. If the auditor has resigned after 45		
	days from the end of a quarter of a	Ì	
	financial year, the auditor before		
	such resignation, has issued the		
	limited review/ audit report for such		
İ	quarter as well as the next quarter;	1	
	or		
1	iii. If the auditor has signed the limited		
1	review/ audit report for the first three	}	
1	quarters of a financial year, the		
	auditor before such resignation, has		BATA



	issued the limited review/ audit report for the last quarter of such financial year as well as the audit report for such financial year.		
2.	Other conditions relating to resignation	on of statuto	ry auditor
,	Reporting of concerns by Auditor with respect to the listed entity/its material subsidiary to the Audit Committee: In case of any concern with the	NA	There was no instance of resignation of auditor during the period under review.
	a. In case of any concern with the management of the listed entity/material subsidiary such as non-availability of information / non-cooperation by the management which has hampered the audit process, the auditor has approached the Chairman of the Audit Committee of the listed entity and the Audit Committee shall receive such concern directly and immediately without specifically waiting for the quarterly Audit Committee meetings.		
	b. In case the auditor proposes to resign, all concerns with respect to the proposed resignation, along with relevant documents has been brought to the notice of the Audit Committee. In cases where the proposed resignation is due to non-receipt of information / explanation from the company, the auditor has informed the Audit Committee the details of information / explanation sought and not provided by the management, as applicable.		CONTRACT OF THE PARTY OF THE PA



			
	c. The Audit Committee / Board of Directors, as the case may be, deliberated on the matter on receipt of such information from the auditor relating to the proposal to resign as mentioned above and communicate its views to the management and the auditor.		
	ii. Disclaimer in case of non-receipt of information		
	The auditor has provided an appropriate disclaimer in its audit report, which is in accordance with the Standards of Auditing as specified by ICAI / NFRA, in case where the listed entity/ its material subsidiary has not provided information as required by the auditor.		
3.	The listed entity / its material subsidiary has obtained information from the Auditor upon resignation, in the format as specified in Annexure- A in SEBI Circular CIR/ CFD/CMD1/114/2019 dated 18th October, 2019.	NA	There was no instance of resignation of auditor during the period under review.

III. We hereby report that, during the review period the compliance status of the listed entity is appended as below:

S.No	Particulars	Compliance Status (Yes/No/NA)	Observations/Remarks by PCS*
1.	Secretarial Standards:	Yes	NIL
! 	The compliances of the listed entity are in accordance with the		SMPAN



	applicable Secretarial Standards (SS) issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India (ICSI), as notified by the Central Government under section 118(10) of the Companies Act, 2013 and mandatorily applicable.		
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.	Yes	NIL
	All the policies are in conformity with SEBI Regulations and has been reviewed & timely updated as per the regulations/ circulars/ guidelines issued by SEBI	Yes	NIL
3.	Maintenance and disclosures on Website: The Listed entity is maintaining a functional website	Yes	NIL
	Timely dissemination of the documents/ information under a separate section on the website	Yes	NIL
	Web-links provided in annual corporate governance reports under Regulation 27(2) are accurate and specific which redirects to the relevant document(s)/ section of the website	Yes	NIL
4.	Disqualification of Director:	Yes	NIL
	None of the Directors of the Company are disqualified under		APANY'S



as confirmed by the listed entity 5. Details related to Subsidiaries of listed entities have been examined w.r.t.: Have identified the material subsidiaries The listed company has complied the disclosure of material subsidiary as well 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: Yes NIL The listed entity has obtained prior approval of Audit Committee for all Related party transactions				
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approval of Audit Committee for all Related party transactions	8.	Related Party Transactions:	Yes	NIL
In case no prior approval obtained. Yes NIL		approval of Audit Committee for all		
the listed entity shall provide detailed		In case no prior approval obtained, the listed entity shall provide detailed	Yes	NIL SEC



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	reasons along with confirmation whether the transactions were subsequently		
	approved/ratified/rejected by the		
	Audit committee;		
9.	Disclosure of events or information:	Yes	NIL
	The listed entity has provided all the required disclosure(s) under		
i	Regulation 30 along with Schedule		
	III of SEBI LODR Regulations, 2015 within the time limits prescribed		
	thereunder;		
10.	Prohibition of Insider Trading:	Yes	NIL
	The listed entity is in compliance with Regulation 3(5) & 3(6) SEBI		
	(Prohibition of Insider Trading)		
	Regulations, 2015		
11.	Actions taken by SEBI or Stock Exchange(s), if any:	Yes	NIL
:	No actions taken against the listed		
† 1	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 except as provided under		
	separate paragraph herein;		
12.	Additional Non-compliances, if any:	Yes	NIL
1 1	No additional non-compliance		_
	observed for any SEBI		



regulation/circular/guidance	note		
etc.			

Assumptions & Limitation of scope and Review:

- Compliance of the applicable laws and ensuring the authenticity of documents and information furnished, are the responsibilities of the management of the listed entity.
- 2. Our responsibility is to report based upon our examination of relevant documents and information. This is neither an audit nor an expression of opinion.
- 3. We have not verified the correctness and appropriateness of financial Records and Books of Accounts of the listed entity.
- 4. This Report is solely for the intended purpose of compliance in terms of Regulation 24A (2) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and is neither an assurance as to the future viability of the listed entity nor of the efficacy or effectiveness with which the management has conducted the affairs of the listed entity.

Date: 30th May, 2023

Place: Coimbatore

& Co Company Secretaries LLP

Dr.K.S.Ravichandran Managing Partner

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