

Wednesday, May 29, 2024

To, Listing Department, BSE Limited, Mumbai

### BSE Scrip Code: 538795

## **Subject: Outcome of Board Meeting**

Dear Sir/Madam,

We wish to inform you that the Board of Directors in its meeting held today i.e. 29<sup>th</sup> May, 2024, has taken the following decisions:

- 1. Approved the Unaudited Financial Results (Standalone and Consolidated) for the quarter ended 31st March, 2024, as reviewed by the Audit Committee.
- 2. Approved the Audited Financial Results (Standalone and Consolidated) for the year ended on 31st March, 2024, as reviewed by the Audit Committee.
- 3. Re-appointment of M/s. Shilpi Thapar and Associates, Practicing Company Secretaries as the Secretarial Auditor of the Company for the Financial Year 2024-25.

The meeting commenced at 4:00 P.M. and concluded at 5:10 P.M.

#### **Enclosed herewith:**

- a. Unaudited Financial Results (Standalone & Consolidated) for the quarter ended March 31, 2024 and Audited Financial Results (Standalone & Consolidated) for the year ended March 31, 2024 and the Auditors Reports thereon:
- b. Declaration under Regulation 33(3)(d) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015;

We request you to take the above information on record.

Thanking you.

For Shree Ajit Pulp and Paper Limited

Shanod Mathew

Company Secretary and Compliance Officer

ICSI M. No.: A60688

# SHREE AJIT PULP AND PAPER LIMITED

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# G.B. LADDHA & CO LLP

# **Chartered Accountants**

LLPIN.: AAC-2426

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON AUDIT OF ANNUAL STANDALONE FINANCIAL RESULTS AND REVIEW OF QUARTERLY FINANCIAL RESULTS

TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF SHREE AJIT PULP AND PAPER LIMITED

## Opinion and Conclusion

We have (a) audited the Standalone financial results for the year ended March 31, 2024 and (b) reviewed the Standalone Financial Results for the quarter ended March 31, 2024 (refer "Other Matter" section below), which were subject to limited review by us, both included in the accompanying "Statement of Standalone Financial Results for the Quarter and Year Ended March 31, 2024" of **Shree Ajit Pulp and Paper Limited** ("the Company"), ("the Statement"), being submitted by the Company pursuant to the requirements of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended ("the Listing Regulations)

# (a) Opinion on Annual Standalone Financial Results

In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the Standalone Financial Results for the year ended March 31, 2024

- is presented in accordance with the requirements of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended; and
- ii. gives a true and fair view in conformity with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in the Indian Accounting Standards and other accounting principles generally accepted in India of the net profit and total comprehensive income and other financial information of the Company for the year then ended.

# (b) Conclusion on Unaudited Standalone Financial Results for the quarter ended March 31, 2024

With respect to the Standalone Financial Results for the quarter ended March 31, 2024, based on our review conducted as stated in paragraph (b) of Auditor's Responsibilities section below, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the Standalone Financial Results for the quarter ended March 31, 2024, prepared in accordance with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in the Indian Accounting Standards and other accounting principles generally accepted in India, has not disclosed the information required to be disclosed in terms of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended, including the manner in which it is to be disclosed, or that it contains any material misstatement.

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# Basis for Opinion on the Audited Standalone Financial Results for the year ended March 31, 2024

We conducted our audit in accordance with the Standards on Auditing ("SAs") specified under Section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act"). Our responsibilities under those Standards are further described in paragraph (a) of Auditor's Responsibilities section below. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the Code of Ethics issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India ("the ICAI") together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the Standalone Financial Results for the year ended March 31, 2024 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 ICAI's Code of Ethics. We believe that the audit evidence obtained by us is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

### Management's Responsibilities for the Statement

This Statement which includes the Standalone Financial Results is the responsibility of the Company's Board of Directors and has been approved by them for the issuance. The Standalone Financial Results for the year ended March 31, 2024 has been compiled from the related audited standalone financial statements. This responsibility includes the preparation and presentation of the Standalone Financial Results for the quarter and year ended March 31, 2024 that give a true and fair view of the net profit and other comprehensive income and other financial information in accordance with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in the Indian 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 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 of the accounting records, relevant to the preparation and presentation of the Standalone Financial Results that give a true and fair view and is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the Standalone Financial Results, 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 financial reporting process of the Company.

## Auditor's Responsibilities

# (a) Audit of the Standalone Financial Results for the year ended March 31, 2024

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the Standalone Financial Results for the year ended March 31, 2024 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 this Standalone Financial Results.

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

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the Annual Standalone Financial Results 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, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the Board of Directors.
- Evaluate the appropriateness and reasonableness of disclosures made by the Board of Directors in terms of the requirements specified under Regulation 33 of the Listing Regulations.
- 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 Company 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 Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the Annual Standalone Financial Results, including the disclosures, and whether the Annual Standalone Financial Results represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation. Materiality is the magnitude of misstatements in the Annual Standalone Financial Results that, individually or in aggregate, makes it probable that the economic decisions of a reasonably knowledgeable user of the Annual Standalone Financial Results may be influenced. We consider quantitative materiality and qualitative factors (i) in planning the scope of our audit work and in evaluating the results of our work; and (ii) to evaluate the effect of any identified misstatements in the Annual Standalone Financial Results.

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

## (b) Review of the Standalone Financial Results for the quarter ended March 31, 2024

We conducted our review of the Standalone Financial Results for the quarter ended March 31, 2024 in accordance with the Standard on Review Engagements ("SRE") 2410 'Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity', issued by the ICAI. A review of Interim\_ financial information consists of making inquiries, primarily of the Company's personnel responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with SAs specified under section 143(10) of the Act and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

### Other Matter

• The Statement includes the results for the Quarter ended March 31, 2024 being the balancing figure between audited figures in respect of the full financial year and the published year to date figures up to the third quarter of the current financial year which were subject to limited review by us. Our report on the Statement is not modified in respect of this matter

For M/s G.B. Laddha & Co. LLP Chartered Accountants

(FRN- 120352W/W-100023)

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(Partner)

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Place: Vapi

Date: 29 May, 2024

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STATEMENT OF STANDALONE FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR THE QUARTER AND YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH, 2024.

Sr. Particulars ₹ lakh 3 months ended Preceding 3 No. Corresponding 3 Year ended Previous Year ended (31/03/2024) months ended months ended (31/03/2024) (31/03/2023) (31/12/2023) (31/03/2023) Unaudited Unaudited Unaudited Audited Audited (Refer note 6) (Refer note 6) Revenue From Operations 10.746.53 4,307.00 II Other Income 7,574.92 29,450.83 37,187.69 564.18 III Total Income (I+II) (5.49) 11,310.71 663.40 37.92 4,301.51 7.570.28 30,114.23 37,225.61 Expenses a) Cost of materials consumed 6.670.59 2,115.61 4,680,56 b) Purchases of stock-in-trade 17,364.66 23,682.93 c) Changes in inventories of finished goods and (323.96)43.26 47.21 work-in-progress (262.82) (202.49)d) Employee benefits expense 562.89 311.80 408.12 e) Finance costs 1,736.00 1,626.01 460.54 97.58 f) Depreciation and amortisation expense 85.25 739.65 649.65 357.88 185.25 g) Power and fuel 179.04 911.65 720.70 1,952.49 756.38 h) Other expenses 1,267.59 5,173.25 5,841.65 1,337.87 581.35 Total Expenses (IV) 680.26 3,359.65 3,321.81 11,018.30 4.091.23 7,348.03 29,022.04 35,640.26 V Profit before tax for the period (III-IV) 292.41 210.29 222.25 1,092.19 1,585.35 VI Tax Expense a) Current Tax (104.59) 205.14 b) Mat Credit Reversal/ (Entitlement) 247.51 203.62 483.98 (192.00) 103.07 C) Deferred Tax (192.00)305.01 Total Tax Expense (VI) (244.48) (172.12) 291.96 (27.42) 8.42 63.73 75.39 303.58 456.56 VII Profit for the period (V-VI) 283.99 146.56 146.86 788.61 1,128.79 VIII Other Comprehensive Income/ (expense) (i) Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss (42.90) 1.47 (ii) Income tax relating to items that will not be reclassified (1.65) (38.43)4.94 12.49 (0.42)to profit or loss 0.48 11.19 (1.44)B (i) Items that will be reclassified to profit or loss Total Other Comprehensive Income/ (expense) (VIII) (A+B) (30.41) 1.05 (1.17) (27.24) 3.50 IX Total Comprehensive Income for the period (VII+VIII) 253.58 147.60 145.69 X Paid up equity share capital 761.37 1,132.29 749.94 535.67 535.67 (Face Value of ₹ 10/- per share) 749.94 535.67 XI Other Equity XII Earnings per share Basic and Diluted (₹ - not annualized) 21,949.58 19,741.90 5.11 2.74 2.74 14.18 21.07 See accompanying notes to the Statement of Standalone Financial Results



#### Notes

- 1) The above results have been reviewed by the Audit Committee and approved by the Board of Directors at their respective meetings held on 29 May, 2024. The statutory auditors have performed an audit of the standalone financial results of the Company for the financial year ended 31 March, 2024 and limited review for quarter ended 31 March, 2024. There is no qualification in the auditor's report. The financial results are prepared in accordance with the Indian Accounting Standards (IND-AS) as prescribed under Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 3 of the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015 and Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Amendment Rules, 2016.
- 2) The Consolidated Financial Results and Standalone Financial Results for the quarter and year ended 31 March, 2024 of the Company are available at the Company's website "www.shreeajit.com" and Bombay Stock Exchange's website "www.bseindia.com".
- 3) The Company has a single operating segment i.e. manufacturing of kraft paper (Testliner and Multilayer Testliner).
- 4) The Company has completed its Commercial Trial production at Unit II with Phase I machine installations on 01 January 2024. All the assets related to Phase I has been capitalised in the books as at 01 January 2024. The Company believes to achieve the installation of Phase II machineries by the end of second quarter of FY 2024-2025.
- 5) On February 26, 2024, the Company had issued and allotted 35,71,133 Equity Shares (Partly paid-up), Face Value of ₹ 10 each of the Company on rights basis in the ratio of 2 equity share for every 3 equity shares held, to eligible equity shareholders of the Company at an issue price of ₹ 80/- per Equity Share (including premium of ₹ 70/- per Rights Equity Share) for an aggregate amount up to ₹ 28.56 Crores. An amount equivalent to 60% of the issue price viz. ₹ 48/- per equity share was received on application and an amount equivalent to 40% of the issue price viz. ₹ 32/- per equity share is pending to be raised as the first and final call.
- 6) The figures of last quarter are the balancing figures between audited figures in respect of the full financial year and the unaudited published year to date figures upto the third quarter of the financial year which were subjected to limited review.
- 7) Statement of standalone assets and liabilities as at 31 March, 2024 and statement of standalone cash flows for the year ended 31 March, 2024 are presented in Annexure A and Annexure B respectively.

8) Previous year's/ quarters' figures have been regrouped wherever considered necessary to make them comparable/ conform to current year/ quarter classification.

For and on behalf of Board of Directors

Gautam D Shah Chairman and Managing Director

DIN 00397319

PLACE : VAPI

DATE : 29 May, 2024



# SHREE AJIT PULP AND PAPER LIMITED

# STATEMENT OF STANDALONE ASSETS AND LIABILITIES AS AT 31 MARCH, 2024

PARTICULARS	As at	As at	
	31 March, 2024	31 March, 2023	
	Audited	Audited	
ASSETS	₹ Lakh	₹ Lakh	
(1) Non-current assets			
(a) Property, Plant and Equipment	20 220 65	40.000	
(b) Capital work-in-progress	29,330.65	13,983.	
(c) Intangible assets	4,352.34	13,921.	
(d) Intangible asset under development	51.59	15.	
(e) Financial Assets	9.04	2.	
(i) Investments			
(ii) Other financial assets	53.74	863.	
(f) Income Tax Assets (net)	658.82	270.8	
(g) Other non-current assets	128.89	39.9	
Total Non-current assets	4,008.10	1,658.0	
Total Non-current assets	38,593.17	30,757.0	
2) Current assets			
(a) Inventories	5,521.02	5,394.2	
(b) Financial Assets	0,011.01	3,334.2	
(i) Trade receivables	5,361.30	4,144.9	
(ii) Cash and cash equivalents	11.14	208.1	
(iii) Bank balances other than (ii) above	76.05	37.7	
(iv) Other financial assets	62.28	6.5	
(c) Other current assets	1,963.31		
Total current assets	12,995.10	1,801.9 <b>11,593.6</b>	
TOTAL ASSETS	51,588.27	42,350.6	
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
QUITY			
(a) Equity Share Capital	749.94	525.6	
(b) Other Equity	21,949.58	535.6	
TOTAL EQUITY	22,699.52	19,741.90 <b>20,277.5</b> 7	
ABILITIES	22,033.32	20,277.3	
) Non-current liabilities			
) Financial Liabilities			
(i) Borrowings	16,272.80	13,885.9	
(ii) Lease Liabilities	0.76	0.76	
) Provisions	73.69	82.24	
Deferred tax liabilities (net)	1,973.98	1,681.59	
Other Non-current liabilities	115.84	121.85	
Total Non-current liabilities	18,437.07	15,772.41	
Current liabilities	20,437.07	13,772.41	
Financial Liabilities			
(i) Borrowings	6,354.48	3,049.17	
(ii) Trade Payables	0,334.48	3,049.17	
- Total outstanding dues of micro enterprises	331.05	145.36	
and small enterprises	331.03	445.26	
- Total outstanding dues of creditors other than	2 222 25	4 702 02	
micro enterprises and small enterprises	3,222.35	1,702.83	
(iii) Lease Liabilities	0.01	0.01	
(iv) Other Financial Liabilities	326.90	880.23	
Other current liabilities	148.95	69.88	
Provisions	67.94	89.86	
Income tax Liabilities (net)	10 454 60	63.46	
Total Current liabilities	10,451.68	6,300.70	
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TOTAL LIABILITIES  TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	51,588.27	42,350.68	

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STATEMENT OF STANDALONE CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH, 2024

PARTICULARS	For the year ended	For the year ended
	31 March, 2024 Audited	31 March, 2023 Audited
	₹ Lakh	₹Lakh
I. CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Profit before tax	1,092.19	1,585.3
Adjustments for:		
Depreciation and amortisation Expense	958.40	720.70
Amortization of government grant	(6.04)	(6.03
(Profit)/ Loss on disposal of Property, Plant and Equipment	(95.49)	4.50
Profit on conversion of investment	(520.60)	
Share of Profit from LLP	(20.56)	-
Net unrealised foreign exchange loss	(3.99)	6.07
Sundry balances written off	4.81	4.43
(Reversal of)/ Provision for compensated absences	(68.69)	49.33
Finance costs	739.65	649.65
Dividend income from other long-term investments	(0.01)	(0.01
Interest income on fixed deposits, margin money deposits etc.	(13.69)	(2.86
Operating profit before working capital changes	2,065.98	3,011.19
Movements in working capital:		
(Increase)/ decrease in inventories	(126.73)	(160.41
(Increase)/ decrease in trade receivables	(1,216.40)	1,474.56
(Increase)/ decrease in other non-current financial assets	26.43	(220.66
(Increase)/ decrease in other current financial assets	(5.85)	6.69
(Increase)/ decrease in other non current assets	37.23	22.80
(Increase)/ decrease in other current assets	30.61	(1,160.86
Increase/ (decrease) in provisions	(1.69)	(1.80
Increase/ (decrease) in trade payables	1,400.10	(168.34
Increase/ (decrease) in other financial liabilities	(2.14)	(0.79
Increase/ (decrease) in other current liabilities	79.10	(204.39
and east, (assistably in other current habilities	220.69	(413.20)
Cash generated from operations	2,286.67	2,597.99
Income taxes paid (net of refund)	(339.91)	(501.28)
et cash generated from / (used in) operating activities	1,946.76	2,096.71
CASH FLOW FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Payments for property, plant and equipment	(9,668.32)	(16,226.28)
Payments for intangible assets	(52.81)	(5.44)
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment	128.85	1,600.00
Withdrawl from current account of LLP	1,312.59	•
Movements in bank deposits not considered as cash and cash equivalents	(452.68)	22.41
Interest received	4.09	5.79
Dividend received on investments	0.01	0.01
et cash used in investing activities	(8,728.27)	(14,603.51)
. CASH FLOW FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Proceeds from borrowings (non-current)	3,478.64	14,947.32
Repayment of borrowings (non-current)	(1,091.81)	(1,090.78)
Net (repayment)/ proceeds from borrowings (current)	3,305.31	(1,498.74)
Net proceeds from share issue and securities premium	1,714.15	
Lease payments	(0.10)	(0.10)
Dividend paid on equity share	(53.57)	(53.57)
Finance costs paid	(768.16)	(1,260.38)
t cash generated from financing activities	6,584.46	11,043.75
t decrease in cash and cash equivalents (I+II+III)	(197.05)	(1,463.05)
sh and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year	208.19	1,671.24
sh and cash equivalents at the end of the year	11.14	208.19

Cash and cash equivalents comprise of:

(a) Cash on hand
(b) Balances with banks
- In current accounts
- In deposit accounts
- In deposit accounts
- Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON AUDIT OF ANNUAL CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL RESULTS AND REVIEW OF QUARTERLY FINANCIAL RESULTS

TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF SHREE AJIT PULP AND PAPER LIMITED

### Opinion and Conclusion

We have (a) audited the Consolidated financial results for the year ended March 31, 2024 and (b) reviewed the Consolidated Financial Results for the quarter ended March 31, 2024 (refer "Other Matter" section below), which were subject to limited review by us, both included in the accompanying "Statement of Consolidated Financial Results for the Quarter and Year Ended March 31, 2024" of **Shree Ajit Pulp and** Paper Limited ("the Parent"), and its subsidiary (the Parent and its subsidiary together referred to as "the Group"), and its share of the net (loss)/profit after tax and total comprehensive (loss)/income of its joint venture for the quarter and year ended March 31, 2024, ("the Statement") being submitted by the Company pursuant to the requirements of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended ("the Listing Regulations).

## (a) Opinion on Annual Consolidated Financial Results

In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the Consolidated Financial Results for the year ended March 31, 2024:

- i. includes the results of the following entities: a) Shree Ajit Pulp and Paper Limited-Parent.b)
  - Shree Samrudhi Industrial Papers Private Limited- Subsidiary. c) Shree Samrat Pulp and Paper Private Limited (Known as Shree Samrat Pulp and Paper LLP w.e.f.  $02^{nd}$  December, 2023) Joint venture.
- ii. is presented in accordance with the requirements of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended; and
- iii. gives a true and fair view in conformity with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in the Indian Accounting Standards and other accounting principles generally accepted in India of the net profit and total comprehensive income and other financial information of the Company for the year ended March 31, 2024.

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# (b) Conclusion on Unaudited Consolidated Financial Results for the quarter ended March 31, 2024

With respect to the Consolidated Financial Results for the quarter ended March 31, 2024, based on our review conducted as stated in paragraph (b) of Auditor's Responsibilities section below, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the Consolidated Financial Results for the quarter ended March 31, 2024, prepared in accordance with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in the Indian Accounting Standards and other accounting principles generally accepted in India, has not disclosed the information required to be disclosed in terms of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended, including the manner in which it is to be disclosed, or that it contains any material misstatement.

# Basis for Opinion on the Audited Consolidated Financial Results for the year ended March 31, 2024

We conducted our audit in accordance with the Standards on Auditing ("SAs") specified under Section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act"). Our responsibilities under those Standards are further described in paragraph (a) of Auditor's Responsibilities section below. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the Code of Ethics issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India {"the ICAI") together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the Consolidated Financial Results for the year ended March 31, 2024 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 ICAI's Code of Ethics. We believe that the audit evidence obtained by us is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

### Management's Responsibilities for the Statement

This Statement which includes the Consolidated Financial Results is the responsibility of the Company's Board of Directors and has been approved by them for the issuance. The Consolidated Financial Results for the year ended March 31, 2024 has been compiled from the related audited Consolidated financial statements. This responsibility includes the preparation and presentation of the Consolidated Financial Results for the quarter and year ended March 31, 2024 that give a true and fair view of the net profit and other comprehensive income and other financial information in accordance with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in the Indian 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 and of its joint venture are responsible for maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of the Act for safeguarding the assets of the Group and its joint venture 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 respective financial results 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 this Consolidated Financial Results by the Directors of the Parent, as aforesaid.

In preparing the Consolidated Financial Results, the Board of Directors of the companies included in the group and of its joint venture are responsible for assessing the ability of the respective entities, 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 respective Board of Directors of the companies included in the Group and of its joint venture are responsible for overseeing the financial reporting process of the Group and of its joint venture.

### Auditor's Responsibilities

# (a) Audit of the Consolidated Financial Results for the year ended March 31, 2024

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the Consolidated Financial Results for the year ended March 31, 2024 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 this Consolidated Financial Results.

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

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the Annual Consolidated Financial Results 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, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the Board of Directors.
- Evaluate the appropriateness and reasonableness of disclosures made by the Board of Directors in terms of the requirements specified under Regulation 33 of the Listing Regulations.
- 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 Company 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 Company to cease to continue as a going concern.

- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the Annual Consolidated Financial Results, including the disclosures, and whether the Annual Consolidated Financial Results represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- Perform procedures in accordance with the circular issued by the SEBI under Regulation 33(8)
   of the Listing Regulations to the extent applicable.
- Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the Annual Standalone Financial Results/ Financial Information of the entities within the Group and its joint venture to express an opinion on the Annual Consolidated Financial Results. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the audit of financial information of such entities included in the Annual Consolidated Financial Results of which we are the independent auditors. For the other entities included in the Annual Consolidated Financial Results, which have been audited by the other auditor, such other auditor remains responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the audits carried out by such other auditor. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

Materiality is the magnitude of misstatements in the Annual Consolidated Financial Results that, individually or in aggregate, makes it probable that the economic decisions of a reasonably knowledgeable user of the Annual Consolidated Financial Results may be influenced. We consider quantitative materiality and qualitative factors (i) in planning the scope of our audit work and in evaluating the results of our work; and (ii) to evaluate the effect of any identified misstatements in the Annual Consolidated Financial Results.

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

# (b) Review of the Consolidated Financial Results for the quarter ended March 31, 2024

We conducted our review of the Consolidated Financial Results for the quarter ended March 31, 2024 in accordance with the Standard on Review Engagements ("SRE") 2410 'Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity', issued by the ICAI. A review of Interim\_ financial information consists of making inquiries, primarily of the Company's personnel responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with SAs specified under section 143(10) of the Act and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

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The Statement includes the results of the entities as listed under paragraph (a)(i) of Opinion and Conclusion section above.

We also performed procedures in accordance with the circular issued by the SEBI under Regulation 33(8) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended, to the extent applicable.

#### Other Matter

• The Statement includes the results for the Quarter ended March 31, 2024 being the balancing figure between audited figures in respect of the full financial year and the published year to date figures up to the third quarter of the current financial year which were subject to limited review by us. Our report on the Statement is not modified in respect of this matter.

For M/s G.B. Laddha & Co. LLP Chartered Accountants

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Giriraj B. Laddia (Partner)

Membership No.-108558 UDIN: 24108558BJZXRA 7893

Place: Vapi

Date: 29 May, 2024

#### SHREE AJIT PULP AND PAPER LIMITED

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STATEMENT OF CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR THE QUARTER AND YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH, 2024

Sr. No.	그렇게 하는 아무슨 아이들은 그는 내가 되었다면 모든 경기에게 되었다면 이 없는 사람들이 없는 사람들이 되었다면 그래요?	3 months ended (31/03/2024)	Preceding 3 months ended (31/12/2023)	Corresponding 3 months ended (31/03/2023)	Year ended (31/03/2024)	Previous Year ended (31/03/2023)
		Unaudited (Refer note 5)	Unaudited	Unaudited (Refer note 5)	Audited	Audited
	Revenue From Operations	10,746.53	4,307.00	7,574.92	29,450.83	37,187.69
11	L	565.43	(4.35)	(3.72)	667.86	41.5
ını	Total Income (I+II)	11,311.96	4,302.65	7,571.20	30,118.69	37,229.2
IV	Expenses					
	a) Cost of materials consumed	6,670.59	2,115.61	4,680.56	17,364.66	23,682.9
	b) Purchases of stock-in- Trade					
	c) Changes in inventories of finished goods and work-in-	(323.96)	43.26	47.21	(262.82)	(202.49
	progress					
	d) Employee benefits expense	562.89	311.80	408.12	1,736.00	1,626.03
	e) Finance costs	460.54	97.58	85.25	739.65	649.6
	f) Depreciation and amortisation expense	357.88	185.26	179.04	911.65	720.7
	g) Power and fuel	1,952.49	756.38	1,267.59	5,173.25	5.841.65
	h) Other expenses	1,338.03	581.47	680.40	3,360.23	3,322.36
	Total Expenses (IV)	11,018.46	4,091.36	7,348.17	29,022.62	35,640.81
	Profit before share of profit/ (loss) of joint venture and tax (III-IV)	293.49	211.30	223.03	1,096.07	1,588.44
	Share of profit/ (loss) of joint venture accounted for using equity method (net of tax)		11.92	(105.80)	33.49	938.90
VII	Profit before tax for the period (V+VI)	293.49	223.22	117.23	1,129.56	2,527.34
/m	Tax Expense					
	a) Current Tax	(104.28)	205 44			
	b) Mat Credit Reversal/ (Entitlement)	A MORE CONTRACTOR OF THE PERSON OF THE PERSO	205.41	247.74	204.65	484.79
	c) Deferred Tax	(192.00) 305.01	(244.48)	(477.421)	(192.00)	(22.42
	Total Tax Expense (VIII)	8.73	64.00	(172.12) 75.62	291.96 <b>304.61</b>	(27.42 <b>457.37</b>
		0.,,5	04.00	73.02	304.01	437.37
IX	Profit for the period (VII-VIII)	284.76	159.22	41.61	824.95	2,069.97
X	Other Comprehensive Income/ (expense)					
A	(i) Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss	(42.90)	1.48	(1.65)	(38.43)	4.94
	(ii) Share of other comprehensive income of joint venture (net of	(12.50)	-	(1.05)	(50.45)	4.54
1	axi					
	(iii) Income tax relating to items that will not be reclassified to	12.49	(0.42)	0.48	11.19	(1.44)
	i) Items that will be reclassified to profit or loss					
T	otal Other Comprehensive Income/ (expense) (X) (A+B)	(30.41)	1.06	(1.17)	(27.24)	3.50
KI T	otal Comprehensive Income for the period (IX+X)	254,36	160.27	40.44	797.71	2,073.47
	aid up equity share capital	749.94	535.67	535.67	749.94	535.67
	Face Value of ₹ 10/- per share)					233.01
	ther Equity				21,975.84	20,259,29
	arnings per share Basic and Diluted (₹ - not annualized)	5.12	2.97	0.78	14.83	38.64



#### Notes:

- 1) The above results have been reviewed by the Audit Committee and approved by the Board of Directors at their respective meetings held on 29 May, 2024. The statutory auditors have performed an audit of the consolidated financial results of the Company for the financial year ended 31 March, 2024 and limited review for quarter ended 31 March, 2024. There is no qualification in the auditor's report. The financial results are prepared in accordance with the Indian Accounting Standards (IND-AS) as prescribed under Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 3 of the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules. 2015 and Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Amendment Rules. 2016.
- 2) The Consolidated Financial Results and Standalone Financial Results for the quarter and year ended 31 March, 2024 of the Company are available at the Company's website "www.shreeajit.com" and Bombay Stock Exchange's website "www.bseindia.com".
- 3) The Group has a single operating segment i.e. manufacturing of kraft paper (Testliner and Multilayer Testliner).
- 4) The summarised standalone results of the Company are as below :-

₹ lakh **Particulars** 3 months ended Preceding 3 Corresponding 3 Year ended **Previous Year** (31/03/2024) months ended months ended (31/03/2024) ended (31/12/2023) (31/03/2023) (31/03/2023) Unaudited Unaudited Unaudited Audited Audited (Refer note 5) (Refer note 5) Total Income 11,310.71 4,301.51 30,114.23 7,570.28 37,225.61 Profit before tax for the period 292.41 210.29 222.25 1,092.19 1,585.35 Profit for the period 146.56 283.99 146.86 788.61 1,128.79 Total Comprehensive Income 253.58 147.60 145.69 761.37 1,132.29

- 5) The figures of last quarter are the balancing figures between audited figures in respect of the full financial year and the unaudited published year to date figures upto the third quarter of the financial year which were subjected to limited review.
- 6) The Company has completed its Commercial Trial production at Unit II with Phase I machine installations on 01 January 2024. All the assets related to Phase I has been capitalised in the books as at 01 January 2024. The Company believes to achieve the installation of Phase II machineries by the end of second quarter of FY 2024-2025.
- 7) On February 26, 2024, the Company had issued and allotted 35,71,133 Equity Shares (Partly paid-up), Face Value of ₹ 10 each of the Company on rights basis in the ratio of 2 equity share for every 3 equity shares held, to eligible equity shareholders of the Company at an issue price of ₹ 80/- per Equity Share (including premium of ₹ 70/- per Rights Equity Share) for an aggregate amount up to ₹ 28.56 Crores. An amount equivalent to 60% of the issue price viz. ₹ 48/- per equity share was received on application and an amount equivalent to 40% of the issue price viz. ₹ 32/- per equity share is pending to be raised as the first and final call.
- 8) Statement of consolidated assets and liabilities as at 31 March, 2024 and statement of consolidated cash flows for the year ended 31 March, 2024 are presented in Annexure A and Annexure B respectively.

9) Previous year's/ quarters' figures have been regrouped wherever considered necessary to make them comparable/ conform to current year/ quarter classification.

For and on behalf of Board of Directors

Gautam D Shah

Chairman and Managing Director

DIN 00397319

PLACE : VAPI

DATE : 29 May, 2024

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# SHREE AJIT PULP AND PAPER LIMITED STATEMENT OF CONSOLIDATED ASSETS AND LIABILITIES AS AT 31 MARCH, 2024

PARTICULARS	As at	As at	
	31 March, 2024	31 March, 2023	
	Audited	Audited	
ASSETS	₹ Lakh	₹ Lakh	
(1) Non-current assets (a) Property, Plant and Equipment			
	29,330.65	13,983.5	
(b) Capital work-in-progress	4,352.34	13,921.9	
(c) Intangible assets (d) Intangible asset under development	51.59	15.2	
(e) Financial Assets	9.04	2.8	
(i) Investments	3.74	1,307.9	
(ii) Other financial assets	658.82	271.7	
(f) Income Tax Assets (net)	128.89	39.9	
(g) Other non-current assets	4,008.10	1,658.69	
Total Non-current assets	38,543.17	31,201.88	
(2) Current assets			
(a) Inventories	5,521.02	5,394.29	
(b) Financial Assets			
(i) Trade receivables	5,361.30	4,144.90	
(ii) Cash and cash equivalents	16.12	211.07	
(iii) Bank balances other than (ii) above	147.07	106.85	
(iv) Other financial assets	64.37	8.50	
(c) Other current assets	1,963.31	1,801.92	
Total current assets	13,073.19	11,667.53	
TOTAL ASSETS	51,616.36	42,869.41	
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
QUITY			
(a) Equity Share Capital	749.94	535.67	
(b) Other Equity	21,975.84	20,259.29	
TOTAL EQUITY	22,725.78	20,794.96	
IABILITIES			
1) Non-current liabilities			
a) Financial Liabilities			
(i) Borrowings	16,272.80	13,885.97	
(ii) Lease Liabilities	0.76	0.76	
b) Provisions	73.69	82.24	
c) Deferred tax liabilities (net)	1,973.98	1,681.59	
d) Other Non-current liabilities	115.84	121.85	
Total Non-current liabilities	18,437.07	15,772.41	
2) Current liabilities			
a) Financial Liabilities			
(i) Borrowings	6,354.48	3,049.17	
(ii) Trade Payables			
- Total outstanding dues of micro enterprises	331.23	445.38	
and small enterprises			
- Total outstanding dues of creditors other than	3,223.43	1,703.61	
micro enterprises and small enterprises			
(iii) Lease Liabilities	0.01	0.01	
(iv) Other Financial Liabilities	326.90	880.23	
b) Other current liabilities	148.95	69.88	
c) Provisions	67.94	89.86	
d) Income tax Liabilities (net)	0.57	63.90	
Total Current liabilities	10,453.51	6,302.04	
TOTAL LIABILITIES	28,890.58	22,074.45	
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	51,616.36	42,869.41	

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STATEMENT OF CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH, 2024

	For the year ended	For the year ended
	31 March, 2024	31 March, 2023
	Audited	Audited
	₹Lakh	₹Lakh
. CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	1 120 56	2 527 24
Profit before tax	1,129.56	2,527.34
Adjustments for:	050.40	720.70
Depreciation and amortisation Expense	958.40	
Amortization of government grant	(6.04)	(6.03
Loss on disposal of Property, Plant and Equipment	(95.49)	4.56
Profit on conversion of investment	(520.60)	•
Share of Profit from LLP	(20.56)	
Net unrealised foreign exchange loss	(3.99)	6.07
Sundry balances written back	4.81	4.43
Share in (profit)/ loss in joint venture	(33.49)	(938.90
(Reversal of)/ provision for compensated absences	(68.69)	49.33
Interest on Income tax (net)		•
Finance costs	739.65	649.65
Dividend income from other long-term investments	(0.01)	(0.01
Interest income on fixed deposits, margin money deposits etc.	(18.15)	(6.50
	2,065.40	3,010.64
Operating profit before working capital changes	2,003.40	3,010.0-
Movements in working capital:	(425.72)	(100.41
(Increase)/ decrease in inventories	(126.73)	(160.41
(Increase)/ decrease in trade receivables	(1,216.40)	1,474.56
(Increase)/ decrease in other non-current financial assets	26.43	(220.66
(Increase)/ decrease in other current financial assets	(5.85)	6.69
(Increase)/ decrease in other non current assets	38.08	22.80
(Increase)/ decrease in other current assets	30.61	(1,160.86
Increase/ (decrease) in provisions	(1.69)	(1.80
Increase/ (decrease) in trade payables	1,400.47	(167.92
Increase/ (decrease) in other financial liabilities	(2.14)	(0.79
	79.10	(204.39
Increase/ (decrease) in other current liabilities	221.91	(412.78
Cash generated from operations	2,287.31	2,597.86
Income taxes paid (net of refund)	(340.82)	(500.47
let cash (used in)/ generated from operating activities	1,946.49	2,097.39
CASH FLOW FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Payments for property, plant and equipment	(9,668.32)	(16,226.28
Payments for intangible assets	(52.81)	(5.44
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment	128.85	1,600.00
Withdrawl from current account of LLP	1,312.59	•
Movements in bank deposits not considered as cash and cash equivalents	(454.62)	22.41
	8.40	5.79
Interest received	0.01	0.01
Dividend received on investments	(8,725.90)	(14,603.51
et cash used in investing activities	(0,725:50)	
. CASH FLOW FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Proceeds from borrowings (non-current)	3,478.64	14,947.32
Repayment of borrowings (non-current)	(1,091.81)	(1,090.78
Net proceeds from borrowings (current)	3,305.31	(1,498.74
	1,714.15	
Net proceeds from share issue and securities premium	(0.10)	(0.10
Lease payments	(53.57)	(53.57
Dividend paid on equity share	(768.16)	(1,260.38
Finance costs paid et cash generated from financing activities	6,584.46	11,043.75
	(194.95)	(1,462.37
	(134.33)	
et decrease in cash and cash equivalents (I+II+III) ash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year	211.07	1,673.44

 (a) Cash and cash equivalents comprise of:
 1.22
 0.87

 (a) Cash on hand
 1.22
 0.87

 (b) Balances with banks
 14.90
 15.20

 - In current accounts
 - 195.00

 - In deposit accounts
 - 195.00

 Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year
 16.12
 211.07



Wednesday, May 29, 2024

To, Listing Department, BSE Limited, Mumbai

BSE Scrip Code: 538795

Dear Sir/Madam

# Subject: Declaration Pursuant to Regulation 33(3)(d) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015

Pursuant to the Regulation 33(3)(d) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 read with the SEBI Circular No. CIR/CFD/CMD/56/2016 dated 27 May, 2016, we declare and confirm that the Auditor's Report on Standalone and Consolidated Financial Results for the year ended 31st March, 2024 are un-modified.

Kindly take the same on your record.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

For Shree Ajit Pulp and Paper Limited

Gautam D Shah

Chairman and Managing Director

DIN: 00397319

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