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National Stock Exchange of India Limited Exchange Plaza, 5th Floor, Plot No. C/1, G- Block, Bandra – Kurla Complex, Bandra (East),

Mumbai – 400 051

SCRIP CODE: CESC

BSE Limited Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers, Dalal Street, <u>Mumbai - 400 001</u> **SCRIP CODE: 500084**

Dear Sir / Madam,

Sub: Annual Secretarial Compliance Report under Regulation 24A of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 for the Financial Year ended March 31, 2024

Please find enclosed herewith Annual Secretarial Compliance Report received from Secretarial Auditor of the Company M/s Anjan Kumar Roy & Co., Company Secretaries, for the financial year ended March 31, 2024, pursuant to the provisions of Regulation 24A of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 read with SEBI Circular No. CIR/CFD/CMD/1/27/2019 dated 8 February, 2019.

Kindly take it on record and acknowledge receipt of the same.

Thanking you

Yours faithfully, For **CESC** Limited

Jagdish Patra Company Secretary & Compliance Officer

Encl: As above

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Secretarial Compliance Report of M/s. CESC Limited for the financial year ended 31st March, 2024

[Pursuant to Regulation 24A(2) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended read with Circular No. CIR/CFD/CMD1/27/2019, dated 08/02/2019, issued by Securities and Exchange Board of India]

To
CESC Limited
Regd Office-CESC House,
Chowringhee Square
Kolkata-700001

- 1. We, Anjan Kumar Roy & Co., Company Secretaries, have examined:
 - (a) all the documents and records made available to us and explanation provided by M/s. CESC Limited(here in after to be referred "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(s)/ filing(s), as may be relevant, which has been relied upon to make this certification,

for the financial year ended on 31st March, 2024 ("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 thereunderandthe Regulations, circulars, guidelines issued thereunder by the Securities and Exchange Board of India ("SEBI");

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2. In terms of the NSE Circular No: NSE/CML/2023/30 dated 10th April, 2023 and the BSE Circular No: 20230410-41 dated 10th April, 2023, and amendments therein, our affirmations, is appended as below:

SI. No.	Particulars	Compliance Status	Observations/ Remarks by PCS		
1.	Secretarial Standards: The Compliances of the listed entity are in accordance with applicable Secretarial Standards (SS) issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India (ICSI)	Yes	None		
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 & timely updated as per the regulations /circulars/guidelines issued by SEBI 	Yes	None		
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 redirects to the relevant documents / section of the website 	Yes	None		
4.	<u>Disqualificationof Director:</u> None of the Director of the Company are disqualified under Section 164 of Companies Act, 2013	Yes	None		
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 asother subsidiaries	Yes	None		

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6.	Preservation of Documents :	Yes	None
	The listed entity is preserving and maintaining records as prescribed under SEBI Regulations and disposal of records as per Policy of Preservation of Documentsand Archival policy prescribed under SEBI LODR Regulations, 2015.		
7.	Performance Evaluation :	Yes	None.
	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	None
	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	Yes	None
	The listed entity has provided all the required disclosures under Regulation30 along with Schedule III of SEBI LODR Regulations, 2015 within the time limits prescribed thereunder.		
10.	Prohibition of Insider Trading :	Yes	None
	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 Exchanges, if any: No Actions taken against the listed entity / its promoters/ directors /subsidiaries either by SEBI or Stock Exchanges (including under the Standard Operating Procedures issued by SEBI through various circulars) under SEBI Regulations and circulars /guidelines issued thereunder	N/A	None



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12.	Additional Non- compliances, if any;	N/A	None
	No any additional non-compliance observed for all SEBI		
	Regulation/circular /guideline note etc.		

- 3. 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, as amended;
 - (b) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018, as amended;
 - (c) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011, as amended;
 - (d) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Buyback of Securities) Regulations, 2018, as amended; Not Applicable during the review period.
 - (e) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Share Based Employee Benefits and Sweat Equity) Regulations, 2021; Not Applicable during the review period.
 - (f) Securities and Exchange Board of India(Issue and Listing of Non-Convertible Securities) Regulations, 2021, as amended;
 - (g) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015, as amended;

and based on the above examination, We hereby report that, during the Period under review:

a) 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.	Compliance	Regulation	Deviations	Action	Туре	Details	Fine	Observation	Manage	Remarks
No	Requirement	/ Circular		taken	of	of	Amount		ment	
	(Regulations	No.		by	Action	Violation		of the	Response	
	/ circulars /							Practicing		
	guidelines							Company		
	including							Secretary		
	specific									
	clause)									
	No Non-	N.A.	No	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
	Compliance		Deviation		W					



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

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No	Requirement	/ Circular		taken	of	of	Amount	s/ Remarks	ment	
	(Regulations/	No.		by	Action	Violation		of the	Response	
	circulars /							Practicing		
	guidelines							Company		
	including							Secretary		
	specific									
	clause)									
	No Non-	N.A.	No	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
	Compliance		Deviation							

4. This is to also certify that the Company has ensured, through the letter of appointment of the Statutory Auditors of the Company that the conditions as mentioned in 6(A) and 6(B) of Circular No. CIR/CFD/CMD1/114/2019 dated 18th October, 2019 issued by Securities and Exchange Board of India is included in the terms of appointment of the statutory auditor.

Place: Kolkata

Date: 23rd May, 2024

FOR, ANJAN KUMAR ROY & CO.

Company Secretaries

ANJAN KUMAR ROY

Proprietor FCS No. 5684 CP. No. 4557

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Peer Review Certificate No. 869/2020