

## Vikas Lifecare Limited

( A NSE / BSE Listed Company )

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Dear Sir/ Madam,

Pursuant to Regulation 30 of SEBI (Listing Obligation and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, please find enclosed herewith copy of Media Release titled "Vikas Lifecare Limited (VLL) is pleased to announce updates on the acquisition deal of Ebix Inc. The Consortium Led by Eraaya Lifespaces Limited has remitted an amount of USD 12 Million (INR 101 Crores Approx) and further to this USD 35 Million (INR 293 Crores Approx) will be remitted within July 2024."

Disclosure under Regulation 30 of SEBI List<mark>ing Regulations read w</mark>ith SEBI circular SEBI/HO/CFD/CFDPoD-1/P/CIR/2023/123 dated July 13, 2023 is enclosed as Annexure I to this letter.

We request you to kindly take the above information on record and oblige.

Thanking you,

Yours Faithfully, for Vikas Lifecare Limited Digitally signed by SUNDEEP KUMAR DHAWAN

Sundeep Kumar Dhawan Managing Director DIN: 09508137



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17<sup>TH</sup> July'2024, New Delhi: Vikas Lifecare Limited (VLL) updates on the acquisition deal of Ebix Inc. The Consortium Led by Eraaya Lifespaces Limited has remitted an amount of USD 12 Million (INR 101 Crores Approx) and further to this USD 35 Million (INR 293 Crores Approx) will be remitted within July 2024.

The Plan Support Agreement submitted by "The Consortium" including Vikas Lifecare Limited, as the Stalking Horse Bidder for the acquisition of 100% of the equity of Ebix Inc. ("Ebix"), has been approved by the Independent Directors of Ebix. Inc. The Consortium is led by Eraaya Lifespaces Limited (BSE Symbol: ERAAYA | 531035 ISIN: INE432F01024).

In accordance with the **Stalking Horse Plan Support Agreement**, The Consortium had earlier remitted the USD 7.25 Million (INR 61.50 Crores Approx) cash deposit as required for the process and subsequently remitted USD 2.5 Million (INR 21 Crores Approx) and the aforementioned remittance of USD 12 Million (INR 101 crores Approx) making it a total of USD 21.75 Million (INR 181 Crores Approx) deposited so far towards the acquisition process.

The Acquisition will be effectuated through a Plan of Reorganization, negotiated between the bidders and major stakeholders of Ebix. Inc. under the Chapter 11 provisions. The **Stalking Horse Plan Sponsor Agreement** has the support of the Ebix Inc. Senior Management led by the Ebix CEO, and The Consortium will to work collaboratively with Ebix Inc representatives to get Ebix Inc. and its affiliated debtors out of Chapter 11 through the sponsored Plan.

## About EBIX INC.:

EBIX INC. is a leading international supplier of On-Demand software and E-commerce services to the insurance, financial and healthcare industries, EBIX INC., (NASDAQ: EBIX) provides end-to-end solutions ranging from infrastructure exchanges, carrier systems, agency systems and risk compliance solutions to custom software development for all entities involved in the insurance industry.

The "Phygital" strategy at EBIX combines 320,000 physical distribution outlets in many Southeast Asian Nations ("ASEAN") countries, to an Omni-channel online digital platform, the Company's EbixCash Financial exchange portfolio includes domestic & international money remittance, foreign exchange (Forex), travel, pre-paid & gift cards, utility payments, lending, wealth management etc. in India and other markets.

EbixCash's Forex operations have emerged as a leader in India's airport Foreign Exchange business with operations in 32 international airports including Delhi, Mumbai, Bangalore, Hyderabad, Chennai and Kolkata, conducting over \$4.8 billion in gross transaction value per year. EbixCash's inward remittance business in India conducts approx. \$5 billion gross annual remittance business, confirming its undisputed leadership position in India. EbixCash, through its travel portfolio of Via and Mercury, is one of Southeast Asia's leading travel exchanges, with over 500,000 agents and approximately 18,000 registered corporate clients, combined having processed an estimated \$2.5 billion in gross merchandise value per annum.

With 50+ offices across Australia, Brazil, Canada, India, New Zealand, Singapore, US and UK, Ebix powers multiple exchanges across the world in the field of life, finance, health and property & casualty insurance while conducting in excess of \$100 billion in insurance premiums annually on its platforms. Through its various SaaS-based software platforms, Ebix employs thousands of professionals from the Insurance and Financial Technology fields to provide products, support and consultancy to thousands of customers across six continents.

## **About Vikas Lifecare Limited:**

Vikas Lifecare Limited (VLL) is an ISO 9001:2015 certified company, conventionally engaged in manufacturing and trading of Polymer and Rubber compounds and Specialty Additives for Plastics, Synthetic & Natural Rubber. Polymer & Rubber Commodity (bulk consumption) Compounds and Master-Batches (Manufacturing up-cycled compounds from industrial and post-consumer waste materials like EVA, PVC, PP, PE etc.), contributing to the Environment Protection initiatives from the Government of India and fulfilling the mandated EPR obligations for the conglomerates consuming hundreds of thousands of tons of plastic products and packaging materials.

VLL's subsidiary M/s Genesis Gas Solutions Pvt. Ltd. (GGSPL) is engaged in the business of Smart Gas Meters being supplied to all the major Gas Distribution Companies for domestic and commercial consumers. Genesis pioneers in Smart Gas Metering and commands about 20% share in the Domestic Gas Metering market in India. In June 2023, under a joint venture agreement between Indraprastha Gas Limited (IGL) and Genesis Gas Solutions Private Limited (GGSPL) a joint venture company IGL GENESIS TECHNOLOGIES LIMITED was incorporated which is in the process of establishing a plant for manufacturing Gas Meters based on the technology know-how from Hangzhou Beta Meters, the largest Gas Meter Producer in the world, along-with the indigenous software developed by Genesis using LORA WAN technology for the wireless connectivity for the Smart Meters. The plant will start operations in the IIND quarter of the FY 2024~25.

As a long-term business strategy, the company has most recently diversified its business interests beyond raw materials (B2B businesses) and forayed into the B2C segment with a host of consumer products including FMCG, Agro, and Infrastructure Products; paving way for an aggressive business growth with intricately planned and making continuous additions to the products & services portfolios via acquisitions, joint ventures and tie-ups.

The Company continues spreading its arms under entertainment sector with a new venture in film production. This strategic move marks Vikas Lifecare Limited's entry into the dynamic world of cinema, leveraging its expertise in creativity and innovation to deliver captivating and thought-provoking content to audiences worldwide.

The company's debut project, "Lioness," in collaboration with Teamo Productions HQ Limited, is a testament to VLL's commitment to quality storytelling and cultural representation. This venture aligns with company's vision to explore new horizons and create memorable experiences for audiences across the globe.

The Company in order to fuel the business growth, has been very open minded and is aggressively exploring various Industrial and Services Business Markets including Tourism, Hospitality and Entertainment. VLL intends establishing / acquiring businesses in these business segments thereby expanding its footprint in the country and beyond.

The securities of the Company are listed on both the Stock Exchanges, BSE (Scrip Code: 542655) and NSE (Symbol: VIKASLIFE).

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Disclosure under Regulation 30 of SEBI Listing Regulations read with SEBI circular SEBI/HO/CFD/CFDPoD-1/P/CIR/2023/123 dated July 13, 2023 are as follows:

a)	Name of the target entity, details in brief	EBIX INC. is a leading international supplier of
	such as size, turnover etc.;	On-Demand software and E-commerce services
		to the insurance, financial and healthcare
		industries, Turnover - NA
b)	Whether the acquisition would fall within	Not Applicable.
b)	related party transaction(s) and whether	Not Applicable.
	the promoter/ promoter group/ group	
	companies have any interest in the entity	
	being acquired? If yes, nature of interest	
	and details thereof and whether the same	
	is done at "arms length";	
c)	Industry to which the entity being acquired	Software and E-commerce industry
	belongs;	
d)	objects and effects of acquisition	The acquisition will make way for the company
	(including but not limited to, disclosure of	to explore new exciting opportunities in the On-Demand software and E-commerce services
	reasons for acquisition of target entity, if	to the insurance, financial and healthcare
	its business is outside the main line of	industries, entertainment and event organising
	business of the listed entity);	industry.
e)	Brief details of any governmental or	As per Chapter-11 from the Competent Courts.
	regulatory approvals required for the	
	acquisition;	
f)	Indicative time period for completion of the acquisition;	Estimated 2~3 Months (Approx.)
g)	Nature of consideration - whether	Cash Consideration
	cash consideration or share swap and	
	details of the same;	
h)	Cost of acquisition or the price at which	The acquisition will be effectuated at an
	the shares are acquired;	Enterprise Value commensurating US\$ 361
		Million (INR 3,009 Crores approximately)
i)	Percentage of shareholding / control	100% (as a member of a consortium of
	acquired and / or number of shares	members)
	acquired;	
j)	Brief background about the entity acquired	EBIX INC. is a leading international supplier of
	in terms of products/line of business	On-Demand so ware and E-commerce services
	acquired, date of incorporation, history of	to the insurance, financial and healthcare
	last 3 years turnover, country in which the	industries, EBIX INC., (NASDAQ: EBIX) provides
	acquired entity has presence and any	end-to-end solutions ranging from
	other significant information (in brief);	infrastructure exchanges, carrier systems,
		agency systems and risk compliance solutions to custom so ware development for all entities
		involved in the insurance industry at world-
		wide level.