

18th May 2023

Listing Department

National Stock Exchange of India Limited

Exchange Plaza, 5th Floor, Plot No. C/1, G-Block Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra (East), Mumbai - 400051

Symbol: CENTENKA

Listing Department

BSE Limited

25th Floor, Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers, Dalal Street, Fort, Mumbai - 400001

Scrip Code: 500280

Sub: Outcome of the meeting of Board of Directors

Dear Sirs,

Pursuant to Regulations 30 and 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ('Listing Regulations'), we are pleased to enclose the following:

- Audited Financial Results (standalone and consolidated) for the quarter and financial year ended on 31st March 2023 together with Auditor's Report thereon as approved by the Board of Directors in its meeting held today i.e., 18th May 2023.
- Declaration on Auditor's Report (standalone and consolidated) with unmodified opinion pursuant to the Regulation 33(3)(d) of Listing Regulations.

Further, the Board of Directors has also recommended a dividend at the rate of 100% (i.e., Rs.10/-per Equity Share of Rs.10/- each) for the financial year ended on 31st March 2023.

This is for your kind information and records.

The Meeting commenced at 12:00 Noon and concluded at 2.36 P.M.

Thanking you,

For Century Enka Limited

(Rahul Dubey)

Company Secretary

Membership No: FCS 8145



18th May 2023

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BSE Limited	National Stock Exchange of India Ltd.
Listing Department	Listing Department

Sub: <u>Declaration pursuant to Regulation 33(3)(d) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 w.r.t Audit Report with Unmodified Opinion</u>

Pursuant to the provisions of Regulation 33(3)(d) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended, we hereby confirm that the Statutory Auditors of the Company, have issued an Audit Report with unmodified opinion in respect of the Annual Audited Financial Results (standalone and consolidated) of the Company for the financial year ended 31st March 2023. The Auditors Report for standalone Financial Results for the financial year ended 31st March 2023 has one matter of emphasis.

Thanking You,

For Century Enka Limited

(Krishna Gopal Ladsaria) Chief Financial Officer

CENTURY ENKA LIMITED





		Standalone					Rs. in Lacs Consolidated		
	1	Three Months Ended Year Ended				inded	Three Months Ended		Year Ended
S.No.	Particulars	31-Mar-23	31-Dec-22	31-Mar-22	31-Mar-23 31-Mar-22		31-Mar-23	31-Dec-22	31-Mar-23
		Audited (Note 8)	Unaudited	Audited (Note 8)	Aud	ited	Audited (Note 8)	Unaudited	Audited
T	Revenue From Operations	47,262	46,825	57,241	2,07,205	2,09,783	47,262	46,825	2,07,205
11	Other Income	717	388	480	1,904	2,063	717	388	1,904
III	Total Income (I+II)	47,979	47,213	57,721	2,09,109	2,11,846	47,979	47,213	2,09,109
	Cost of materials consumed	28,944	28,285	35,147	1,29,154	1,29,454	28,944	28,285	1,29,154
	Purchases of Stock-in-Trade	1,010	1,961	1,553	8,826	8,820	1,010	1,961	8,826
	Changes in Inventories of Finished Goods, Stock-in-Trade and Work-in-Progress	1,458	1,180	54	493	(5,574)	1,458	1,180	493
	Employee Benefits Expense	3,061	2,937	3,072	11,994	11,529	3,061	2,937	11,994
	Power and Fuel	5,620	6,335	5,545	24,753	20,786	5,620	6,335	24,753
	Finance Costs	125	39	29	235	124	125	39	235
	Depreciation and Amortization	1,166	1,005	1,041	4,122	3,962	1,166	1,005	4,122
	Other Expenses	4,904	4,060	5,062	17,752	18,339	4,904	4,060	17,752
	Total Expenses (IV)	46,288	45,802	51,503	1,97,329	1,87,440	46,288	45,802	1,97,329
V	Profit before Share in Loss of Associate and Tax (III- IV)	1,691	1,411	6,218	11,780	24,406	1,691	1,411	11,780
VI	Share in Loss of Associate (net of tax)	-	127	8	**	- 1	(2)		(12
VII	Profit before Tax (V- VI)	1,691	1,411	6,218	11,780	24,406	1,689	1,411	11,768
VIII	Tax Expense: (i) Current Tax	634	393	1,531	3.041	6,501	634	393	3,041
	(ii) (Excess)/Short Provision of Tax relating to earlier years	(69)	333	(127)	(69)	(127)	(69)	353	(69
	(iii) Deferred Tax	(325)	21	(151)	(236)	(384)	(325)	21	(236
IX	Profit after Tax (VII-VIII)	1,451	997	4,965	9,044	18,416	1,449	997	9,032
Х	Other Comprehensive Income (i) Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss	(423)	196	(47)	(130)	(142)	(423)	196	(130
	(ii) Income tax relating to items that will not be	102	(31)	(34)	11	(30)	102	(31)	11
	reclassified to profit or loss (i) Items that will be reclassified to profit or loss	(139)	756	(134)	501	(423)	(139)	756	501
	(ii) Income tax relating to items that will be reclassified to profit or loss	35	(190)	33	(126)	106	35	(190)	(126)
ΧI	Total Comprehensive Income for the period (IX+X)	1,026	1,728	4,783	9,300	17,927	1,024	1,728	9,288
XII	Paid-up Equity Share Capital (Face value of Rs. 10 each)	2,185	2,185	2,185	2,185	2,185	2,18 5	2,185	2,185
XIII	Other Equity				1,29,998	1,22,883			1,29,986
XIV	Basic & Diluted Earnings Per Share (of Rs.10 each) (Not Annualised)	6.64	4.56	22.72	41.39	84.28	6.63	4.56	41.34

* Amount Less than Rs 1 Lac

CENTURY ENKA LIMITED

Statement of Audited Financial Results for Three Months and Year Ended 31st March, 2023



NOTES

- 1) The above results have been reviewed and recommended for approval by the Audit Committee to the Board of Directors and have been approved by the Board of Directors at its meeting held on 18th May, 2023. The Statutory Auditors have carried out statutory audit of the above financial results and their report contains emphasis with respect to matter disclosed in note 4 below.
- 2) The Board of Directors have recommended dividend @ Rs 10 per equity share for the year ended 31st March, 2023 at their meeting held on 18th May 2023 (Previous Year Rs 10 per equity share)
- 3) The Company's business activity falls within a single operating segment i.e. "Synthetic Yarn"
- 4) Excise Department had issued an order dated 31st December, 2013 denying the applicability of Notification No. 6/2000 dated 1st March, 2000 and raised a demand of Rs 22,927 lacs plus interest thereon and penalty equivalent to duty demand amount.

In this matter, CESTAT in its order dated 20th December, 2019, upheld the denial of aforesaid notification and remanded back the matter to Central Excise Department to redetermine quantum of duty short paid, imposition of equal amount of penalty on redetermined amount of duty demand and applicable interest. The Commissioner, CGST & Central Excise, Raigad has re-determined assessable value pursuant to order of CESTAT and confirmed the demand amounting to Rs.730 lacs (as against above demand of Rs.22,927 lacs), interest at appropriate rate on the duty and equal amount of penalty vide its order dated 8th September, 2020. Against the said order of the Commissioner, CGST & Central Excise, Raigad, Department has filed an appeal before the Appellate Tribunal.

The Company's appeal in the matter is pending before the hon'ble Supreme Court of India. The Company has deposited the amount of duty of Rs.730 Lacs under protest. The Company has been advised by legal experts that it has a fair chance of ultimately succeeding in the matter and accordingly no provision is required to be made in the accounts.

State	ment of Assets and Liabilities	Stand	laTone	Rs. in Lacs
		As at	As at	
S.No.	Particulars	31-Mar-23	As at 31-Mar-22	31-Mar-23
		(Audited)	(Audited)	(Audited)
A)	ASSETS	(Addited)	[Addited]	(Addited)
~,	Non-current assets			
	Property, Plant and Equipment	63,704	46.689	63,704
	Capital work-in-progress	10,617	6.834	
	Right-of-use Assets	689	716	
	Other Intangible Assets	92	211	
	Financial assets	92	211	9
	Investments	2 725	2 602	2.74
	Others	3,725	2,602	
	0.11.010	236	234	23
	Other Non Current Assets	1,168	2,399	
	Total Non Current Assets	80,231	59,685	80,21
	Current assets			
	Inventories	24,336	30,799	24,33
	Financial assets			
	Investments	30,678	23,385	
	Trade Receivables	21,704	23,933	21,70
	Cash and Cash Equivalents	270	559	27
	Bank balances other than Cash & Cash Equivalents	1,332	6,652	1,33
	Others	375	369	37
	Other Current Assets	3,347	5.977	3,34
	Total Current Assets	82,042	91,674	
	Non-current Assets Classified as held for Sale		900	
	TOTAL ASSETS	1,62,273	1,52,259	1,62,26
B)	EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
	Equity			
	Equity Share Capital	2,185	2.185	2,18
	Other Equity	1,29,998	1,22,883	
	Total Equity	1,32,183	1,25,068	1,32,17
	Non-current liabilities	.,02,100	.,,	1,02,11
	Financial liabilities			
	Borrowings	4,870	616	4.87
	Lease Liabilities	351	406	
	Others	251	245	
	Provisions	1,352	1,131	1,35
	Deferred tax liabilities (Net)		7.323	
	Other Non Current Liabilities	7,213 945	266	
	Total Non-Current Liabilities	14,982	9,987	14,98
	Current liabilities			
	Financial liabilities			
	Borrowings	1,508	419	.1
	Lease Liabilities	55	51	5
	Trade payables			
	i) Total outstanding dues of Micro Small and Medium Enterprises	674	645	
	ii) Total outstanding dues of Creditors other than above	10,099	11,415	10,09
	Others	1,375	3,381	1,37
	Other Current Liabilities	1,045	920	1,04
	Provisions	319	247	31

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Current Tax Liabilities (Net)

TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES

Total Current Liabilities



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CENTURY ENKA LIMITED





Otate	ment of Cash Flow	Stand	alone	Rs. in Lacs Consolidated
S.No.	Particulars	Year ended 31-Mar-23	Year ended 31-Mar-22	Year ended 31-Mar-23
			Audited	
A.	CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
	Profit Before Tax	11,780	24,406	11,768
	Adjustment for:			
	Depreciation and Amortisation	4,122	3,962	4,122
	Finance Cost	235	124	235
	Unrealised Exchange Loss /(Gain)	6	(39)	6
	Loss on impairment of Investments	4	*	4
	Bad Debts Written-off		101	9
	Fair value movement in Derivative Instruments	13	12	13
	Interest Income	(779)	(797)	(779)
	Fair Value of Investments through Statement of Profit and Loss	808	505	808
	Profit on sale of Current Investments (Net)	(1,508)	(1,279)	(1,508)
	Liabilities/Provisions no longer required written back	(68)	(24)	(68)
	Amortization of Govt. Grant (TUF Capital Subsidy)	(19)	(15)	(19)
	Profit on sale / write off of Property, Plant and Equipment (PPE) (Net)	(131)	(309)	(131)
	Impairment loss on Asset Held for Sale	1	200	_
	Share in (Profit) / Loss on equity accounted investment		-	12
	Operating Profit Before Working Capital Changes	14,463	26,847	14,463
	Adjustment for:			
	Trade payable and other liability	(829)	(148)	(829)
	Trade Receivables	2,229	(802)	2,229
	Inventories	6,463	(11,699)	6,463
	Financial and other Assets	2,655	(2,661)	2,655
	Cash Generated From Operations	24,981	11,537	24,981
	Direct Taxes Paid (net of refund)	(3,054)	(5,981)	(3,054)
	Net Cash From Operating Activities (A)	21,927	5,556	21,927
В.	CASH FLOW FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
	Purchase of Property Plant and Equipments	(23,890)	(8,577)	(23,890)
	Sale of Property, Plant and Equipments	340	472	340
	Interest received	760	729	760
	(Investment)/Maturity of deposit with Banks	5,320	(1,485)	5,320
	Deposits with Financial Institutions	(930)	(1,911)	(930)
	Government Grant (Capital Subsidy)	144	-	144
	Purchase of Non-Current Investments	(885)	(344)	(885)
	(Purchase)/Sale of Current Investments (Net)	(5,993)	6,988	(5,993)
	Net Cash From Investing Activities (B)	(25,134)	(4,128)	(25,134)

7) During the quarter ended 30th June, 2022, the Company has subscribed to 26% of equity share capital in ABREL Century Energy Limited is considered as accordingly. ABREL Century Energy Limited is considered as accordingly. and accordingly, ABREL Century Energy Limited is considered as associate. Pursuant to this the company has prepared its consolidated financial results and figures of the three months ended 31st March 2023, 31st December 2022, and year ended 31st March 2023 is of the three months ended 31st March 2023 is of the three months ended 31st March 2023, 31st December 2022, and year ended 31st March 2023 is of the three months ended 31st March 2023, 31st December 2022, and year ended 31st March 2023 is of the three months ended 31st March 2023, 31st December 2022, and year ended 31st March 2023 is of the three months ended 31st March 2023, 31st December 2022, and year ended 31st March 2023 is of the three months ended 31st March 2023 is o the above results.

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8) The figures for the three months ended 31st March, 2023 and 31st March, 2022 are arrived as difference between audited figures in res the full financial year and published figures upto nine months of relevant financial year

9) During the quarter ended 31st March, 2023, company has commissioned additional Nylon Tyre Cord Fabric capacity

Repayment of Lease Liability

Net Cash From Financing Activities

Equity Dividend paid

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Place : Mumbai Date : 18/05/2023

CASH FLOW FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES

Proceeds from Long Term Borrowings

Repayment of Long Term Borrowings

Payment of Interest on Lease Liability

Closing Balance of Cash and Cash Equivalents

Opening Balance of Cash and Cash Equivalents

Payment of Interest on Borrowings

Proceeds/(Repayments) from Short Term Borrowings (Net)

NET INCREASE / (DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

For and on behalf of Board of Directors

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Accountants

Suresh Sodani (Managing Director)
DIN: 08789604

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Chartered Accountants (formerly Khimji Kunverji & Co LLP)

Independent Auditor's report on annual standalone financial results of Century Enka Limited under Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015

To
The Board of Directors of
Century Enka Limited

Introduction

- We have audited the accompanying standalone financial results of Century Enka Limited ('the Company') for the year ended 31 March 2023, being submitted by the Company pursuant to the requirements of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended ('Listing Regulations').
- 2. In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the aforesaid standalone financial results:
 - 2.1. are presented in accordance with the requirements of the Listing Regulations in this regard; and
 - 2.2. give a true and fair view in conformity with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in the applicable Indian accounting standards ('Ind AS') and other accounting principles generally accepted in India, of the net profit and other comprehensive income and other financial information for the year ended 31 March 2023.

Basis for Opinion

3. We conducted our audit in accordance with the Standard on Auditing ('SAs') specified under section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013 ('the Act'). Our responsibilities under those SAs are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Standalone Financial Results section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the Code of Ethics issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements 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 Code of Ethics. We believe that the audit evidence obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Emphasis of Matter

4. We draw attention to the fact that Note No. 4 of the standalone financial results wherein it is stated that, the Excise department had issued an order dated 31 December 2013 denying the applicability of Notification No. 6/2000 dated 01 March 2000 and raised a demand of Rs.22,927 lacs plus interest thereon and penalty equivalent to duty demand amount. In this matter, CESTAT in its order dated 20 December 2019, upheld the denial of aforesaid notification and remanded back the matter to Central Excise Department to redetermine quantum of duty short paid, imposition of equal amount of penalty on re-determined amount of duty demand and applicable interest. The Commissioner, CGST & Central Excise, Raigad Commissionerate has re-determined assessable value pursuant to order of CESTAT and confirmed the demand amounting to Rs.730 lacs (as against above demand of Rs.22,927 lacs), interest at appropriate rate on the duty and equal amount of penalty vide its order dated 08 September 2020. Against the said order of the Commissioner, CGST & Central Excise, Raigad, Department has filed an appeal before the Appellate Tribunal. The Company's appeal in the matter is pending before the Honourable Supreme Court of India. The Company has deposited the amount of duty of Rs.730 Lacs under protest. Based on expert legal advice and merits of the case, no provision has been considered necessary by the Company. Our opinion on the standalone financial results is not modified in respect of the above matter.



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Board of Directors' responsibilities for the Standalone Financial Results

- 5. These standalone financial results have been prepared on the basis of the standalone annual financial statements. The Company's Board of Directors are responsible for the preparation and presentation of these standalone financial results that give a true and fair view of the net profit after tax and other comprehensive income and other financial information in accordance with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in Ind AS 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 the Listing Regulations. This responsibility also includes maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of the Act for safeguarding of 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 are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, which has been used for the purpose of preparation of the standalone financial results by the Directors of the Company, as aforesaid.
- 6. 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.
- 7. The Board of Directors are also responsible for overseeing the Company's financial reporting process.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Standalone Financial Results

- 8. Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the standalone financial results as a whole are 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 these standalone financial results.
- 9. As part of an audit in accordance with SAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:
 - 9.1. Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the 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.
 - 9.2. Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances. Under Section 143(3)(i) of the Act, we are also responsible for expressing our opinion on whether the Company has adequate internal financial controls with reference to standalone financial statements in place and the operating effectiveness of such controls.
 - 9.3. Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the Board of Directors.

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- 9.4. 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 Company's ability 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 standalone financial results 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.
- 9.5. Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the standalone financial results, including the disclosures, and whether the standalone financial results represents the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- 10. 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.
- 11. 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.

Other Matters

12. The standalone financial results includes the result for the quarter ended 31 March 2023 being the balancing figure between the audited figures in respect of the full financial year and the published unaudited year to date figures up to the third quarter of the current financial year which were subject to limited review by us.

For KKC & Associates LLP

Chartered Accountants

(formerly Khimji Kunverji & Co LLP)

Firm Registration Number: 105146W/W100621

Kamlesh R Jagetia

Partner

ICAI Membership No: 139585

UDIN: 23139585BGXMDS986

Place: Mumbai Date: 18 May 2023

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To
The Board of Directors of
Century Enka Limited

Introduction

- 1. We have audited the accompanying consolidated financial results of Century Enka Limited ('the Holding' or 'the Company') and its associate for the year ended 31 March 2023, being submitted by the Parent pursuant to the requirements of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended ('Listing Regulations').
- 2. In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us and based on the consideration of our reports on separate audited financial results of the associate the aforesaid consolidated financial results:
 - 2.1. include the annual financial results of the following entities:

Sr. No.	Name of the Entity	Relationship		
1	Century Enka Limited	Parent		
2	ABRel Century Energy Limited	Associate		

- 2.2. are presented in accordance with the requirements of the Listing Regulations in this regard; and
- 2.3. give a true and fair view in conformity with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in the applicable Indian Accounting Standards ('Ind AS'), and other accounting principles generally accepted in India, of consolidated net profit and other comprehensive income and other financial information of the Company for the year ended 31 March 2023.

Basis for opinion

3. We conducted our audit in accordance with the Standard on Auditing ('SAs') specified under section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013 ('the Act'). Our responsibilities under those SAs are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Results section of our report. We are independent of the Company and its associate in accordance with the Code of Ethics issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements 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 Code of Ethics. We believe that the audit evidence obtained by us is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.



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Board of Director's responsibilities for the Consolidated Financial Results

- 5. These consolidated financial results have been prepared on the basis of the consolidated annual financial statements. The Holding Company's Board of Directors are responsible for the preparation and presentation of these consolidated financial results that give a true and fair view of the consolidated net profit after tax and other comprehensive income and other financial information of the Company including its associate in accordance with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in Ind AS 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 the Listing Regulations. The respective Board of Directors of the companies included in the Company and of its associate are responsible for maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of the Act for safeguarding the assets of the Company and its associate 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 consolidated financial result that give a true and fair view and are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, which has been used for the purpose of preparation of the consolidated financial results by the Directors of the Holding Company, as aforesaid.
- 6. In preparing the consolidated financial results, the respective Board of Directors of the companies included in the Company and of its associate are responsible for assessing the ability of the Company and of its associate to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the respective Board of Directors either intends to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.
- 7. The respective Board of Directors of the companies included in the Company and of its associate are responsible for overseeing the financial reporting process of the Company and of its associate.



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Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Results

- 8. Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial results are 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 these consolidated financial results.
- 9. As part of an audit in accordance with SAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:
 - 9.1. Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the 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.
 - 9.2. Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances. Under Section 143(3)(i) of the Act, we are also responsible for expressing our opinion on whether the company has adequate internal financial controls with reference to consolidated financial statements in place and the operating effectiveness of such controls.
 - 9.3. Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the Board of Directors.
 - 9.4. 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 Company and its associate 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 consolidated financial results 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 and its associate to cease to continue as a going concern.
 - 9.5. Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the consolidated financial results, including the disclosures, and whether the consolidated financial results represents the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
 - 9.6. Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial results of the entities within the Company and its associate to express an opinion on the consolidated financial results. We are responsible for the direction, supervision, and performance of the audit of financial information of such entities included in the consolidated financial results of which we are the independent auditors.
- 10. We communicate with those charged with governance of the Holding Company and such other entities included in the consolidated financial results of which we are independent auditors 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.
- 11. 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.



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

Other Matters

13. The consolidated financial results include the results for the quarter ended 31 March 2023 being the balancing figure between the audited figures in respect of the full financial year and the published unaudited year to date figures up to the third quarter of the current financial year which were subject to limited review by us.

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