

## GCM CAPITAL ADVISORS LIMITED

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The Deputy Manager
Department of Corporate Services
BSE Limited
P. J. Towers, Dalal Street, Fort
Mumbai – 400 001

Ref: Scrip Code 538319 (SME)

Sub: Notice of Annual General Meeting (AGM) and Annual Report for FY 2024-25

Respected Sir or Madam,

Pursuant to Regulation 30 and 34 read with Para A of Part A of Schedule III to the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligation and Disclosure Requirement) Regulation, 2015, please find enclosed herewith the Annual Report 2024-25 together with Notice of 12<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting ("AGM") of the Company scheduled to be held on Tuesday, 23<sup>rd</sup> September, 2025 at 1:00 PM (IST) through Video Conferencing ("VC")/Other Audio Visual Means ("OAVM") in accordance with the applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 ("Act, 2013") and Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) & SEBI General Circulars.

The Annual Report for the Financial Year 2024-25 along with the Notice of the AGM is also made available on the Company website, viz. https://www.gcmcap.com/

Kindly take the above on your record.

Thanking You,

Yours Faithfully,
For GCM CAPITAL ADVISORS LIMITED

MANISH BAID
DIN: 00239347
NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Enclosed: As stated above

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**Annual Report 2024-25** 

## Corporate Identification No.: L74110MH2013PLC243163

## **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

Manish Baid Chairman & Managing Director

Urmi Bose Independent Director
Suman Das Independent Director
Akshaya Suved Chavan Independent Director

## **KEY MANAGERIAL PERSONNEL**

Rohit Pandey Chief Financial Officer Neha Sarawagi Company Secretary

#### **AUDITORS**

SPML& Associates

Chartered Accountants, Mumbai

#### **BANKERS**

**ICICI Bank Limited** 

#### **REGISTERD OFFICE**

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## **REGISTRAR & SHARE TRANSFER AGENT**

S. K. Infosolutions Private Limited D/42, Katju Nagar (Near South City Mall), Ground Floor, Katju Nagar Bazar, Jadavpur, Kolkata -700032

## **ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

Date 23<sup>rd</sup> September, 2025

Time 1:00 PM (IST) Mode VC/OAVM

#### **DEEMED VANUE OF MEETING**

805, Raheja Center, 214, Free Press Journal Marg Nariman Point, Mumbai-400021 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Report 2024 - 2025

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AGM will be held through Video Conferencing (VC) / Other Audio Visual Means (OAVM)

#### **Notice**

Notice is hereby given that the 12<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting of the members of **GCM Capital Advisors Limited** will be held on Tuesday, 23<sup>rd</sup> September, 2025 at 1:00 PM (IST) through Video Conferencing (VC) / Other Audio Visual Means (OAVM) without the physical presence of the Members at a common venue, in compliance with Ministry of Corporate Affairs General Circular No.09/2024 dated September 19, 2024 and SEBI Circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/CFD-PoD-/P/CIR/2024/133, dated October 3, 2024, to transact the following businesses as:

#### **ORDINARY BUSINESS:**

- 1. To receive, consider and adopt the audited Standalone Financial Statements of the Company for the financial year ended March 31, 2025 along with the Reports of the Board of Directors and the Auditors thereon.
- 2. To appoint Director in place of Mr. Manish Baid (DIN: 00239347) as a Director, who retires by rotation, being eligible, offers himself of re-appointment.

**Explanation**: Based on the terms of appointment, office of Executive Directors and the Non-Executive & Non-Independent chairman are subject to retirement by rotation. Mr. Manish Baid, who was appointed on August 18, 2023, whose office is liable to retire at the ensuing AGM, being eligible, seeks re-appointment. Based on performance evaluation and the recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee, the Board recommends his re-appointment.

Therefore, members are requested to consider and if thought fit, to pass the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Section 152 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013, Manish Baid (DIN: 00239347), who retires by rotation, be and is hereby re-appointed as a Director liable to retire by rotation."

#### **SPECIAL BUSINESS:**

3. To appoint M/s Kriti Daga as Secretarial Auditor and to fix their remuneration

To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modification(s), the following Resolution as an **ORDINARY RESOLUTION**:

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Regulation 24A of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 as amended from time to time read with provisions of Section 204 of the Companies Act, 2013 &. Rule 9 of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014 including any amendment, modification or variation thereof, M/s Kriti Daga, practicing Company Secretaries (ACS No. 26425, C.P. No. 14023, Peer Review Certificate No. 2380/2022), be and are hereby appointed as the Secretarial Auditors of the Company, for a period of five (5) years and to hold office from the conclusion of this 12<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting till the conclusion of the 17<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting of the Company to be held in the year 2030, to conduct Secretarial Audit of the Company in terms of Section 204 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Regulation 24A and other applicable provisions of the SEBI Listing Regulations, for the period beginning from the Financial Year 2025-26 through the Financial Year 2029-30, at such remuneration as may be mutually agreed upon between the Board, based on the recommendation(s) of the Audit Committee, and the Secretarial Auditors of the Company.

"RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors (which term includes a duly constituted Committee of the Board of Directors) be and is hereby authorized to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things as may be considered necessary, desirable and expedient to give effect to this Resolution and / or otherwise considered by them to be in the best interest of the Company."

The above appointment of M/s Kriti Daga as secretarial auditor of the Company is recommended by the Board of Directors.

#### Note:

The Company's Statutory Auditor, M/s SPML & Associates, Chartered Accountants, Mumbai (FRN -136549W) were appointed as Statutory Auditor's for a period of five consecutive years at the 10<sup>th</sup> AGM of the Company held on 28<sup>th</sup> September 2023 on remuneration to be determined by the Board of Directors.

Pursuant to the amendments made to Section 139 of the Companies Act, 2013 by the Companies (Amendment) Act, 2017, which came into effect from  $7^{th}$  May 2018, the requirement of seeking ratification of the Members for the appointment of the Statutory Auditor has been withdrawn from the Statute.

In view of the above, ratification of the Members for continuance of their appointment at this AGM is not being sought. The Statutory Auditors have given a confirmation to the effect that they are eligible to continue with their appointment and have not been disqualified in any manner from continuing as Statutory Auditor. The remuneration payable to the Statutory Auditor shall be determined by the Board of Directors based on the recommendation of the Audit Committee.

Mumbai, August 29, 2025

By order of the Board For **GCM Capital Advisors Limited** 

#### Registered Office:

805, Raheja Center, 214, Free Press Journal Marg Nariman Point, Mumbai-400021 Sd/-**Neha Sarawagi** Company Secretary

#### Notes:

- 1. The relevant details of the Directors as mentioned under Item No(s). 2 above as required by Regulation 36(3) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("the Listing Regulations") and as required under Secretarial Standard 2 on General Meetings issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India, is annexed hereto.
- 2. Pursuant to the circular number nos. 14/2020 dated April 08, 2020, 17/2020 dated April 13, 2020, 10/2021 dated June 23, 2021, 20/2022 dated May 05, 2022, 11/2022 dated December 28, 2022, 09/2023 dated September 25, 2023 and 09/2024 dated September 19, 2024 issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs ("MCA Circulars"), and all other relevant circulars issued from time to time, physical attendance of the Members to the EGM/AGM venue is not required and general meeting be held through video conferencing (VC) or other audio visual means (OAVM). Hence, Members can attend and participate in the ensuing AGM through VC/OAVM.
- 3. Pursuant to the Circular No. 14/2020 dated April 08, 2020, issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs, the facility to appoint proxy to attend and cast vote for the members is not available for this AGM. However, the Body Corporates are entitled to appoint authorised representatives to attend the AGM through VC/OAVM and participate there at and cast their votes through e-voting.
- 4. In terms of the MCA Circulars since the physical attendance of Members has been dispensed with, there is no requirement of appointment of proxies. Accordingly, the facility of appointment of proxies by Members to attend and cast vote on their behalf under Section 105 of the Act will not be available for the 12<sup>th</sup> AGM and hence the Proxy Form and Attendance Slip are not annexed to this Notice. However, in pursuance of Section 112 and Section 113 of the Act, representatives of the Corporate Members may be appointed for the purpose of voting through remote e-Voting, for participation in the 12<sup>th</sup> AGM through VC/OAVM Facility and e-Voting during the 12<sup>th</sup> AGM.
- 5. Corporate Members are required to send a scanned copy (PDF / JPG Format) of its Board or governing body Resolution/Authorization, etc., authorizing its representative to attend the AGM through VC / OAVM on its behalf and to vote through remote e-voting to S. K. Infosolutions Private Limited, Registrar and Transfer Agent, by e-mail through its registered e-mail address to <a href="mailto:skcdilip@gmail.com">skcdilip@gmail.com</a> with a copy marked to <a href="mailto:gcmcap@gmail.com">gcmcap@gmail.com</a>
- 6. In compliance with the aforesaid MCA Circulars, Notice of the AGM along with the Annual Report 2024-25 is being sent only through electronic mode to those Members whose e-mail addresses are registered with the Company or CDSL / NSDL ("Depositories"). Members may note that the Notice and Annual Report 2024-25 will also be available on the Company's website <a href="www.gcmcap.com">www.gcmcap.com</a>, websites of the Stock Exchanges i.e. BSE Limited at <a href="www.bseindia.com">www.bseindia.com</a>.
- 7. The attendance of the Members attending the AGM through VC/OAVM will be counted for the purpose of reckoning the quorum under Section 103 of the Companies Act, 2013.
- 8. In line with the Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) Circular No. 17/2020 dated April 13, 2020, the Notice calling the AGM has been uploaded on the website of the Company at www.gcmcap.com. The Notice can also be accessed from the websites of the Stock Exchanges i.e. BSE Limited at www.bseindia.com and the AGM Notice is also available on the website of NSDL (agency for providing the Remote e-Voting facility) i.e. www.evoting.nsdl.com.
- 9. The Register of Member and the Share Transfer Books of the Company will remain closed from 17<sup>th</sup> September 2025 to 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2025 (both days inclusive).
- 10. Members whose email address are not registered can register the same in the following manner:
  - Members holding share(s) in physical mode can register their e-mail ID by sending an email to the Company
    by providing requisite details of their holdings and documents for registering their e-mail address; and

- Members holding share(s) in electronic mode are requested to register / update their e-mail address with their respective Depository Participants "DPs" for receiving all communications from the Company electronically.
- 11. The Company has engaged the services of NSDL as the authorized agency for conducting of the e-AGM and providing e-voting facility.
- The meeting shall be deemed to be held at the Registered Office of the Company at 805, Raheja Center, 214, Free Press Journal Marg, Nariman Point, Mumbai-400021.
- 13. Since the AGM will be held through VC / OAVM, the Route Map is not annexed in this Notice.
- All documents referred to in the accompanying Notice and the Explanatory Statement can be obtained for inspection by writing to the Company at its email ID <a href="mailto:gcmcap@gmail.com">gcmcap@gmail.com</a> till the date of AGM.
- 15. Members are advised to refer to the section titled 'Investor Information' provided in this Annual Report.
- 16. To prevent fraudulent transactions, Members are advised to exercise due diligence and notify the Company of any change in address or demise of any Member as soon as possible. Members are also advised to not leave their demat account(s) dormant for long. Periodic statement of holdings should be obtained from the concerned Depository Participant and holdings should be verified from time to time.
- 17. As per Regulation 40 of SEBI Listing Regulations, as amended, securities of listed companies can be transferred only in dematerialized form with effect from, April 1, 2019, except in case of request received for transmission or transposition of securities. In view of this and to eliminate all risks associated with physical shares and for ease of portfolio management, members holding shares in physical form are requested to consider converting their holdings to dematerialized form. Members can contact the Company or Company's Registrars and Transfer Agents, S. K. Infosolutions Private Limited ("RTA") for assistance in this regard.
- 18. Shareholders/Investors are advised to send their queries/complaints through the e-mail id <a href="mailto:gcmcap@gmail.com">gcmcap@gmail.com</a> for quick and prompt redressal of their grievances.
- 19. Members seeking any information with regard to the accounts or any matter to be placed at the AGM are requested to write to the Company on or before September 16, 2025 through email on <a href="mailto:gcmcap@gmail.com">gcmcap@gmail.com</a>. The same will be replied by the Company suitably.
- 20. Members are requested to intimate changes, if any, pertaining to their name, postal address, email address, telephone/ mobile numbers, Permanent Account Number (PAN), mandates, nominations, power of attorney, bank details such as, name of the bank and branch details, bank account number, MICR code, IFSC code, etc., to their DPs in case the shares are held by them in electronic form and to RTA in case the shares are held by them in physical form.
- 21. Pursuant to Section 72 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 19(1) of the Rules made thereunder, Shareholders are entitled to make nomination in respect of shares held by them in physical form. Shareholders desirous of making nominations are requested to send their requests in Form SH-13, which is available on the website of the Company.
- 22. Members holding shares in physical form, in identical order of names, in more than one folio are requested to send to the Company or RTA, the details of such folios together with the share certificates for consolidating their holdings in one folio. A consolidated share certificate will be issued to such Members after making requisite changes.
- 23. In case of joint holders, the Member whose name appears as the first holder in the order of names as per the Register of Members of the Company will be entitled to vote.
- Your attention is invited on the Companies (Significant Beneficial Ownership) Amendment Rules, 2019 issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs on 8<sup>th</sup> February 2019. A person is considered as a Significant Beneficial Owner (SBO) if he/she, whether acting alone, together or through one or more individuals or trust holds a beneficial interest of at least 10%. The beneficial interest could be in the form of a company's shares or the right to exercise significant influence or control over the company. If any Shareholders holding shares in the Company on behalf of other or fulfilling the criteria, is required to give a declaration specifying the nature of his/her interest and other essential particulars in the prescribed manner and within the permitted time frame.
- 25. The Members can join the AGM in the VC/OAVM mode 15 minutes before and after the scheduled time of the commencement of the Meeting by following the procedure mentioned in the Notice. The facility of participation at the AGM through VC/OAVM will be made available for 1000 members on first come first served basis. This will not include large Shareholders (Shareholders holding 2% or more shareholding), Promoters, Institutional Investors, Directors, Key Managerial Personnel, the Chairpersons of the Audit Committee, Nomination and Remuneration

Committee and Stakeholders Relationship Committee, Auditors etc. who are allowed to attend the AGM without restriction on account of first come first served basis.

- 26. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) has recently mandated furnishing of PAN, KYC details (i.e., Postal Address with Pin Code, email address, mobile number, and bank account details) and nomination details by holders of securities. Effective from 1<sup>st</sup> January 2022, any service requests or complaints received from the member will not be processed by RTA till the aforesaid details/ documents are provided to RTA. On or after 1<sup>st</sup> April 2023, in case any of the above cited documents/ details are not available in the Folio(s), RTA shall be constrained to freeze such Folio(s). Relevant details and forms prescribed by SEBI in this regard are available on the website of the Company at <a href="https://www.gcmcap.com">www.gcmcap.com</a>.
- 27. Members may note that, in terms of the Listing Regulations Equity Shares of the Company can only be transferred in dematerialised form.
- 28. The Register of Directors and Key Managerial Personnel and their shareholding maintained under Section 170 of the Act shall be made available at the commencement of the meeting and shall remain open and accessible to the members during the continuance of the 12<sup>th</sup> AGM. During the 12<sup>th</sup> AGM, Members may access the scanned copy of these documents, upon Log-in to NSDL e-Voting system at https://www.evoting.nsdl.com.
- 29. Details as required under Regulation 36 of the Listing Regulations and Secretarial Standard on General Meeting (SS-2) issued by The Institute of Company Secretaries of India, in respect of the appointment of Auditors and Directors seeking appointment/re-appointment at the 12<sup>th</sup> AGM, forms an integral part of the Notice of the 12<sup>th</sup> AGM. Requisite declarations have been received from the Auditors and Directors seeking appointment/ reappointment.
- 30. Instructions for attending the AGM and e-voting are as follows:

#### A. Instructions for attending the AGM:

- 1. Members will be able to attend the AGM through VC/OAVM or view the live webcast of AGM by using their remote e-voting login credentials and selecting the 'Event' for Company's AGM. Members who do not have the User ID and Password for e-voting or have forgotten the User ID and Password may retrieve the same by following the remote e-voting instructions mentioned in the Notice. Further, Members can also use the OTP based login for logging into the e-voting system.
- 2. The Members can join the AGM in the VC/OAVM mode 15 minutes before and after the scheduled time of the commencement of the Meeting by following the procedure mentioned in the Notice.
- 3. Facility of joining the AGM through VC / OAVM shall be available for 1000 members on first come first served basis. However, the participation of members holding 2% or more shares, promoters, and Institutional Investors, directors, key managerial personnel, chairpersons of Audit Committee, Stakeholders Relationship Committee, Nomination and Remuneration Committee and Auditors are not restricted on first come first serve basis.
- B. PROCESS FOR THOSE SHAREHOLDERS WHOSE EMAIL ADDRESSES ARE NOT REGISTERED WITH THE DEPOSITORIES FOR OBTAINING LOGIN CREDENTIALS FOR E-VOTING FOR THE RESOLUTIONS PROPOSED IN THIS NOTICE:

For Physical shareholders- please provide necessary details like Folio No., Name of shareholder, scanned copy of the share certificate (front and back), PAN (self-attested scanned copy of PAN card), AADHAR (self-attested scanned copy of Aadhaar Card) by email to RTA / Company email id at <a href="mailto:skcdilip@gmail.com">skcdilip@gmail.com</a> or <a href="mailto:gcmcap@gmail.com">gcmcap@gmail.com</a>.

For Demat shareholders - please provide Demat account details (CDSL-16 digit beneficiary ID or NSDL-16 digit DPID + CLID), Name, client master or copy of Consolidated Account Statement, PAN (self-attested scanned copy of PAN card), AADHAR (self-attested scanned copy of Aadhaar Card) to RTA / Company email id at <a href="mailto:skcdilip@gmail.com">skcdilip@gmail.com</a> or <a href="mailto:gcmcap@gmail.com">gcmcap@gmail.com</a>.

The Company/RTA shall co-ordinate with NSDL and to provide the login credentials to the above mentioned shareholders.

## C. Voting through Electronic means -

4. Pursuant to the provisions of Section 108 of the Act read with Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 (as amended), Secretarial Standard on General Meetings (SS-2) issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India ("ICSI") and Regulation 44 of Listing Regulations read with MCA Circulars, the Company is providing remote e-Voting facility to its members in respect of the business to be transacted at the 12<sup>th</sup> AGM and facility for those members participating in the 12<sup>th</sup> AGM to cast vote through e-Voting system during the 12<sup>th</sup> AGM. For this purpose, NSDL will be providing

facility for voting through remote e-Voting, for participation in the 12<sup>th</sup> AGM through VC/ OAVM facility and e-Voting during the 12<sup>th</sup> AGM.

- 5. The Company has approached NSDL for providing e-voting services through our e-voting platform. In this regard, your Demat Account/Folio Number has been enrolled by the Company for your participation in e-voting on resolution placed by the Company on e-Voting system.
- 6. The Members who have cast their vote by remote e-voting prior to the AGM may also attend/ participate in the AGM through VC / OAVM but shall not be entitled to cast their vote again.
- 7. The Members present in the AGM through VC / OAVM facility and have not cast their vote on the Resolutions through remote e-voting, and are otherwise not barred from doing so, shall be eligible to vote through e-voting system during the AGM.
- 8. The e-voting period commences on Saturday, September 20, 2025 (9:00 am) and ends on Monday, September 22, 2025 (5:00 pm). The remote e-voting module shall be disabled by NSDL for voting thereafter. The Members, whose names appear in the Register of Members / Beneficial Owners as on the record date (cut-off date) i.e. September 16, 2025, may cast their vote electronically. The voting right of shareholders shall be in proportion to their share in the paid-up equity share capital of the Company as on the cut-off date, being September 16, 2025.
- 9. Any person, who acquires shares of the Company and become member of the Company after emailing of the notice and holding shares as of the cut-off date i.e. September 16, 2025, may obtain the login ID and password by sending a request at <a href="mailto:evoting@nsdl.com">evoting@nsdl.com</a> or <a href="mailto:skedilip@gmail.com">skedilip@gmail.com</a>.
- 10. The Board of Directors has appointed CS Kriti Daga, Practicing Company Secretary (Membership No. A26425) as the Scrutinizer to scrutinize the voting during the AGM and remote e-voting process in a fair and transparent manner.

## How do I vote electronically using NSDL e-Voting system?

The way to vote electronically on NSDL e-Voting system consists of "Two Steps" which are mentioned below:

## Step 1: Log-in to NSDL e-Voting system

## A) Login method for e-Voting and joining virtual meeting for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode

In terms of SEBI circular dated December 9, 2020 on e-Voting facility provided by Listed Companies, Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode are allowed to vote through their demat account maintained with Depositories and Depository Participants. Shareholders are advised to update their mobile number and email Id in their demat accounts in order to access e-Voting facility.

Login method for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode is given below:

Type of shareholders	Login Method	
Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with NSDL.	1. If you are already registered for NSDL IDeAS facility, please visit the e-Services website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the following URL: <a href="https://eservices.nsdl.com/">https://eservices.nsdl.com/</a> either on a Personal Computer or on a mobile. Once the home page of e-Services is launched, click on the "Beneficial Owner" icon under "Login" which is available under "IDeAS" section. A new screen will open. You will have to enter your User ID and Password. After successful authentication, you will be able to see e-Voting services. Click on "Access to e-Voting" under e-Voting services and you will be able to see e-Voting page. Click on options available against company name or e-Voting service provider - NSDL and you will be re-directed to NSDL e-Voting website for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting.	
	<ol> <li>If the user is not registered for IDeAS e-Services, option to register is available at <a href="https://eservices.nsdl.com">https://eservices.nsdl.com</a>. Select "Register Online for IDeAS" Portal or click at <a href="https://eservices.nsdl.com/SecureWeb/IdeasDirectReg.jsp">https://eservices.nsdl.com/SecureWeb/IdeasDirectReg.jsp</a></li> </ol>	
	3. Visit the e-Voting website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the	

following URL: <a href="https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/">https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/</a> either on a Personal Computer or on a mobile. Once the home page of e-Voting system is launched, click on the icon "Login" which is available under 'Shareholder/Member' section. A new screen will open. You will have to enter your User ID (i.e. your sixteen digit demat account number held with NSDL), Password/OTP and a Verification Code as shown on the screen. After successful authentication, you will be redirected to NSDL Depository site wherein you can see e-Voting page. Click on options available against company name or e-Voting service provider - NSDL and you will be redirected to e-Voting website of NSDL for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting.

4. Shareholders/Members can also download NSDL Mobile App "NSDL Speede" facility by scanning the QR code mentioned below for seamless voting experience.

#### **NSDL** Mobile App is available on









Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with CDSL

- Users who have opted for CDSL Easi / Easiest facility, can login through their existing user id and password. Option will be made available to reach e-Voting page without any further authentication. The users to login Easi /Easiest are requested to visit CDSL website www.cdslindia.com and click on login icon & New System Myeasi Tab and then user your existing my easi username & password.
- 2. After successful login the Easi / Easiest user will be able to see the e-Voting option for eligible companies where the evoting is in progress as per the information provided by company. On clicking the evoting option, the user will be able to see e-Voting page of the e-Voting service provider for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting. Additionally, there is also links provided to access the system of all e-Voting Service Providers, so that the user can visit the e-Voting service providers' website directly.
- If the user is not registered for Easi/Easiest, option to register is available at CDSL website <u>www.cdslindia.com</u> and click on login & New System Myeasi Tab and then click on registration option.
- 4. Alternatively, the user can directly access e-Voting page by providing Demat Account Number and PAN No. from a e-Voting link available on www.cdslindia.com home page. The system will authenticate the user by sending OTP on registered Mobile & Email as recorded in the Demat Account. After successful authentication, user will be able to see the e-Voting option where the e-voting is in progress and also able to directly access the system of all e-Voting Service Providers.

Individual Shareholders (holding securities in demat mode) login through their depository participants You can also login using the login credentials of your demat account through your Depository Participant registered with NSDL/CDSL for e-Voting facility. Once login, you will be able to see e-Voting option. Once you click on e-Voting option, you will be redirected to NSDL/CDSL Depository site after successful authentication, wherein you can see e-Voting feature. Click on options available against company name or e-Voting service provider-NSDL and you will be redirected to e-Voting website of NSDL for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting.

**Important Note:** Members who are unable to retrieve User ID/ Password are advised to use Forget User ID and Forget Password option available at abovementioned website.

Helpdesk for Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode for any technical issues related to login through Depository i.e. NSDL and CDSL.

Login type	Helpdesk details
Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with NSDL	Members facing any technical issue in login can contact NSDL helpdesk by sending a request at <a href="mailto:evoting@nsdl.com">evoting@nsdl.com</a> or call at 022 - 4886 7000
Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with CDSL	Members facing any technical issue in login can contact CDSL helpdesk by sending a request at <a href="https://helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com">helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com</a> or contact at toll free no. 1800-21-09911

B) Login Method for shareholders other than Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode and shareholders holding securities in physical mode.

#### How to Log-in to NSDL e-Voting website?

- 1. Visit the e-Voting website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the following URL: <a href="https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/">https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/</a> either on a Personal Computer or on a mobile.
- 2. Once the home page of e-Voting system is launched, click on the icon "Login" which is available under 'Shareholder/Member' section.
- 3. A new screen will open. You will have to enter your User ID, your Password/OTP and a Verification Code as shown on the screen.
  - a) Alternatively, if you are registered for NSDL eservices i.e. IDEAS, you can log-in at <a href="https://eservices.nsdl.com/">https://eservices.nsdl.com/</a> with your existing IDEAS login. Once you log-in to NSDL eservices after using your log-in credentials, click on e-Voting and you can proceed to Step 2 i.e. cast your vote electronically.
- 4. Your User ID details are given below :

Manner of holding shares i.e. Demat (NSDL or CDSL) or Physical	Your User ID is:
a) For Members who hold shares in demat account with NSDL.	8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digit Client ID For example if your DP ID is IN300*** and Client ID is 12***** then your user ID is IN300***12*****.
b) For Members who hold shares in demat account with CDSL.	16 Digit Beneficiary ID  For example if your Beneficiary ID is 12******* then your user ID is 12************************************
c) For Members holding shares in Physical Form.	EVEN Number followed by Folio Number registered with the company For example if folio number is 001*** and EVEN is 101456 then user ID is 101456001***

- 5. Password details for shareholders other than Individual shareholders are given below:
  - a) If you are already registered for e-Voting, then you can user your existing password to login and cast your vote.
  - b) If you are using NSDL e-Voting system for the first time, you will need to retrieve the 'initial password' which was communicated to you. Once you retrieve your 'initial password', you need to enter the 'initial password' and the system will force you to change your password.
  - c) How to retrieve your 'initial password'?
    - (i) If your email ID is registered in your demat account or with the company, your 'initial password' is communicated to you on your email ID. Trace the email sent to you from NSDL from your mailbox. Open the email and open the attachment i.e. a .pdf file. Open the .pdf file. The password to open the .pdf file is your 8 digit client ID for NSDL account, last 8 digits of client ID for CDSL account or folio number for shares held in physical

form. The .pdf file contains your 'User ID' and your 'initial password'.

- (ii) If your email ID is not registered, please follow steps mentioned below in **process for** those shareholders whose email ids are not registered
- 6. If you are unable to retrieve or have not received the "Initial password" or have forgotten your password:
  - a) Click on "Forgot User Details/Password?"(If you are holding shares in your demat account with NSDL or CDSL) option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com.
  - b) **Physical User Reset Password?**" (If you are holding shares in physical mode) option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com.
  - c) If you are still unable to get the password by aforesaid two options, you can send a request at evoting@nsdl.com mentioning your demat account number/folio number, your PAN, your name and your registered address etc.
  - d) Members can also use the OTP (One Time Password) based login for casting the votes on the e-Voting system of NSDL.
- 7. After entering your password, tick on Agree to "Terms and Conditions" by selecting on the check box.
- 8. Now, you will have to click on "Login" button.
- 9. After you click on the "Login" button, Home page of e-Voting will open.

### Step 2: Cast your vote electronically and join General Meeting on NSDL e-Voting system.

## How to cast your vote electronically and join General Meeting on NSDL e-Voting system?

- 1. After successful login at Step 1, you will be able to see all the companies "EVEN" in which you are holding shares and who's voting cycle and General Meeting is in active status.
- 2. Select "EVEN" of company for which you wish to cast your vote during the remote e-Voting period and casting your vote during the General Meeting. For joining virtual meeting, you need to click on "VC/OAVM" link placed under "Join General Meeting".
- 3. Now you are ready for e-Voting as the Voting page opens.
- 4. Cast your vote by selecting appropriate options i.e. assent or dissent, verify/modify the number of shares for which you wish to cast your vote and click on "Submit" and also "Confirm" when prompted.
- 5. Upon confirmation, the message "Vote cast successfully" will be displayed.
- 6. You can also take the printout of the votes cast by you by clicking on the print option on the confirmation page.
- 7. Once you confirm your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.

## **General Guidelines for shareholders**

- Institutional shareholders (i.e. other than individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) are required to send scanned copy (PDF/JPG Format) of the relevant Board Resolution/ Authority letter etc. with attested specimen signature of the duly authorized signatory(ies) who are authorized to vote, to the Scrutinizer by e-mail to <a href="mailto:cskritidaga@gmail.com">cskritidaga@gmail.com</a> with a copy marked to <a href="mailto:evoting@nsdl.com">evoting@nsdl.com</a>.
- 2. It is strongly recommended not to share your password with any other person and take utmost care to keep your password confidential. Login to the e-voting website will be disabled upon five unsuccessful attempts to key in the correct password. In such an event, you will need to go through the "Forgot User Details/Password?" or "Physical User Reset Password?" option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com to reset the password.
- 3. In case of any queries, you may refer the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) for Shareholders and e-voting user manual for Shareholders available at the download section of <u>www.evoting.nsdl.com</u> or call on o22 - 4886 7000 or send a request to Ms. Pallavi Mhatre, Senior Manager at <u>evoting@nsdl.com</u>

Process for those shareholders whose email ids are not registered with the depositories for procuring user id and password and registration of e mail ids for e-voting for the resolutions set out in this notice:

- 1. In case shares are held in physical mode please provide Folio No., Name of shareholder, scanned copy of the share certificate (front and back), PAN (self-attested scanned copy of PAN card), AADHAR (self-attested scanned copy of Aadhar Card) by email to <a href="mailto:gcmcap@gmail.com">gcmcap@gmail.com</a>
- 2. In case shares are held in demat mode, please provide DPID-CLID (16 digit DPID + CLID or 16 digit beneficiary ID), Name, client master or copy of Consolidated Account statement, PAN (self-attested scanned copy of PAN card), AADHAR (self-attested scanned copy of Aadhar Card) to <a href="mailto:gcmcap@gmail.com">gcmcap@gmail.com</a>. If you are an Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode, you are requested to refer to the login method explained at step 1 (A) i.e. <a href="Login method for e-Voting and joining virtual meeting for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode">Login method for e-Voting and joining virtual meeting for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode.</a>
- 3. Alternatively shareholder/members may send a request to <a href="evoting@nsdl.com">evoting@nsdl.com</a> for procuring user id and password for e-voting by providing above mentioned documents.
- 4. In terms of SEBI circular dated December 9, 2020 on e-Voting facility provided by Listed Companies, Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode are allowed to vote through their demat account maintained with Depositories and Depository Participants. Shareholders are required to update their mobile number and email ID correctly in their demat account in order to access e-Voting facility.

#### THE INSTRUCTIONS FOR MEMBERS FOR e-VOTING ON THE DAY OF THE AGM ARE AS UNDER:-

- 1. The procedure for e-Voting on the day of the AGM is same as the instructions mentioned above for remote e-voting.
- 2. Only those Members/ shareholders, who will be present in the AGM through VC/OAVM facility and have not casted their vote on the Resolutions through remote e-Voting and are otherwise not barred from doing so, shall be eligible to vote through e-Voting system in the AGM.
- 3. Members who have voted through Remote e-Voting will be eligible to attend the AGM. However, they will not be eligible to vote at the AGM.
- 4. The details of the person who may be contacted for any grievances connected with the facility for e-Voting on the day of the AGM shall be the same person mentioned for Remote e-voting.

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR MEMBERS FOR ATTENDING THE AGM THROUGH VC/OAVM ARE AS UNDER:

- 1. Member will be provided with a facility to attend the AGM through VC/OAVM through the NSDL e-Voting system. Members may access by following the steps mentioned above for Access to NSDL e-Voting system. After successful login, you can see link of "VC/OAVM link" placed under "Join General meeting" menu against company name. You are requested to click on VC/OAVM link placed under Join General Meeting menu. The link for VC/OAVM will be available in Shareholder/Member login where the EVEN of Company will be displayed. Please note that the members who do not have the User ID and Password for e-Voting or have forgotten the User ID and Password may retrieve the same by following the remote e-Voting instructions mentioned in the notice to avoid last minute rush.
- 2. Members are encouraged to join the Meeting through Laptops for better experience.
- 3. Further Members will be required to allow Camera and use Internet with a good speed to avoid any disturbance during the meeting.
- 4. When a pre-registered speaker is invited to speak at the meeting, but he/ she does not respond, the next speaker will be invited to speak. Accordingly, all speakers are requested to get connected to a device with a video/ camera along with good internet speed.
- 5. Please note that Participants Connecting from Mobile Devices or Tablets or through Laptop connecting via Mobile Hotspot may experience Audio/Video loss due to Fluctuation in their respective network. It is therefore recommended to use Stable Wi-Fi or LAN Connection to mitigate any kind of aforesaid glitches.
- 6. Shareholders, who would like to express their views/have questions may send their questions in advance mentioning their name demat account number/folio number, email id, mobile number at <a href="mailto:gcmcap@gmail.com">gcmcap@gmail.com</a>. The same will be replied by the company suitably.

## **OTHER INSTRUCTIONS**

1. The Scrutinizer shall, immediately after the conclusion of voting at the AGM, first count the votes cast during the AGM, thereafter unblock the votes cast through remote e-voting and make, not later than 48 hours of

conclusion of the AGM, a consolidated Scrutinizer's Report of the total votes cast in favour or against, if any, to the Chairman or a person authorised by her in writing, who shall countersign the same.

2. The result declared along with the Scrutinizer's Report shall be placed on the Company's website <a href="https://www.gcmcap.com">www.gcmcap.com</a> immediately. The Company shall simultaneously forward the results to BSE Limited (BSE) where the shares of the Company are listed.

## EXPLANATORY STATEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 102 OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013 AND SECRETARIAL STANDARD-2 ON GENERAL MEETINGS FORMING PART OF THE NOTICE

#### ITEM No. 3:

#### Appointment of M/s Kriti Daga as Secretarial Auditor and to fix their remuneration

The Board of Directors at its meeting held on August 29, 2025, on the recommendation of Audit Committee, approved the appointment of M/s. Kriti Daga, Practicing Company Secretaries (Peer Review Certificate No. 2380/2022) as the Secretarial Auditors of the Company for five consecutive years commencing from FY 2025-2026 till FY 2029- 2030.

Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) had amended SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ('SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015') on December 12, 2024, amended Regulations 24A of SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015 provides specific guidelines for appointing and re-appointing Secretarial Auditors w.e.f April 01, 2025.

Regulations 24A of SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015 states that on the basis of recommendation of Board of Directors, a listed entity shall appoint or re-appoint an individual as Secretarial Auditor for not more than one term of five consecutive years; or a Secretarial Audit firm as Secretarial Auditor for not more than two terms of five consecutive years, with the approval of its shareholders in its Annual General Meeting.

Accordingly, based on the recommendations of the Audit Committee and the Board of Directors, it is hereby proposed to appoint M/s Kriti Daga, Practicing Company Secretaries (ACS No. 26425, C.P. No. 14023), as the Secretarial Auditors of the Company for a period of 5 consecutive years from financial year 2025-26 to financial year 2029-30 pursuant to provisions of Section 204 of the Companies Act read with Rule 9 of Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force) and Regulation 24(A) of SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015.

**Term of Appointment**: Appointment for a term of 5 (Five) consecutive years from the conclusion of ensuing 12<sup>th</sup> AGM, subject to the approval of Equity Shareholders at the ensuing 12<sup>th</sup> AGM of the Company. The proposed fees payable to the Secretarial Auditors in Rs. 50,000/- (Rupees Fifty thousand only) per year plus out of pocket expenses for the first year and for subsequent years, which may be subject to revision if and as mutually agreed between the Board and the Auditors.

**Brief Profile**: Kriti Daga is first of its kind, a mega-firm of Company Secretaries in Practice having wide expertise in the legal, secretarial and financial arena. The firm has been created by highly experienced practicing professionals having wide range of domain expertise with an aim of providing its clientele multi-disciplinary, multi-geographic, high quality, legal, financial & secretarial services in a cost effective and simplified manner.

Considering the profile of the firm and practicing professionals associated with the firm, it has been recommended to appoint Kriti Daga as the Secretarial Auditors of the Company. The Board of Directors in its meeting held on August 29, 2025 have proposed to approve the appointment by way of passing an Ordinary Resolution.

None of the Directors, Key Managerial Personnel and their relatives are in any way concerned or interested in the said resolution.

Annexure A

DETAILS OF DIRECTORS SEEKING RE-APPOINTMENT & APPOINTMENT AT THE 12<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING (PURSUANT TO REGULATION 36(3) OF THE SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) REGULATIONS, 2015 AND (SS – 2 SECRETARIAL STANDARDS ON GENERAL MEETINGS):

Name of Director	Mr. Manish Baid
Directors' Identification No. (DIN)	00239347
Date of Birth	2 <sup>nd</sup> July 1976
Date of Appointment on Board	11 <sup>th</sup> October 2021
Qualification	B. Com., ACA
Experience	Rich Experience of more than 29 years in Project Management, Marketing, Capital Market, Financial Management, Implementing Policies and Cost Control.

	Expertise in Accounting and Taxation matters.
Terms & Conditions of Appointment / Reappointment	Appointed as Non-Executive, Non-independent Director, liable to retire by rotation
Remuneration details	Maximum of ₹ 5, 000/- per meeting plus out of pocket expenses at actuals.
Shareholding in Company	5,000 Equity Shares or 0.03% of Paid-up Capital in his own name and 15,000 Equity Shares or 0.09% of Paid-up Capital in the name of Family Members.
Relationship with the Company & Other Directors	Part of Promoter Group, however he does not have relations with other Directors
List of Directorships held in other Companies (excluding foreign, private and Section 8 Companies)	GCM Securities Limited
No. of Board Meeting attended during the year	6 (Six)
Memberships / Chairmanships of Audit and Stakeholders' relationship Committees across Other Public Companies (including this Company) as on date	Chairmanship – Nil Membership - 3
List of Companies wherefrom the Director has resigned during last 3 years (excluding foreign, private and Section 8 Companies)	Not Any
Declaration under Regulation 36(3) of SEBI LODR Regulations, 2015	The proposed Director meets the skills and capabilities required for the role and the manner in which the candidature of Mr. Manish Baid is proposed for Directorship

Mumbai, August 29, 2025

By order of the Board For **GCM Capital Advisors Limited** 

## Registered Office:

805, Raheja Center, 214, Free Press Journal Marg, Nariman Point, Mumbai-400021 Sd/-**Neha Sarawagi** Company Secretary

## **GCM Capital Advisors Limited**

CIN: L74110MH2013PLC243163

Regd. Office: 805, Raheja Center, 214, Free Press Journal Marg, Nariman Point, Mumbai-400021 Tel: +91 22 2204 9995, Email: gcmcap@gmail.com; Website: www.gcmcap.com

Dear Members,

## Sub: Intimation to furnish valid PAN, KYC details and Nomination

Securities and Exchange Board of India ('SEBI') has mandated vide its SEBI/HO/MIRSD/MIRSD\_RTAMB/P/CIR/2021/655 dated November 03, 2021 and subsequent clarification vide Circular No. SEBI/HO/MIRSD/MIRSD\_RTAMB/P/CIR/2021/687 dated December 14, 2021 for all the security holders holding securities in physical form to furnish the below mentioned forms duly filled in along with proper details and the relevant self-attested documents with date to the Company or its Registrar and Share Transfer Agent ('RTA') S. K. Infosolutions Private Limited. However, SEBI has clarified vide email dated January 11, 2022 that the aforesaid Circular is not applicable for requests received from the investors pertaining to dematerialization of securities.

Please note that the folios, wherein any one of the below cited documents / details are not available on or after April o1, 2023, shall be frozen by the RTA.

S. No.	Form	Purpose
1.	Form ISR-1	Request for registering PAN, KYC details or changes / updation thereof.
2.	Form ISR-2	Confirmation of Signature of securities holder by the Banker
3.	Form ISR-3	Declaration Form for Opting-out of Nomination by holders of physical shares (if any)
4.	Form No. SH-13	Nomination Form
5.	Form No. SH-14	Cancellation or Variation of Nomination (if any)

Note: Above forms are available on Company website viz. www.gcmcap.com

#### The modes of submission of documents to the Company/RTA are any one of the followings:

- 1. In Person Verification (IPV): by producing the originals to the authorized person of the RTA, who will retain copy(ies) of the document(s)
- 2. In hard copy: by furnishing self-attested photo copy(ies) of the relevant document, with date
- Through e-mail address already registered with the RTA, with e-sign of scanned copies of documents
- Service portal of the RTA with e-sign with scanned copies of documents, if the RTA is providing such facility Explanation: E-Sign is an integrated service which facilitates issuing a Digital Signature Certificate and performing signing of requested data by eSign user. The holder/claimant may approach any of the empanelled eSign Service Provider, details of which are available on the website of Controller of Certifying Authorities (CCA), Ministry of Communications and Information Technology (https://cca.gov.in/) for the purpose of obtaining an e-sign.

Further please note that, from January 01, 2022, the RTA shall not process any service requests received from the holder(s) / claimant(s), till PAN, KYC and Nomination documents/details are received.

In view of the above, you are advised to furnish the aforesaid documents / forms / details to the Company or the RTA at the earliest possible at the following address:

Company	Registrar & Share Transfer Agent (RTA)
The Company Secretary/Managing Director	S. K. Infosolutions Private Limited
GCM Capital Advisors Limited	D/42, Katju Nagar (Near South City Mall), Ground Floor,
805, Raheja Center, 214, Free Press Journal Marg,	Katju Nagar Bazar, Jadavpur, Kolkata -700032
Nariman Point, Mumbai-400021	

All the above mentioned forms are enclosed to this notice for your convenience as well as also available on the website of the Company (i.e. www.qcmcap.com)

Thanking you,

Yours Faithfully,

For GCM Capital Advisors Limited

Sd/-

Neha Sarawagi

Company Secretary & Compliance Officer

Encl.: KYC Form

## **KYC FORM**

(Only for physical shareholding)

To,	re
The Secretarial Department  GCM Capital Advisors Limited  805, Raheja Center, 214, Free Press Journal Marg,	o No
Dear Sir/ Madam,	
We wish to update the KYC and in this matter are forwarding herewith t ticking in the appropriate checkbox below:	the required supporting documents by
A. For registering PAN of the registered and/ or joint shareholders (  Registered shareholder Joint holder 1 Joint l  Please attach self- attested legible copy of PAN card (exempted for	holder 2 Joint holder 3
B. For registering Bank details of the registered shareholder	
<ol> <li>In cases wherein the original cancelled cheque leaf has the s         Aadhar/ Passport/ Utility bill Original cancelled cheque Please note that Bank passbook/ Bank Statement should be dubank with his signature, name, employee code, designation, band date of attestation.     </li> <li>For updating the Specimen Signature of the registered and/ or join to cases wherein the original cancelled cheque leaf has the second content of the registered and/ or join to cases wherein the original cancelled cheque leaf has the second content of the registered and/ or join to case wherein the original cancelled cheque leaf has the second content of the registered and/ or join to case wherein the original cancelled cheque leaf has the second content of the registered and/ or join to case wherein the original cancelled cheque leaf has the second content of the registered and/ or join to case wherein the original cancelled cheque leaf has the second content of the registered and/ or join to case wherein the original cancelled cheque leaf has the second content of the registered and/ or join to case wherein the original cancelled cheque leaf has the second content of the registered and/ or join to case wherein the original cancelled cheque leaf has the second content of the registered and/ or join to case wherein the original cancelled cheque leaf has the second content of the registered and/ or join to case wherein the original cancelled cheque leaf has the second content of the registered and/ or join to case wherein the original cancelled cheque leaf has the second content of the registered and/ or join to case wherein the original cancelled cheque leaf has the second content of the registered and/ or join to case wherein the original cancelled cheque leaf has the second content of the registered and content of the registered a</li></ol>	hal cancelled cheque leaf shareholder's name printed on it le Bank Passbook/ Bank Stmt ly attested by the officer of the same lank seal & address stamp, phone no.  bint shareholders shareholder's name printed hal cancelled cheque leaf le shareholder's name printed on it heque Bank Passbook/ Stmt. ly attested by the officer of the same
D. For Updating the email id for the purpose of receiving all commu	unications in electronic mode
E. For updating the Mobile No  +91  I /We hereby state that the above mentioned details are towards updating the particulars based on the self-attested with this letter by affixing my/our signature(s) to it	
Sign:Sign:Sign:	Sign:
Registered holder Joint holder 1 Joint holder 2	

## **Directors' Report**

To

The Members,

Your Directors have pleasure in presenting the 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Report of your Company together with the Audited Statements of Accounts for the year ended March 31, 2025.

(₹ in Lakh)

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Financial Results	Year Ended	Year Ended
	31.03.2025	31.03.2024
Revenue for the year	225.84	141.66
Profit/(Loss) before Tax Depreciation, Financial Expenses and Tax	54.69	82.70
Less: Financial Expenses	5.34	6.47
Profit/(Loss) before Depreciation/Amortization and Tax (PBDT)	49-35	76.23
Less: Depreciation	25.52	36.95
Net Profit/(Loss) before Taxation (PBT)	23.83	39.28
Less: Provision for Taxation (including Deferred Tax)	6.43	4.62
Less: Prior period adjustments	35.29	-
Add: Extra-ordinary Items	-	-
Profit/(Loss) after Tax & Extra-ordinary Items	-17.89	34.66
Add/(Less) Other Comprehensive Income	-	-
Less: Prior year adjustment depreciation / PPE		1.18
Less: Prior year adjustment - Deferred tax on ECL		69.46
Less: Prior year adjustment - ECL		-267.14
Less: Provision for Dividend	-	-
Less: Transfer to General / Statutory Reserves	-	-
Profit/(Loss) available for Appropriation	-17.89	-161.84
Add: Profit/(Loss) brought forward from Previous Year	-802.81	-640.97
Balance of Profit/(Loss) carried forward	-820.71	-802.81

#### **OVERALL PERFORMANCE**

Total revenue for the year stood at ₹ 225.84 lakh in comparison to last years' revenue of ₹ 141.66 lakh. In term of Profit/(Loss) before taxation, the Company has earned profit of ₹ 23.83 lakh in comparison to last years' profit/(losses) of ₹ 39.28 lakh. Profit/(Loss) after Tax and Extra-Ordinary Items stood at ₹ (161.84) lakh in comparison to last financial year's profit/(loss) of ₹ (17.89) lakh.

The Company is in to the business of financing, trading and investments in Equity Shares and Commercial Papers.

#### **DIVIDEND AND RESERVES**

In the view of continuing losses your Director do not recommends any Dividend for the year under review.

During the year under review ₹ Nil was transferred to General Reserve.

#### **SHARE CAPITAL & LISTING**

The paid up Equity Share Capital as on March 31, 2025 was ₹ 16.94 Crore consisting of 1,69,40,000 Equity Shares of ₹ 10/each. During the year under review, the Company has not issued any share with differential voting rights; nor granted stock options nor sweat equity. As on March 31, 2025, none of the Directors and/or Key Managerial Person of the Company hold instruments convertible in to Equity Shares of the Company.

The Company's Equity Shares are listed on the BSE Limited ("BSE"). The Equity Shares are actively traded on BSE. The shares of the Company are not suspended from trading from BSE platform.

#### **CORPORATE GOVERNANCE**

Your directors believe that corporate governance is an ethically driven business process that is committed to values aimed at enhancing the growth of your Company. The endeavour is to continue and move forward as a responsible and sustainable Company in order to attract as well as retain talents, investors and to maintain fulfilling relationships with the communities and take all possible steps in the direction to re-write a new future for your Company.

We are committed to achieve the highest standards of ethics, transparency, corporate governance and continue to comply with the code of conduct framed for the Board and senior management under SEBI Listing Regulations and have maintained high standards of corporate governance based on the principle of effective implementation of internal control measures, adherence to the law and regulations and accountability at all levels of the organization.

Your Company's corporate governance practices are driven by effective and strong Board oversight, timely disclosures, transparent accounting policies and high levels of integrity in decision making. The corporate governance report of the Company for the Year Under Review as required under the applicable SEBI Listing Regulations is attached hereto and forms part of this report. The requisite certificate from Statutory Auditors, M/s S P M L & Associates, Chartered Accountants, confirming compliance with the conditions of corporate governance is attached to the corporate governance report.

#### **GENERAL RESERVES**

The General Reserve is used from time to time to transfer profits from retained earnings for appropriation purposes. As the General reserve is created by a transfer from one component of equity to another and is not an item of other comprehensive income, items included in the General reserve will not be reclassified subsequently to the statement of profit and loss.

#### **FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS**

As mandated by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs, the financial statements for the year ended on March 31, 2025 has been prepared in accordance with the Indian Accounting Standards (IND AS) notified under Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014. The estimates and judgements relating to the Financial Statements are made on a prudent basis, so as to reflect in a true and fair manner, the form and substance of transactions and reasonably present the Company's state of affairs, profits and cash flows for the year ended March 31, 2025.

Accounting policies have been consistently applied except where a newly issued accounting standard, if initially adopted or a revision to an existing accounting standard requires a change in the accounting policy hitherto in use. Management evaluates all recently issued or revised accounting standards on an ongoing basis. The Company discloses standalone financial results on a quarterly basis which are subjected to limited review and publishes standalone audited financial results on an annual basis.

The Company continues to focus on judicious management of its working capital, receivables, inventories and other working capital parameters were kept under strict check through continuous monitoring.

There is no audit qualification in the standalone financial statements by the statutory auditors for the year under review, except as stated on Page 22 of the Report.

#### **BUSINESS SEGMENT**

The Company is in to the business of financing, trading and investments in Equity Shares.

#### PARTICULARS OF LOANS, GUARANTEES & INVESTMENTS

Details of Loans, Guarantees and Investments, if any, covered under the provisions of Section 186 of the Companies Act, 2013 are given in the notes to the Financial Statements.

#### **SUBSIDIARY COMPANY**

The Company does not have any Subsidiary, Associate and Joint Venture during the reporting period. The Company also does not have any Subsidiary, Associate and Joint Venture Company who ceased to be Subsidiary, Associate and Joint Venture during the year.

## POLICY FOR DETERMINING MATERIAL SUBSIDIARY COMPANIES

The Company has formulated a "Policy for determining material Subsidiary Companies" of the Company. This policy is available on your Company's website at <a href="https://www.gcmcap.com/company-policies.html">https://www.gcmcap.com/company-policies.html</a>

#### **RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS**

All transactions entered into with related parties as defined under the Companies Act, 2013 during the financial year, were in the ordinary course of business and on an arm's length pricing basis in compliance of the requirements of the provisions of Section 188 of the Companies Act, 2013. There were no materially significant transactions with the related parties during the financial year, which were in conflict with the interest of the Company. The requisite details under Form AOC-2 in Annexure III have been provided elsewhere in this Report. Suitable disclosure as required by the Accounting Standard (Ind-AS 24) has been made in the notes to the Financial Statements.

All Related Party Transactions are placed before the Audit Committee for approval. Omnibus approval was obtained on a yearly basis for transactions which are of repetitive nature. A statement giving details of all Related Party Transactions are placed before the Audit Committee and the Board for review and approval on a quarterly basis.

None of the Directors has any pecuniary relationships or transactions vis-à-vis the Company

The Company has put in place a mechanism for certifying the Related Party Transactions Statements placed before the Audit Committee and the Board of Directors from an Independent Chartered Accountant Firm.

The Policy on materiality of and dealing with Related Party Transactions as approved by the Board is uploaded on the website of the Company and is accessible at the website of the Company. None of the Directors has any pecuniary relationship or transactions vis-à-vis the Company except remuneration and sitting fees.

In accordance with the provisions of the SEBI Listing Regulations, the Company has in place the Policy on dealing with Related Party Transactions which is available on its website at the link: <a href="https://www.gcmcap.com/company-policies.html">https://www.gcmcap.com/company-policies.html</a>

#### **MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION & ANALYSIS**

The Management Discussion and Analysis on the operations of the Company as prescribed under Part B of Schedule V read with regulation 34(3) of the Listing Regulations, 2015 is provided in a separate section and forms part of the Directors' Report.

#### MATERIAL CHANGES AFFECTING THE COMPANY

There have been no material changes and commitments affecting the financial position of the Company between the end of the financial year and date of this report. There has been no change in the nature of business of the Company.

#### CHANGE IN NATURE OF BUSINESS, IF ANY

There are no changes in the nature of business in the financial year 2024-25.

#### **BOARD EVALUATION**

The Board of Directors has carried out an annual evaluation of its own performance, board committees and individual directors pursuant to the provisions of the Act and SEBI Listing Regulations.

The performance of the Board was evaluated by the Board after seeking inputs from all the directors on the basis of criteria such as the board composition and structure, effectiveness of board processes, information and functioning, etc.

The performance of the committees was evaluated by the board after seeking inputs from the committee members on the basis of criteria such as the composition of committees, effectiveness of committee meetings, etc.

The above criteria are broadly based on the Guidance Note on Board Evaluation issued by the Securities and Exchange Board of India on January 5, 2017.

#### MEETING OF THE INDEPENDENT DIRECTORS

In Compliance with Section 149 (7) read with Schedule IV of the Companies Act, 2013 and Regulations 25(3) of the SEBI LODR Regulations, 2015, a separate Board Meeting of Independent Directors of the Company was held on February 14, 2025 wherein, the following items in agenda were discussed:

- reviewed the performance of Non-Independent Directors and the Board as a whole.
- reviewed the performance of the Chairperson of the company, taking into account the views of Executive Directors and Non-Executive Directors;
- Assessed the quality, quantity and timeliness of flow of information between the Company Management and the Board that is necessary for the Board to effectively and reasonably perform their duties.

• The Board evaluates its composition to ensure that the Board has the appropriate mix of skills, experience, independence and knowledge to ensure their continued effectiveness. In the table below, the specific areas of focus or expertise of individual Board members have been highlighted.

#### Matrix setting out the skills/expertise/competence of the board of directors

No.	Essential Core skills/expertise/competencies required for the Company	Core skills/expertise/competencies of all the Directors on the Board of the Company
1	Strategic and Business Leadership	The Directors and especially the Managing Director have many years of experience.
2	Financial expertise	The Board has eminent business leaders with deep knowledge of finance and business.
3	Governance, Compliance and Regulatory	The presence of Directors with qualifications and expertise in Law and Regulatory affairs lends strength to the Board.
4	Knowledge and expertise of Trade and Technology	The Directors have profound knowledge of economic Affairs, trade and technology related matters.

#### NUMBER OF MEETINGS OF THE BOARD

The details of the Board Meetings and other Committee Meetings held during the financial year 2024-25 are given in the separate section of Corporate Governance Report.

#### **BOARD COMMITTEES**

All Committees of the Board of Directors are constituted in line with the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and applicable regulations of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

#### **MANAGEMENT**

There is no change in Management of the Company during the year under review.

#### **DIRECTORS**

During the year the Board has appointed Mrs. Akshaya Suved Chavan (DIN: 09421579) as an Independent Director w.e.f. 29.08.2024 and whose appointment has been confirmed by the members at 11th Annual General Meeting of the Company.

Following to the referred period Mr. Laxmi Narayan Sharma (DIN: 00356855) has been stepped down from the Board w.e.f. 18.04.2025 on account of completion of his 2<sup>nd</sup> term of 5 years.

Apart from the above, there is no other change in the composition of Board of Directors of the Company during the current financial year.

The details of programme for familiarization of Independent Directors with the Company, nature of the business segments in which the Company operates and related matters are uploaded on the website of the Company on the link <a href="https://gcmcap.com/investordata/companypolicy/GCM%2oCapital%2o-%2oFamiliarization%2oProgramme.pdf">https://gcmcap.com/investordata/companypolicy/GCM%2oCapital%2o-%2oFamiliarization%2oProgramme.pdf</a>

Further, none of the Directors of the Company are disqualified under sub-section (2) of Section 164 of the Companies Act, 2013.

#### **INDEPENDENT DIRECTORS & KMPs**

As per provisions of Section 149 of the 2013 Act, independent directors shall hold office for a term up to five consecutive years on the board of a company, but shall be eligible for re-appointment for another term up to five years on passing of a special resolution by the company and disclosure of such appointment in Board's Report. Further Section 152 of the Act provides that the independent directors shall not be liable to retire by rotation in the Annual General Meeting ('AGM') of the Company.

As per requirements of Regulation 25 of Listing Regulations, a person shall not serve as an Independent Director in more than seven listed entities: provided that any person who is serving as a whole time director in any listed entity shall serve as an independent director in not more than three listed entities. Further, independent directors of the listed entity shall hold at least one meeting in a year, without the presence of non-independent directors and members of the management and all the independent directors shall strive to be present at such meeting.

In the opinion of the Board, the Independent Directors possess the requisite expertise and experience and are the persons of high integrity and repute. They fulfil the conditions specified in the Companies Act, 2013 and the Rules made thereunder and are independent of the management.

The Independent Directors have confirmed that they have complied with the Company's Code of Business Conduct & Ethics.

Changes in the composition of Board during the current financial year is as under –

#### DETAILS OF DIRECTORS / KMP APPOINTED AND RESIGNED DURING THE YEAR

SI.	Name	Designation	Date of	Date of
No.			Appointment	Resignation
1.	Mrs. Akshaya Suved Chavan	Independent Director	29 <sup>th</sup> August 2024	-
2.	Mr. Rakshit Ranjan Anchan	Chief Financial Officer	-	5 <sup>th</sup> Dec 2024
3.	Mr. Rohit Pandey	Chief Financial Officer	6 <sup>th</sup> Dec 2024	-

#### DECLARATION BY INDEPENDENT DIRECTOR(S) AND RE-APPOINTMENT, IF ANY

The Independent Directors of the Company have confirmed compliance of relevant provisions of Rule 6 of the Companies (Appointments and Qualifications of Directors) Rules, 2014. The Nomination and Remuneration Committee had adopted principles for identification of Key Managerial Personnel, Senior Management including the Executive Directors.

Further, all the Independent Directors have submitted their disclosures to the Board that they fulfil all the requirements as stipulated in Section 149(6) of the Companies Act, 2013 and Regulation 16(1)(b) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, so as to qualify themselves to be appointed as Independent Directors under the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and the relevant rules. In terms of Regulation 25(8) of Listing Regulations, they have confirmed that they are not aware of any circumstance or situation which exists or may be reasonably anticipated that could impair or impact their liability to discharge their duties. Based on the declaration received from Independent Directors, the Board of Directors have confirmed that they meet the criteria of Independence as mentioned under Section 149 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Regulation 16(1)(b) of Listing Regulations and they are independent of the management.

## **EVALUATION OF DIRECTORS, BOARD AND COMMITTEES**

The Nomination and Remuneration Committee (NRC) of the Company has devised a policy for performance evaluation of the individual directors, Board and its Committees, which includes criteria for performance evaluation.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Act and the Listing Regulations and based on policy devised by the NRC, the Board has carried out an annual performance evaluation of its own performance, its committees and individual directors. The Board performance was evaluated based on inputs received from all the Directors after considering criteria such as Board composition and structure, effectiveness of Board and information provided to the Board, etc.

The performance of the committees was evaluated by the Board of Directors based on inputs received from all the committee members after considering criteria such as composition and structure of committees, effectiveness of committee meetings, etc.

Pursuant to the Listing Regulations, performance evaluation of independent directors was done by the entire board, excluding the independent director being evaluated.

A separate meeting of the Independent Directors was also held for the evaluation of the performance of non-independent Directors, performance of the Board as a whole and that of the Chairman of the Board.

#### SIGNIFICANT AND MATERIAL ORDERS PASSED BY THE REGULATORS, TRIBUNALS OR COURTS

There are no significant and material orders passed by the Regulators/Courts that would impact the going concern status of the Company and its future operations.

## **DIRECTORS RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT**

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 134(5) of the Companies Act, 2013 the Board of Directors confirms that:

1. In the preparation of the annual accounts, for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2025, all the applicable accounting standards prescribed by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India have been followed along with proper explanation relating to material departures, if any;

- 2. the directors had selected such accounting policies and applied them consistently and made judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent so as to give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company as at March 31, 2025 and of the profit of the Company for the year ended on that date;
- 3. that the Directors have taken proper and sufficient care for the maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of this Act for safeguarding the assets of the Company and for preventing and detecting fraud and other irregularities;
- 4. that the Directors had prepared the annual accounts on a going concern basis;
- 5. that the Directors had laid down internal financial controls to be followed by the Company and that such internal financial controls are adequate and were operating effectively; and
- 6. that the Directors had devised proper systems to ensure compliance with the provisions of all applicable laws and that such systems were adequate and operating effectively.

#### **BUSINESS RISK MANAGEMENT**

Being a share broking firm, the Company is exposed to credit, liquidity and interest rate risk. On the other hand, investment in Stock Market, both in Quoted and Unquoted Shares, have the risk of change in the price and value, both in term of up and down and thus can affect the profitability of the Company.

Risk management is embedded in your Company's operating framework. Your Company believes that managing risks helps in maximizing returns. The Company's approach to addressing business risks is comprehensive and includes periodic review of such risks and a framework for mitigating controls and reporting mechanism of such risks. The risk management framework is reviewed periodically by the Board and the Audit Committee.

However the Company is not required to constitute Risk Management Committee under Listing Regulations, 2015.

#### INTERNAL AUDIT AND INTERNAL FINANCIAL CONTROL AND ITS ADEQUACY

Based on the framework of internal financial controls and compliance systems established and maintained by the Company, the work performed by the internal, statutory and secretarial auditors and external consultants, including the audit of internal financial controls over financial reporting by the statutory auditors and the reviews performed by management and the relevant board committees, including the audit committee, the Board is of the opinion that the Company's internal financial controls were adequate and effective during FY 2024-25.

## NOMINATION, REMUNERATION AND BOARD DIVERSITY POLICY

The Board of Directors has framed a policy which lays down a framework in relation to remuneration of Directors, Key Managerial Personnel and Senior Management of the Company. The Policy broadly lays down the guiding principles, philosophy and the basis for payment of remuneration to Executive and Non-executive Directors (by way of sitting fees and commission), Key Managerial Personnel, Senior Management and other employees. The policy also provides the criteria for determining qualifications, positive attributes and Independence of Director and criteria for appointment of Key Managerial Personnel / Senior Management and performance evaluation which are considered by the Nomination and Remuneration Committee and the Board of Directors while making selection of the candidates. The above policy has been posted on the website of the Company.

## **VIGIL MECHANISM / WHISTLE BLOWER POLICY**

In Compliance of the Companies Act, 2013 and Regulation 22 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, the Company has adopted a Whistle Blower Policy / Vigil Mechanism and has established the necessary vigil mechanism for Directors, Employees and Stakeholders of the Company to report genuine concerns about unethical behavior, actual or suspected fraud or violation of the Company's code of conduct or ethics policy. The Company has disclosed the policy on the website of the Company i.e. <a href="https://www.gcmcap.com">www.gcmcap.com</a>

#### INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

Innovation and Technology are synonymous with the Company as a catalyst and enables the Company to be innovative.

#### **AUDITORS**

#### **Statutory Auditors**

Messrs. S P M L & Associates, Chartered Accountants, Mumbai (FRN: 136549W) were appointed as Statutory Auditors of the Company for a period of five consecutive years at the 10<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the Members held on September 28, 2023 and to hold the office up to 15<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting, on a remuneration mutually agreed upon by the Board of Directors and the Statutory Auditors. Pursuant to the amendments made to

Section 139 of the Companies Act, 2013 by the Companies (Amendment) Act, 2017 effective from May 7, 2018, the requirement of seeking ratification of the Members for the appointment of the Statutory Auditors has been withdrawn from the Statute. Hence the resolution seeking ratification of the Members for continuance of their appointment at this AGM is not being sought.

The Report given by M/s. S P M L & Associates on the financial statement of the Company for the FY 2024-25 is part of the Annual Report. The Notes on financial statement referred to in the Auditor's Report are self-explanatory and do not call for any further comments. The Auditor's Report does not contain any qualification, reservation, adverse remark, except as given below, or disclaimer. During the year under review, the Auditors had not reported any matter under Section 143 (12) of the Act, therefore no detail is required to be disclosed under Section 134 (3) (ca) of the Act.

## Explanations on comments by the Board on Adverse Remark or Disclaimer made by Statutory Auditors

There are no disqualifications, reservations, adverse remarks or disclaimers in the auditor's Report, however the Auditors' observations together with management comments have been provided below –

Sl. No.	Comment by Auditors	Management Comments
1.	In accordance with Object clause A 5, 6, 7 & 8 of its 'Memorandum of Association', the Company is engaged in Investments and trading of shares and securities and other financial activities and meets the criteria specified under Section 45-IA of the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934, requiring registration as a Non-Banking Financial Company (NBFC). However, the Company has not obtained such registration from the Reserve Bank of India.	The Company will apply for obtaining NBFC License under Section 45-IA of the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934
2.	Certain balances of trade receivables, trade payables, and loans and advances are subject to confirmation, reconciliation, and consequential adjustments, if any. The management has obtained confirmations for some of these balances and is in the process of obtaining the remainder (Note 41(b) to financial statements).	The Company is in process of obtaining balance account confirmation, as stated in the queries raised by Auditors.
3.	The Company holds 'Stock-in-trade' inter alia in some unlisted companies, valued at INR 159.77 Lakhs as on 31 March 2025. The Company had last undertaken fair value assessment of majority of these unlisted shared by obtaining valuation reports for valuation as on 31 March 2024. The management has undertaken self-assessment of these unlisted shares as on 31 March 2025 and based on the same, they do not expect any material changes to the fair value as reported in the financial statements / results. Therefore, the management has decided to carry same fair value of investments as on 31 March 2025. We have solely relied on management's representation in this regard. (Note 6.1 to financial statements)	The valuation has been taken based on last Annual Accounts of unlisted companies.
4.	During past years / periods, the Company had given various advances (recoverable in cash / kind) totaling to INR 408.90 Lakhs (gross value) – shown under 'Other financial assets (current)'. The management has explained us that these advances were given for the purpose of acquiring of shares / securities; however, such acquisition is pending as on balance sheet date. The management is in process of either settling these transactions by acquisition of shares / securities, or by squaring off the advances through repayment. We have solely relied on management's representation in this regard (Note 10.1 to financial results).	The Company is in process of settling these accounts.
5.	Based on our review, it is observed that interest income is not recognized on some of outstanding loans and advances given to various parties as interest income could not be crystallized from such parties. However, the management is of the opinion that it will be able to soon recover the principal amount from majority of these parties. The Company has considered ECL provision in respect of these parties as per the policy adopted considering them as credit-impaired financial assets. In the absence of any further details / documents, we have solely relied on management's representation with regard to the items of these loans and the ECL provision thereof.	The Company is in process of settling these accounts, either by way of acquiring shares or by receipt of advances paid.

#### **Secretarial Auditors**

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 204 of the Companies Act, 2013 and The Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014, the Company has appointed Mrs. Kriti Daga, Company Secretaries in Practice (C. P. No. 14023) for FY 2024-25, to undertake the Secretarial Audit of the Company. The Report of the Secretarial Audit Report in the prescribed Form MR-3 is annexed in this Annual Report as Annexure II. The same does not contain any qualification, reservation or adverse remark.

Further, the Appointment of Mrs. Kriti Daga, Company Secretaries in Practice (C. P. No. 14023) is also recommended to members at ensuing 12<sup>th</sup> AGM for the term of next 5 years commencing from F.Y. 2025-26.

During the year, your Company has complied with applicable Secretarial Standards i.e. SS-1 and SS-2, relating to "Meetings of the Board of Directors" and "General Meetings", respectively.

#### **Internal Auditors**

Your Company has an effective internal control and risk-mitigation system, which are constantly assessed and strengthened with new/revised standard operating procedures. The Company's internal control system is commensurate with its size, scale and complexities of its operations. The internal and operational audit is entrusted to M/s A. K. Das & Co., Chartered Accountant Firm, Kolkata (FRN -325204E). The main thrust of internal audit is to test and review controls, appraisal of risks and business processes, besides benchmarking controls with best practices in the industry.

The Audit Committee of the Board of Directors actively reviews the adequacy and effectiveness of the internal control systems and suggests improvements to strengthen the same. The Company has a robust Management Information System, which is an integral part of the control mechanism.

The Audit Committee of the Board of Directors, Statutory Auditors and the Key Managerial Personnel are periodically apprised of the internal audit findings and corrective actions taken. Audit plays a key role in providing assurance to the Board of Directors. Significant audit observations and corrective actions taken by the management are presented to the Audit Committee of the Board. To maintain its objectivity and independence, the Internal Audit function reports to the Chairman of the Audit Committee.

#### **EXTRACT OF ANNUAL RETURN**

In terms of Section 92(3) of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rule 12 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014, the Annual Return of the Company is attached as Annexure IV to this report.

## DISCLOSURES UNDER SEXUAL HARASSMENT OF WOMEN AT WORKPLACE (PREVENTION, PROHIBITION & REDRESSAL) ACT 2013 READ WITH RULES

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 22 of Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition & Redressal) Act 2013 read with Rules thereunder, this is to certify and declare that there was no case of sexual harassment during the year under review. Neither there was a case pending at the opening of Financial Year, nor has the Company received any Complaint during the year.

#### STATUTORY INFORMATION AND OTHER DISCLOSURES

Since the Company is into the business of trading and investment activities in Shares and Securities; the information regarding Conservation of Energy, Technology Absorption, Adoption and Innovation, as defined under section 134(3)(m) of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 8(3) of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014, is reported to be NIL.

The Disclosure required under Section 197(12) of the Act read with the Rule 5(1) of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014, is annexed as Annexure 'V' and forms an integral part of this Report. The aforesaid Annexure is also available for inspection by Members at the Registered Office of the Company, 21 days before and up to the date of the ensuing Annual General Meeting during the business hours on working days.

None of the employees listed in the said Annexure is a relative of any Director of the Company. None of the employees hold (by himself or along with his spouse and dependent children) more than two percent of the Equity Shares of the Company.

## **BUSINESS RESPONSIBILITY REPORT**

As the Company is not among top 500 or 1000 Companies by turnover on Stock Exchanges, the disclosure of Report under of Regulation 34(2) of the Listing Regulations is not applicable to the Company for the year under review.

#### FOREIGN EXCHANGE EARNINGS AND OUTGO

The Company has not earned or used foreign exchange earnings/outgoings during the year under review.

#### **PUBLIC DEPOSITS**

During the year under review, your Company has not accepted any deposit from the public falling within the ambit of Section 73 of the Companies Act, 2013 and The Companies (Acceptance of Deposits) Rules, 2014.

#### MAINTENANCE OF COST RECORDS

The maintenance of cost records for the services rendered by the Company is not required pursuant to Section 148(1) of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 3 of Companies (Cost Records and Audit) Rules, 2014.

#### STATUTORY AUDITORS AND AUDITORS REPORT

The Notes on Financial Statement referred in the Auditors' Report are self-explanatory and do not call for any further comments. The Auditors' Report does not contain any qualification, reservation, adverse remark or disclaimer for the Financial Year 2024-25, except an adverse remark which has been addressed on Page No. 21 above.

#### **REPORTING OF FRAUDS BY AUDITORS**

During the year under review, the Statutory Auditors and the Secretarial Auditors have not reported any instances of frauds committed in the Company by its officers or employees of Audit Committee under Section 143(12) of the Companies Act, 2013, details of which needs to be mentioned in this Report.

#### **COMPLIANCE WITH SECRETARIAL STANDARDS**

The Board of Directors affirms that the Company has complied with the applicable mandatory Secretarial Standards issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India.

#### REPORT ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

Our Company is listed on SME Exchange of BSE, and thus the provision of Regulations 17, 14[17A,] 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 15[24A,] 25, 26, 27 and clauses (b) to (i) of sub-regulation (2) of regulation 46 and para C, D and E of Schedule V of the SEBI LODR Regulations, 2015. However the Company is voluntarily complying with the above Regulations. A separate section on corporate governance practices followed by the Company, together with a certificate from the Company's Auditors confirming compliance forms an integral part of this Report.

## **GENERAL**

Your Directors state that during Financial Year 2024-25:

- The Company has not issued any Equity Shares with differential rights as to Dividend, Voting or otherwise.
- The Company has not issued any Sweat Equity Shares during the year.
- There are no significant or material orders passed against the Company by the Regulators or Courts of Tribunals during the year ended March 31, 2025 which would impact the going concern status of the Company and its future operations.
- The Central Government has not prescribed the maintenance of cost records for any of the products of the Company under sub-section (1) of Section 148 of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Rules framed there under.
- There is no change in nature of business of the Company during the year.

#### **CAUTIONARY STATEMENT**

Statements in this Directors' Report and Management Discussion and Analysis describing the Company's objectives, projections, estimates, expectations or predictions may be "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of applicable securities laws and regulations. Actual results could differ materially from those expressed or implied.

#### **APPRECIATION**

Your Directors place on record their sincere appreciation for the assistance and guidance provided by the Reserve Bank of India, the Ministry of Corporate Affairs, the Securities and Exchange Board of India, government and other regulatory Authorities, stock exchanges, other statutory bodies, Company's bankers, Members and employees of the Company for the assistance, cooperation and encouragement and continued support extended to the Company.

Your Directors also gratefully acknowledge all stakeholders of the Company viz. customers, members, dealers, vendors, banks and other business partners for the excellent support received from them during the year. Our employees are instrumental in helping the Company scale new heights, year after year. Their commitment and contribution is deeply acknowledged. Your involvement as shareholders is also greatly valued. Your Directors look forward to your continuing support.

Mumbai, August 29, 2025

By order of the Board For **GCM Capital Advisors Limited** 

Sd/-**Manish Baid** 

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## **Management Discussions & Analysis**

#### **ANNUAL OVERVIEW AND OUTLOOK**

#### **ECONOMIC OUTLOOK**

India is set to dominate the global economic landscape, maintaining its status as the fastest-growing large economy for the next two fiscal years. The January 2025 edition of the World Bank's Global Economic Prospects (GEP) report projects India's economy to grow at a steady rate of 6.7% in both FY26 and FY27, significantly outpacing global and regional peers. At a time when global growth is expected to remain at 2.7 per cent in 2025-26, this remarkable performance underscores India's resilience and its growing significance in shaping the world's economic trajectory.

The GEP report credits this extraordinary momentum to a thriving services sector and a revitalised manufacturing base, driven by transformative government initiatives. From modernising infrastructure to simplifying taxes, these measures are fuelling domestic growth and positioning India as a cornerstone of global economic stability. With its closest competitor, China, decelerating to 4 per cent growth next year, India's rise is more than just a statistic. It is a powerful story of ambition, innovation, and unmatched potential.

Complementing the World Bank report, the latest update from the International Monetary Fund's (IMF) World Economic Outlook (WEO) also reinforces India's strong economic trajectory. The IMF forecasts India's growth to remain robust at 6.5% for both 2025 and 2026, aligning with earlier projections from October. This consistent growth outlook reflects India's stable economic fundamentals and its ability to maintain momentum despite global uncertainties. The continued strength of India's economic performance, as projected by both the World Bank and IMF, underscores the country's resilience and highlights the sustained strength of its economic fundamentals, making India a crucial player in the global economic landscape.

#### **INDUSTRY OVERVIEW**

India's economic outlook remains positive, demonstrating resilience amidst persistent global economic headwinds. Stabilising inflationary trends have enabled the RBI to reduce the key policy rate in February 2025. Further policy rate adjustments could be anticipated in the subsequent quarters, contingent upon suitable domestic and international economic conditions.

Capital deployment into India's real estate sector remained strong at USD 2.9 billion in Q1 2025, driven by sustained momentum in land / development sites and investments into built-up assets. Investment inflows were primarily fuelled by developer activity and significant interest from real estate investment trusts (REITs) and institutional investors during the quarter.

Investment activity is projected to maintain its positive trajectory in 2025, primarily fuelled by capital flows into built-up office and warehousing assets and robust acquisition pipelines for residential, warehousing, and mixed-use development sites.

India's metros and tier-I cities will likely remain the primary recipients of equity inflows. Investment activity is expected to accelerate in the latter half of 2025, contingent upon improvements in global economic conditions and the deployment of dry powder accumulated from an active exit market in 2024.

## **OPPORTUNITIES & THREATS**

## **Opportunities**

Over the last ten years, India's private equity and venture capital (PE/VC) sector has undergone a significant transformation. This evolution has been characterized by rapid innovation, sectoral diversification, and an ability to adapt to changing market dynamics, establishing India as one of the most attractive investment destinations globally.

In 2024, the Indian PE/VC industry demonstrated its resilience amid global uncertainties and market fluctuations, securing investments worth US\$56 billion — a 5% increase from the previous year. There was a marked shift in investor focus towards buyout transactions, which saw a 39% surge in value, outpacing growth investments.

The bulk of PE/VC activity remained concentrated in sectors that have traditionally attracted interest. However, there was a noticeable expansion in financial services, e-commerce, and technology sectors, outperforming their performance in 2023. Despite a downturn in the value of large deals, the investment landscape was energized by a record number of transactions, propelled by a rekindled interest in start-ups and growth in private credit transactions.

Exit strategies also evolved, with a total of US\$26.7 billion realized, representing a 7% year-on-year increase. Open market exits dominated, while PE-backed initial public offerings (IPOs) gained momentum, buoyed by a capital market that offered robust opportunities for investor exits.

#### **Threats**

The Indian stock market has experienced a significant downturn in early 2025, with the BSE Sensex and Nifty50 indices plunging to eight-month lows, erasing over ₹16.97 lakh crore in investor wealth within five trading sessions.

This crash, marked by persistent foreign institutional investor (FII) outflows, geopolitical tensions, and domestic economic headwinds, reflects a complex interplay of global and local factors.

The resurgence of US protectionist policies under President Donald Trump has reignited global trade war fears.

The imposition of 25% tariffs on steel and aluminium imports and threats of additional duties on Chinese goods have destabilized international markets, including India.

These measures heighten concerns about reduced global trade volumes and disrupted supply chains, particularly for Indian exporters in sectors like textiles and pharmaceuticals.

The uncertainty surrounding Trump's tariff announcements has exacerbated market volatility, as investors brace for potential retaliatory measures and reduced export competitiveness.

#### **RISKS AND CONCERNS**

GCM Capital Advisors Limited (GCM) has exposures in the business of Investments in Indian Stock Market. GCM are exposed to specific risks that are particular to their respective businesses and the environments within which they operate, including market risk, competition risk, credit risk, liquidity and interest rate risk, human resource risk, operational risk, information security risks, regulatory risk and macro-economic risks. The level and degree of each risk varies depending upon the nature of activity undertaken by them.

#### **MARKET RISK**

The Company has quoted and/or unquoted investments which are exposed to fluctuations in stock prices. GCM continuously monitors market exposure in equity and, in appropriate cases, also uses various derivative instruments as a hedging mechanism to limit volatility.

### LIQUIDITY AND INTEREST RATE RISK

The Company is exposed to liquidity risk principally, because of lending and investment for periods which may differ from those of its funding sources. Management team actively manages asset liability positions in accordance with the overall guidelines laid down by various regulators. The Company may be impacted by volatility in interest rates in India which could cause its margins to decline and profitability to shrink. The success of the Company's business depends significantly on interest income from its operations. It is exposed to interest rate risk, both as a result of lending at fixed interest rates and for reset periods which may differ from those of its funding sources. Interest rates are highly sensitive to many factors beyond the Company's control, including the monetary policies of the RBI, deregulation of the financial sector in India, domestic and international economic and political conditions and, inflation. As a result, interest rates in India have historically experienced a relatively high degree of volatility.

The Company seeks to match its interest rate positions of assets and liabilities to minimize interest rate risk. However, there can be no assurance that significant interest rate movements will not have an adverse effect on its financial position.

#### **HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT**

The Company recognizes that its success is deeply embedded in the success of its human capital. During 2024-25, the Company continued to strengthen its HR processes in line with its objective of creating an inspired workforce. The employee engagement initiatives included placing greater emphasis on learning and development, launching leadership development programme, introducing internal communication, providing opportunities to staff to seek inspirational roles through internal job postings, streamlining the Performance Management System, making the compensation structure more competitive and streamlining the performance-link rewards and incentives.

#### CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY INITIATIVES

The provision of the Companies Act, 2013 relating to CSR Initiatives are not applicable to the Company.

## **COMPLIANCE**

The Compliance function of the Company is responsible for independently ensuring that operating and business units comply with regulatory and internal guidelines. The Compliance Department of the Company continues to play a pivotal role in ensuring implementation of compliance functions in accordance with the directives issued by regulators, the Company's Board of Directors and the Company's Compliance Policy. The Audit Committee of the Board reviews the

performance of the Compliance Department and the status of compliance with regulatory/internal guidelines on a periodic basis.

The Company has complied with all requirements of regulatory authorities except delay in complying with the provisions of SEBI LODR Regulations, 2015. Delay was mainly due to the difficult phase of COVID-19 pandemic wherein the normal life was disrupted and staffs were forced to perform their duties with limited resources. The Company has made payment of penalty of ₹ 0.73 Lakh to BSE. No penalties/strictures were imposed on the Company SEBI or any other statutory authority on any matter related to capital market during the last three years.

Mumbai, August 29, 2025

By order of the Board For GCM Capital Advisors Limited

**Registered Office:** 

805, Raheja Center, 214, Free Press Journal Marg, Nariman Point, Mumbai-400021 Sd/- **Manish Baid** DIN: 00239347 Chairman & Managing Director

Annexure - I

#### **DETAILS OF RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS**

A. (Pursuant to clause (h) of sub-section (3) of section 134 of the Act and Rule 8(2) of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014)

All related party transactions entered during the year were in ordinary course of business and on arm's length basis and the same have been disclosed under Note 29 of the Notes to Financial Statements.

No material related party transactions arising from contracts/ arrangements with related parties referred to in the Section 188(1) of the Companies Act, 2013 were entered during the year by the Company. The disclosure of related party transactions as required under Section 134(3)(h) of the Companies Act, 2013 in Form AOC-2 in Annexure III have been provided elsewhere in this Report.

B. Disclosures pursuant to Regulation 34(3) & 53(f) and Para A of Schedule V of SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015

SI. No.	In the Account of	Disclosures of amount at the year end and the maximum amount of loans/advances/Investments outstanding during the year.	Amount
1.	Holding Company	<ul> <li>Loans and advances in the nature of loans to subsidiaries by name and amount</li> </ul>	Nil
		<ul> <li>Loans and advances in the nature of loans to associates by name and amount</li> </ul>	Nil
		<ul> <li>Loans and advances in the nature of loans to Firms/Companies in which directors are interested by name and amount</li> </ul>	Nil
2.	Subsidiary	<ul> <li>Loans and advances in the nature of loans to subsidiaries by name and amount</li> </ul>	Nil
		<ul> <li>Loans and advances in the nature of loans to associates by name and amount</li> </ul>	Nil
		<ul> <li>Loans and advances in the nature of loans to Firms/Companies in which directors are interested by name and amount</li> </ul>	Nil
3.	Holding Company	<ul> <li>Investment by the loanee in the shares of parent Company and subsidiary Company has made a loan or advance in the nature of loan.</li> </ul>	Nil

Mumbai, August 29, 2025

By order of the Board For GCM Capital Advisors Limited

**Registered Office:** 

805, Raheja Center, 214, Free Press Journal Marg, Nariman Point, Mumbai-400021 Manish Baid DIN: 00239347 Chairman & Managing Director

Sd/-

Annexure II

## Secretarial Audit report of GCM Capital Advisors Limited For the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2025

#### FORM MR-3

[Pursuant to Section 204(1) of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rule No. 9 of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014]

The Members,
GCM Capital Advisors Limited
Mumbai

We have conducted the secretarial audit of the compliance of applicable statutory provisions and adherence to good corporate practices by **GCM Capital Advisors Limited**. (hereinafter called as 'the Company'). The secretarial audit was conducted in a manner that provided me a reasonable basis for evaluating the corporate conducts/statutory compliances and expressing my opinion thereon.

Based on my verification of the books, papers, minute books, forms and returns filed and other records maintained by the Company and also the information provided by the Company, its officers, agents and authorised representatives during the conduct of secretarial audit, I hereby report that in my opinion, the Company has, during the audit period covering the financial year ended on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025, complied with the applicable statutory provisions listed hereunder and also that the Company has proper Board processes and compliance mechanism in place to the extent, in the manner and subject to the reporting made hereinafter:

We further report that maintenance of proper and updated Books, Papers, Minutes Books, filing of Forms and Returns with applicable regulatory authorities and maintaining other records is responsibility of management and of the Company. Our responsibility is to verify the content of the documents produced before us, make objective evaluation of the content in respect of compliance and report thereon. We have examined on test basis, the books, papers, minutes books, forms and returns filed and other records maintained by the Company and produced before us for the financial year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025 according to the provisions of:

- i. The Companies Act, 2013 (the Act) and the rules made thereunder;
- ii. The Securities Contracts (Regulation) Act, 1956 ('SCRA') and the rules made thereunder;
- iii. The Depositories Act, 1996 and the Regulations and Bye-laws framed thereunder;
- iv. Foreign Exchange Management Act, 1999 and the rules and regulations made thereunder to the extent of Foreign Direct Investment, Overseas Direct Investment and External Commercial Borrowings;
- v. The following regulations and guidelines prescribed under the Securities and Exchange Board of India Act, 1992 ('SEBI Act') to the extent applicable:
  - a) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011;
  - b) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015, as amended;
  - c) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2009 and The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018;
  - d) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Non-Convertible Securities) Regulation 2021; (Not applicable to the Company during Audit period)
  - e) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Share Based Employee Benefits) Regulations, 2014;
  - f) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Debt Securities) Regulations, 2008;
  - g) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Registrars to an Issue and Share Transfer Agents) (Amendment) Regulations, 2006 regarding the Companies Act and dealing with client;
  - h) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Delisting of Equity Shares) Regulations, 2009;
  - i) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Buy-back of Securities) Regulations, 1998 and The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Buy-back of Securities) Regulations, 2018; and

- j) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended.
- k) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Depositories and Participants) Regulations, 2018;
- vi. Rules, regulations and guidelines issued by the Reserve Bank of India as per Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934 and its circulars, Master circulars, directions and notifications, to the extent as applicable to Non-Deposit taking Non-Banking Financial Companies.
- vii. Prevention of Money Laundering Act, 2002 and its circulars, notifications.
- viii. Anti-Money Laundering Regulation issued by RBI and various circulars and Guidelines thereunder.
- ix. Employee Laws -
  - The Payment of Gratuity Act, 1972 and Payment of Gratuity (Central) Rules, 1972
  - The Payment of Bonus Act, 1965 and Payment of Bonus Rules, 1975
  - The Employees State Insurance Act, 1948
  - The Employees' Provident Fund and Miscellaneous Provisions Act, 1952 & the scheme provided thereunder
- x. Acts as prescribed under Shop and Establishment Act of State and various local authorities.
- xi. The Negotiable Instrument Act, 1881
- xii. The Indian Stamp Act, 1899 and the State Stamp Acts
- xiii. The Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013.

We have also examined compliance with the applicable clauses of the following:-

- i. Secretarial Standards pursuant to section 118(10) of the Act, issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India.
- ii. Listing Agreements entered into by the Company with BSE Ltd. as per SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

We have verified systems and mechanism which is in place and followed by the Company to ensure Compliance of these specifically applicable Laws as mentioned above, to the extent of its' applicability to the Company and we have also relied on the representation made by the Company and its Officers in respect of systems and mechanism formed / followed by the Company for compliances of other applicable Acts, Laws and Regulations and found the satisfactory operation of the same.

During the period under review the Company has complied with the provisions of the Act, rules, regulations, directions, guidelines, standards, etc. mentioned above.

The Company has complied Secretarial Standard, SS-1 and SS-2 as applicable to it with respect to Board Meeting, General Meeting and meetings of the Committee of the Board.

The Company has obtained all necessary approvals under the various provisions of the Act.

There were no prosecution initiated and no fines or penalties were imposed during the year under review under the Act, SEBI Act, SCRA, Depositories Act, Listing Agreement, Rules, Regulations and Guidelines framed under these Acts against/ on the Company, its Directors and Officers.

The Directors have complied with the disclosure requirements in respect of their eligibility of appointment, their being independent and compliance with the Code of Business Conduct & Ethics for Directors and Management Personnel;

We further report that the Board of Directors of the Company is duly constituted with proper balance of executive directors, non-executive directors and independent directors including one woman director.

During the year Ms. Akshaya Suved Chavan, has been appointed as an Independent Director on the Board w.e.f. 29<sup>th</sup> August 2024.

Further, Mr. Rakshit Ranjan Anchan, then CFO of the Company has resigned from employment w.e.f. 5<sup>th</sup> December 2024 and in his place, the Board has appointed Mr. Rohit Pandey as Chief Financial Officer (CFO) of the Company w.e.f. 6<sup>th</sup> Dec 2024.

Apart from the above two changes, there was no change among members of Board and Key Managerial Personnel during FY 2024-25 in comparison to FY 2023-24.

We further report that, the compliance by the Company of applicable financial laws such as direct and indirect tax laws and maintenance of financial records and books of accounts have not been reviewed in this audit since the same have been subject to review by the statutory financial auditors, tax auditors, and other designated professionals.

We also report that adequate notices have been given to all directors to schedule the Board meetings, agenda and detailed notes on agenda were sent at least seven days in advance and a system exists for seeking and obtaining further information and clarifications on the agenda items before the meeting and for meaningful participation at the meeting by the directors. The decisions were carried unanimously.

Based on the representation made by the Company and its Officers, we herewith report that majority decisions are carried through and proper system is in place which facilitates / ensure to capture and record, the dissenting member's views, if any, as part of the minutes.

Based on the representation made by the Company and its Officers explaining us in respect of internal systems and mechanism established by the Company which ensures compliances of Acts, Laws and Regulations applicable to the Company, we report that there are adequate systems and processes in the Company commensurate with the size and operations of the Company to monitor and ensure compliance with applicable laws, rules, regulations and guidelines.

We further report that during the audit period under review, there were no specific event / action that can have a major bearing on the Company's affairs.

**Note:** This report is to be read with our letter of even date which is annexed as 'Annexure A' and forms an integral part of this report.

#### Sd/-

## KRITI DAGA

Practicing Company Secretaries ACS No. 26425, C.P. No. 14023 PRC No. 2380/2022

UDIN: A026425G000386532

Place: Kolkata Date: May 21, 2025

ANNEXURE - A

To
The Members,
GCM Capital Advisors Limited
Mumbai

Our report of even date is to be read along with this letter.

- 1. Maintenance of secretarial record is the responsibility of the management of the Company. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these secretarial records based on our audit.
- 2. We have followed the audit practices and processes as were appropriate to obtain reasonable assurance about the correctness of the contents of the secretarial records. The verification was done on test basis to ensure that correct facts are reflected in secretarial records. We believe that the processes and practices, we followed provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.
- 3. We have not verified the correctness and appropriateness of financial records and Books of Accounts of the company.
- 4. Wherever required, we have obtained the Management Representation about the compliance of laws, rules and regulations and happening of events etc.
- 5. The compliance of the provisions of corporate and other applicable laws, rules, regulations, standards is the responsibility of management. Our examination was limited to the verification of procedures on test basis.
- 6. The Secretarial Audit report is neither an assurance as to the future viability of the company nor of the efficacy or effectiveness with which the management has conducted the affairs of the Company.

### Sd/-

## **KRITI DAGA**

Practicing Company Secretaries ACS No. 26425, C.P. No. 14023 PRC No. 2380/2022

UDIN: A026425G000386532

Place: Kolkata Date: May 21, 2025

Annexure - III

#### Form No. AOC-2

(Pursuant to clause (h) of sub-section (3) of section 134 of the Act and Rule 8(2) of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014)

Form for disclosure of particulars of contracts/arrangements entered into by the company with related parties referred to in sub-section (1) of section 188 of the Companies Act, 2013 including certain arm's length transactions under third proviso thereto

Details of contracts or arrangements or transactions not at arm's length basis:
 NONE; DURING THE REPORTING PERIOD, ALL TRANSACTIONS WERE AT ARM'S LENGTH BASIS.

a)	Name(s) of the related party and nature of relationship	:	N.A.
b)	Nature of contracts/arrangements/transactions	:	N.A.
c)	Duration of the contracts / arrangements/transactions	:	N.A.
d)	Salient terms of the contracts or arrangements or transactions including the value, if any	:	N.A.
e)	Justification for entering into such contracts or arrangements or transactions	:	N.A.
f)	Date(s) of approval by the Board	:	N.A.
g)	Amount paid as advances, if any	:	N.A.
h)	Date on which the Special Resolution was passed in General Meeting as required under first	:	N.A.
	proviso to Section 188		

**2.** Details of material contracts or arrangement or transactions at arm's length basis:

## NONE; DURING THE REPORTING PERIOD, THERE WAS NO MATERIAL\* CONTRACT OR ARRANGEMENT.

(\*As defined under SEBI(Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and adopted by the Board of Directors in the Related Party Transactions Policy of the Company, "Material Related Party Transaction" means a transaction with a related party if the transaction / transactions to be entered into individually or taken together with previous transactions during a Financial Year, exceeds 10% of the annual consolidated turnover of the Company as per the last audited financial statements of the company.)

a)	Name(s) of the related party and nature of relationship	:	N.A.
b)	Nature of contracts/arrangements/transactions	:	N.A.
c)	Duration of the contracts / arrangements/transactions	:	N.A.
d)	Salient terms of the contracts or arrangements or transactions including the value, if any	:	N.A.
e)	Date(s) of approval by the Board	:	N.A.
f)	Amount paid as advances, if any	:	N.A.

Mumbai, August 29, 2025

By order of the Board For GCM Capital Advisors Limited

**Registered Office:** 

805, Raheja Center, 214, Free Press Journal Marg, Nariman Point, Mumbai-400021 Manish Baid DIN: 00239347

Sd/-

Chairman & Managing Director

Annexure - IV

## **EXTRACT OF ANNUAL RETURN**

As on the financial year ended 31.03.2025 [Pursuant to Section 92(3) of the Companies Act, 2013, and Rule 12(1) of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014]

FORM NO. MGT-9

I. Registration & Other Details	
CIN	L74110MH2013PLC243163
Registration Date	09/05/2013
Name of the Company	GCM Capital Advisors Limited
Category / Sub-Category of the Company	Category : Company having Share Capital
	Sub-Category : Indian Non-Government Company
Address of the Registered Office and contact details	805, Raheja Center, 214, Free Press Journal Marg,
	Nariman Point, Mumbai-400021, Tel : +91 22 2204 9995
Whether listed company	Listed Company (BSE-SME)
Name, address and contact details of	S. K. Infosolutions Private Limited
Registrar and Transfer Agent, if any	D/42, Katju Nagar (Near South City Mall), Ground Floor,
	Katju Nagar Bazar, Jadavpur, Kolkata -700032
	Tel: +91 33- 2412 0027

II. Principal Business Activities of the Company						
All the Business Activities contributing 10% or more of the total turnover of the Company shall be stated:						
Name and Description of main Businesses	NIC Code of	% of Gross Turnover of				
	Business	the Company				
Finance & Investments in Shares & Securities	66110	100.00%				

III. Details of Subsidiary / Associate / Holding Companies								
Name & Address of Company	CIN / GLN	Holding / Subsidiary / Associate	% of Shares Held	Applicable Section				
Not Any	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.				

IV. SHAREHOLDING PA	ATTERN (Eq	uity Share C	apital Brea	kup as %	of Total Eq	uity)			
Category wise Sharehold	ding			•					
	No. of Shares held at the beginning of the year			No. of Shares held at the end of the year				%	
Category of Shareholders	Demat	Physical	Total	% of Total Shares	Demat	Physical	Total	% of Total Shares	Change during the year
A. Promoters									
(1) Indian									
a) Individual / HUF	20000	-	20000	0.12	20000	-	20000	0.12	-
b) Central Govt. (s)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
c) State Govt. (s)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
d) Bodies Corporate	6592500	-	6592500	38.92	6592500	-	6592500	38.92	-
e) Banks / Fis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
f) Any Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Sub Total A(1)	6612500	-	6612500	39.03	6612500	-	6612500	39.03	-
(2) Foreign									
a) NRIs – Individuals	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
b) Other – Individuals	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
c) Bodies Corporate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
d) Banks / Fis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Sub Total A(2)									
Total Shareholding of Promoters (A1) + (A2)	6612500	_	6612500	39.03	6612500	_	6612500	20.02	_
B. Public Shareholding	0012500	_	0012500	33.03	0012500	_	0012500	39.03	_
(1) Institutions	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
a) Mutual Funds / UTI	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
b) Banks / FI	_	-	-	_	-	_	_	_	
c) Central Govt. (s)	6000	-	6000	0.04	6000	-	6000	0.04	-

d) State Govt. (s)	-	-	_	-	-	-	-	-	
e) Venture Capital Funds	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
f) Insurance Companies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
g) Flls	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
h) Foreign VC Funds	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
i) Financial Inst./Bank	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sub Total B(1)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
(2) Non-Institutions									
a) Bodies Corporate									
i. Indians	1452500	-	1452500	8.57	1482500	-	1482500	8.75	0.18
ii. Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
b) Individuals									
i. Individual Shareholders									
holding nominal share									
capital up to ₹ 2.00 lakh	5323000	493000	5816000	34-33	5413000	493000	5906000	34.86	0.53
ii. Individual Shareholders									
holding nominal share									
capital in excess of ₹									
2.00 lakh	1910000	50000	1960000	11.57	1692000	50000	1742000	10.28	-1.29
c) Others (Specify)									
i. HUF	1053000	-	1053000	6.22	1149000	-	1149000	6.78	0.56
ii. NRIs	40000	-	40000	0.24	42000	-	42000	0.25	0.01
iii. Trusts	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sub Total B(2)	9744500	583000	10327500	60.97	9744500	583000	10327500	60.97	-
Total Public Shareholding									
B = B(1) + B(2)	9744500	583000	10327500	69.07	9744500	583000	10327500	69.07	-
C. Shares held by	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Custodian for GDRs &									
ADRs									
Grand Total (A+B+C)	16357000	583000	16940000	100.00	16357000	583000	16940000	100.00	-

ii) Shareholding of Promoters									
	Shareho	olding at the b year	eginning of the	Sharehol	% change in				
Shareholders Name	No. of Shares	% of total shares of the Company	% of Shares Pledged / encumbered to total shares	ged / No. of shares Pledged / bered Shares of the encumbers		% of Shares Pledged / encumbered to total shares	shareholding during the year		
I. C. Baid	5000	0.03	Nil	5000	0.03	Nil	-		
Saroj Baid	5000	0.03	Nil	5000	0.03	Nil	-		
Manish Baid	5000	0.03	Nil	5000	0.03	Nil	-		
Samir Baid	5000	0.03	Nil	5000	0.03	Nil	-		
Global Capital Markets Ltd	497500	2.94	Nil	497500	2.94	Nil	-		
GCM Securities Limited	6090000	35.95	Nil	6090000	35.95	Nil	-		
GCM Commodity & Derivatives Ltd.	5000	0.03	Nil	5000	0.03	Nil	-		

iii) Change in Promoters' Shareholding (Please specify, if there is no change)									
Particulars	Shareholding at the beginnin of the year			Shareholding the year	Date of Changes	Reason for			
	No. of % of total Shares shares of the		No. of Shares	% of total shares of the		Changes			
		Company		Company					
At the beginning of the year	6612500	39.03			Not Applicable				
At the end of the Year			6612500	39.03	Νοι Αρ	piicable			

iv) Shareholding of Top Ten Shareholders (Other than Directors, Promoters and Holders of GDRs & ADRs)								
For Each of the Top	Shareholding at the beginning of the year		Date wise increase/ decrease in	Cumulative Shareholding during and at the end of the year				
10 Shareholders	No. of Shares	% of total shares of the Company	Shareholding	No. of Shares	% of total shares of the Company			
Pranesh Trades Private Limited	700000	4.13	No Change	700000	4.13			
Joydip Roy	337000	1.99	No Change	337000	1.99			
Indrawati Enterprises Private Limited	211000	1.25	No Change	211000	1.25			
Vinay Kumar Tekriwal HUF	67000	0.40	Refer Note 1 below	204000	1.20			

Dulcet Advisory	160000	0.94	No Change	160000	0.94
Aryadeep Infrahomes Pvt. Limited	147500	0.87	No Change	147500	0.87
Pooja Tekriwal	307000	1.81	Refer Note 1 below	93000	0.55
Suman Tekriwal	254000	1.50	Refer Note 1 below	93000	0.55
Vinay Kumar Tekriwal	13000	0.08	Refer Note 1 below	90000	0.53
Shaniraj Rajendra Dhole	88000	0.52	No Change	88000	0.52
Krishna Murari Tekriwal	-	-	Refer Note 1 below	74000	0.44

**Note 1:** The Equity Shares of the Company are frequently traded on BSE and the Company does not procure Beneficiary Positions (BENPOS) on daily basis from Depositories. Due to this, the Company is unable to provide details of date wise change in Shareholding of top 10 shareholders during the current financial year.

v) Shareholding of Directors and Key Managerial Personnel								
	Share	holding at the	Cumulative Shareholding during					
For Each of Directors & KMP	beginr	ing of the year	and at the	end of the year				
FOI Eaction Directors & Rivir	No. of	% of total shares	No. of	% of total shares				
	Shares	of the Company	Shares	of the Company				
Manish Baid	5000	0.03	5000	0.03				
Laxmi Narayan Sharma	-	-	-	-				
Urmi Bose	-	-	-	-				
Suman Das	-	-	-	-				
Akshaya Chavan (Appointed w.e.f.29 Aug 2024)	-	-	-	-				
Rakshit Anchan (Resigned w.e.f. 5 <sup>th</sup> Dec 2024)	-	-	-	-				
Rohit Pandey (Appointed w.e.f. 6 <sup>th</sup> Dec 2024)	-	-	-	-				
Neha Sarawagi	-	-	-	-				
Date wise Increase/Decrease in shareholding during the increase/decrease (e.g. allotment/transfer/bonus/sweat	Not Any							

# V. INDEBTEDNESS

In Indebtedness of the Company including interest outstanding/accrued but not due for payment

	Secured Loans Excluding deposits ₹ in Lakh	Unsecured Loans ₹ in Lakh	Deposits ₹ in Lakh	Total Indebtedness ₹ in Lakh
Indebtedness at the beginning of the financial year				
i. Principal Amount	70.52	Nil	Nil	70.52
ii. Interest due but not Paid	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
iii. Interest Accrued but not due	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Change in Indebtedness during the financial year				
<ul> <li>Addition</li> </ul>	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Reduction	19.93	Nil	Nil	19.93
Indebtedness at the end of the financial year				
i. Principal Amount	50.59	Nil	Nil	50.59
ii. Interest due but not Paid	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
iii. Interest Accrued but not due	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Total (i+ii+iii)	50.59	Nil	Nil	50.59

VI. REM	VI. REMUNERATION OF DIRECTORS AND KEY MANAGERIAL PERSONNEL						
A.	A. Remuneration to Managing Director, Whole-time Directors and / or Manager (₹ in Lakh):						
Sr. No.	Particulars of Remuneration Manish Baid (MD)						
1.	Gross Salary						
	a) Salary	Nil					
	b) Value of Perquisites Nil						
	c) Profits in lieu of Salary	Nil					
2.	Stock Options	Nil					
3.	Sweat Equity	Nil					
5.	Commission	Nil					
6.	Other Allowance (Please specify)  Nil						
	Total	Nil					

B.	B. Remuneration to other Directors:								
Sr. No.	Particulars of Remuneration	Laxmi Narayan Sharma	Urmi Bose	Suman Das	Akshaya Suved Chavan				
1.	Gross Salary a) Salary b) Value of Perquisites c) Profits in lieu of Salary	Nil Nil Nil	Nil Nil Nil	Nil Nil Nil	Nil Nil Nil				
2.	Stock Options	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil				
3.	Sweat Equity	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil				
5.	Commission	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil				
6.	Other Allowance (Please specify)	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil				
	Total	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil				

C.	C. Remuneration to Key Managerial Personnel other than MD / Manager / WTD								
Sr. No.	Particulars of Remuneration	Rakshit Anchan	Rohit Pandey	Neha Sarawagi					
		(CFO)	(CFO)	Company Secretary					
		Resigned w.e.f.	Appointed w.e.f.						
		15 Jan 2025	15 Jan 2025						
1.	Gross Salary								
	a) Salary	4.19	1.04	1.80					
	b) Value of Perquisites	Nil	Nil	Nil					
	c) Profits in lieu of Salary	Nil	Nil	Nil					
2.	Stock Options	Nil	Nil	Nil					
3.	Sweat Equity	Nil	Nil	Nil					
5.	Commission	Nil	Nil	Nil					
6.	Other Allowance (Please specify)	Nil	Nil	Nil					
	Total	4.19	1.04	1.80					

VII. PENALTIES / PUNISHMENT / COMPOUNDING OF OFFENCES:								
Туре	Section of the Brief Details of Penalty / Authority Appeal m				Appeal made, if			
	Companies	Description	Punishment / Compounding	[RD / NCLT /	any (give details)			
	Act		fees imposed	COURT]				
A. Company								
Penalty								
Punishment			No Instance					
Compounding								
B. Directors								
Penalty								
Punishment			No Instance					
Compounding								
C. Other Officer	C. Other Officers in Default							
Penalty								
Punishment	No Instance							
Compounding								

Annexure -V

# Disclosure as required under Section 197(12) of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 5(1) of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014.

1. Ratio of the remuneration of each Director and Key Managerial Personnel (KMP) to the median remuneration of the employees of the Company and percentage increase in remuneration of the Directors and KMPs in the Financial Year is as under:

Sr. No.	Name of Director / KMP	Designation	Increase in Remuneration during the year (%)	Ratio of Remuneration of each Director & KMP to Median Remuneration of Employees
1.	Mr. Manish Baid	Managing Director	-	-
2.	Mr. L. N. Sharma	Independent Director	-	-
3.	Mrs. Urmi Bose	Independent Director	-	-
4.	Mr. Suman Das	Independent Director	-	-
5.	Mrs. Akshaya Suved Chavan	Independent Director	-	-
6.	Mr. Rohit Pandey (w.e.f. 6 <sup>th</sup> Dec 2024)	CFO	-	0.42:1
7.	Rakshit Anchan (up to 5 <sup>th</sup> Dec 2024)	CFO	31.58	1.59:1
8.	Neha Sarawagi	Company Secretary	-	0.72:1

- 2. No. of permanent employees on the rolls of the Company as on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025 10 (Ten)
- 3. During the Financial Year 2024-25, there is decrease of 9.33% in the median remuneration of employees;
- 4. There was 9.12% decrease in the salaries of managerial personnel in the financial year 2024-25.
- 5. It is hereby affirmed that the remuneration paid is as per the Nomination & Remuneration Policy of the Company.
- 6. Sitting fees is not forming part of remuneration in aforesaid calculation.

# **Annexure to Directors' Report**

#### **CORPORATE GOVERNANCE**

The Directors present the Company's Report on Corporate Governance for the year ended March 31, 2025, in terms of Regulation 34(3) read with Schedule V of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (The "Listing Regulations").

The Company recognizes that the enhancement of corporate governance is one of the most important aspects in terms of achieving the Company's goal of enhancing corporate value by deepening societal trust. Strong corporate governance founded on values is the bedrock of the sustained performance at the Company and fuels the Company's vision to achieve the respect of stakeholders.

The Corporate Governance standards established (and updated from time to time) by the Board of the Company provide a structure within which directors and the Management can effectively pursue the Company's objectives for the benefit of its stakeholders.

For accomplishment of the objectives of ensuring fair Corporate Governance, the Government of India has put in place a framework based on the stipulations contained under the Companies Act, SEBI Regulations, Accounting Standards, Secretarial Standards, etc. Corporate Governance has become a buzzword in the corporate world. Globalizations, widespread of shareholders, changing ownership structure, greater expectations, etc. have made a good Corporate Governance sin-quo-nun of modern management.

## COMPANY'S PHILOSOPHY ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

The Company's governance philosophy is based on trusteeship, transparency and accountability. As a corporate citizen, our business fosters a culture of ethical behavior and disclosures aimed at building trust of our stakeholders. The Company's Code of Business Conduct and Ethics, Internal Code of Conduct for Regulating, Monitoring and Reporting of Trades by Insiders and the Charter–Business for Peace are an extension of our values and reflect our commitment to ethical business practices, integrity and regulatory compliances.

The Company's governance framework is based on the following principles:

- ✓ Appropriate composition and size of the Board, with each member bringing in expertise in their respective domains;
- ✓ Timely disclosure of material operational and financial information to the stakeholders;
- ✓ Availability of Information to the members of the Board and Board Committees to enable them to discharge their fiduciary duties;
- ✓ Systems and processes in place for internal control; and
- ✓ Proper business conduct by the Board, Senior Management and Employees.

# **GOVERNANCE STRUCTURE**

The Corporate Governance Structure at GCM Capital Advisors Limited (GCM) is as under:-

- 1. Board of Directors: The Board is entrusted with the ultimate responsibility of the management, directions and performance of the Company. As its primary role is fiduciary in nature, the Board provides leadership, strategic guidance, objective and independent view to the Company's management while discharging its responsibilities, thus ensuring that the management adheres to ethics, transparency and disclosure.
- 2. Committees of the Board: The Board has constituted the following committees viz. Audit Committee, Nomination & Remuneration Committee and Stakeholders' Relationship Committee. Each of said Committee has been managed to operate within a given framework.

## **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

## **Size & Composition of Directors**

The Board has five members with an executive Chairman. The Independent Directors on the Board are competent and highly respected professionals from their respective fields and have vast experience in general corporate management, finance, banking and other allied fields which enable them to contribute effectively to the Company in their capacity as members of the Board. The day to day management of the Company is conducted by Managing Director subject to supervisions and control of the Board.

The composition and category of the Board of Directors as at March 31, 2025, the number of other Directorships/Committee memberships held by them and also the attendance of the Directors at the Board meetings of the Company are as under:

Name	Designation	DIN	Date of Joining / Re- appointment	Committee Membership in across all Listed Cos.	Committee Chairman-ship in across all Listed Cos.	No. of Directorship in across all Listed Cos.
Manish Baid	Chairman & Managing Director	00239347	18 <sup>th</sup> August 2023	3	Nil	3
Laxmi Narayan Sharma	Independent Director	00356855	18 <sup>th</sup> April 2015	3	3	2
Urmi Bose	Independent Director	07245298	24 <sup>th</sup> April 2018	-	2	2
Suman Das	Independent Director	09440355	30 <sup>th</sup> July 2022	4	1	3
Akshaya Suved Chavan	Independent Director	09421579	29 <sup>th</sup> August 2024	4	2	5

#### Notes:

- a. None of the directors hold directorships in more than twenty companies of which directorship in public companies does not exceed ten in line with the provisions of Section 165 of the Act.
- b. None of the directors hold membership of more than ten committees of board, nor, is a chairman of more than five committees across board of all listed entities.
- c. No director holds directorship in more than seven listed entities.
- d. None of the independent director holds the position of the independent director in more than seven listed companies as required under the Listing Regulations.
- e. None of the director has been appointed as an Alternate Director for Independent Director.
- f. The information provided above pertains to the following committees in accordance with the provisions of Regulation 26(1) (b) of the Listing Regulations: (i) Audit Committee; and (ii) Stakeholders Relationship Committee.
- g. The committee membership and chairmanship above excludes membership and chairmanship in private companies, foreign companies and Section 8 companies.
- h. There are no inter-relations between the Directors of the Company.

# The Chairman and Managing Director

His primary role is to provide leadership to the Board in achieving goals of the Company. He is responsible for transforming the Company into a successful organization. He is responsible, inter-alia, for the working of the Board and for ensuring that all relevant issues are placed before the Board and that all Directors are encouraged to provide their expert guidance on the relevant issues raised in the meetings of the Board. He is also responsible for formulating the corporate strategy along with other members of the Board of Directors. His role, inter alia, includes:

- Provide leadership to the Board and preside over all Board and General Meetings.
- Achieve goals in accordance with Company's overall vision.
- Ensure that Board decisions are aligned with Company's strategic policy.
- Ensure to place all relevant matters before the Board and encourage healthy participation by all Directors to enable them to provide their expert guidance.
- Monitor the core management team.

**Non-Executive Directors (including Independent Directors)** play a critical role in balancing the functioning of the Board by providing independent judgments on various issues raised in the Board Meetings like formulation of business strategies, monitoring of performances, etc. Their role, inter- alia, includes:

- Impart balance to the Board by providing independent judgment.
- Provide feedback on Company's strategy and performance.
- Provide effective feedback and recommendations for further improvements.

# Disclosure of relationships between Directors inter-se

None of Directors are related with each other.

# Number of Shares and Convertible Instruments held by Non-Executive Directors

None of the Non-Executive Directors holds any shareholding in the Company.

## Role of the Company Secretary in Governance Process

The Company Secretary plays a key role in ensuring that the Board procedures are followed and regularly reviewed. The Company Secretary ensures that all relevant information, details and documents are made available to the Directors and senior management for effective decision making at the meetings. The Company Secretary is primarily responsible, to assist the Board in the conduct of affairs of the Company, to ensure compliance with applicable statutory requirements and Secretarial Standards, to provide guidance to Directors and to facilitate convening of meetings. He interfaces between the management and regulatory authorities for governance matters. All the Directors of the Company have access to the advice and services of the Company Secretary.

# **Board Independence**

The Non-Executive Independent Directors fulfill the conditions of independence as specified in Section 149 of Companies Act, 2013 and Rules made there under and to meet with requirements of Regulation 16(b) of Listing Regulations. Further, none of the Independent Director is serving more than seven listed companies. In case he/she is serving as a Whole-Time Director in any listed company, does not hold the position of Independent Director in more than three listed companies. A formal letter of appointment to Independent Director as provided in Companies Act, 2013 and the Listing Regulations has been issued and draft of the same has been disclosed on website of the Company.

## **Board Meetings**

The Board meets at regular intervals to discuss and decide on business strategies/policies and review the financial performance of the Company and its subsidiaries. The Board Meetings are pre-scheduled and a tentative annual calendar of the Board is circulated to the Directors well in advance to facilitate the Directors to plan their schedules. In case of business exigencies, the Board's calls the meeting as pre requirements of prevailing Act.

The notice and detailed agenda along with the relevant notes and other material information are sent in advance separately to each Director and in exceptional cases tabled at the Meeting with the approval of the Board. This ensures timely and informed decisions by the Board. The Board reviews the performance of the Company.

## Roles, Responsibilities and Duties of the Board

The duties of Board of Directors have been enumerated in Listing Regulations, Section 166 and Schedule IV of the said Act (Schedule IV is specifically for Independent Directors). There is a clear demarcation of responsibility and authority amongst the Board of Directors.

# Information placed before the Board

The Company provides the information as set out in Regulation 17 read with Part "A" of Schedule II of Listing Regulations to the Board and the Board Committees to the extent it is applicable and relevant. Such information is submitted either as part of the agenda papers in advance of the respective meetings or by way of presentations and discussions during the meeting.

## Minutes of the Meeting

The draft Minutes of the proceedings of the Meetings are circulated amongst the Members of the Board / Committees. Comments and suggestions, if any, received from the Directors are incorporated in the Minutes, in consultation with the Chairman. The Minutes are confirmed by the Members and signed by the Chairman of such meeting at any time before the next meeting is held or by the Chairman of the next Board / Committee Meetings. All Minutes of the Committee Meetings are placed before the Board Meeting for perusal and noting.

# **Post Meeting Mechanism**

The important decisions taken at the Board/Committee meetings are communicated to the concerned department/s and/or division.

#### **Board Support**

The Company Secretary attends the Board meetings and advises the Board on Compliances with applicable laws and governance.

# **Board diversity policy**

The Company has a Board approved policy on Board diversity. The objective of the policy is to ensure that the Board comprises of adequate number of members with diverse experience and skills, such that it best serves the governance and strategic needs of the Company. The Board composition, as at present, broadly meets with the above objective.

# **Familiarization Programme for Independent Directors**

At the time of appointing Director, a formal letter of appointment is given to him/her, which inter alia explains the role, function, duties and responsibilities expected of him/her as a Director of the Company. The Director is also explained in detail the Compliance required from him/her under the Companies Act, 2013, requirements of Listing Regulations, 2015 and other relevant regulations and affirmation taken with respect to the same. The Chairman & Managing Director also has one to one discussion with the newly appointed Director to familiarize him/her with the Company's operations. Further, the Company has put in place a system to familiarize the Independent Directors about the Company, its services, business and the on-going events relating to the Company.

Further, at the time of appointment of Independent Director, the Company issues a formal letter of appointment outlining his/her role, function, duties and responsibilities as a Director. The format of the letter of appointment is available on Company website.

In terms of the SEBI Listing Regulations, your Company conducts the Familiarisation Program for Independent Directors about their roles, rights and responsibilities in your Company, nature of the industry in which your Company operates, business model of your Company etc., through various initiatives. Web-link of familiarization Programme for Independent Directors is <a href="http://www.gcmcap.com/company-policies.html">http://www.gcmcap.com/company-policies.html</a>

# **Details of Board Meetings**

The Board of Directors met 6 times on 20<sup>th</sup> April, 27<sup>th</sup> May, 29<sup>th</sup> August, 14<sup>th</sup> November and on 6<sup>th</sup> December in year 2024, on 15<sup>th</sup> January 2025 during the financial year 2024-25.

Attendance of Board of Directors at the Board Meeting and at the last Annual General Meeting:

Name	Designation	Attendance at the AGM	Meetings entitled to Attend	Meetings Attended
Manish Baid	Chairman & Managing Director	Yes	6	6
Laxmi Narayan Sharma	Independent Director	Yes	6	6
Urmi Bose	Independent Director	Yes	6	6
Suman Das	Independent Director	Yes	6	6
Akshaya Suved Chavan*	Independent Director	Yes	3	3

<sup>\*</sup>Appointed w.e.f.29<sup>th</sup> Aug 2024

#### **COMMITTEES OF THE BOARD**

In terms of the Companies Act 2013, SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, the Board of Directors has constituted Board Committees to deal with specific areas and activities which concern the Company and requires a closer review. The Board Committees are formed with approval of the Board and function under their respective Charters. These Committees play an important role in the overall Management of day-to-day affairs and governance of the Company. The Board Committees meet at regular intervals and take necessary steps to perform its duties entrusted by the Board. The Minutes of the Committee Meetings are placed before the Board for noting.

The Company has three Board Level Committees:

- Audit Committee
- Nomination & Remuneration Committee
- Stakeholders' Relationship Committee

## **AUDIT COMMITTEE**

Audit Committee of the Board of Directors ("the Audit Committee") is entrusted with the responsibility to supervise the Company's internal controls and financial reporting process. The composition, quorum, powers, role and scope are in accordance with Section 177 of the Companies Act, 2013 and the provisions of Regulation 18 of the Listing Regulations. All members of the Audit Committee are financially literate and bring in expertise in the fields of Finance, Taxation, Economics, Risk and International Finance. It functions in accordance with its terms of reference that defines its authority, responsibility and reporting function.

In view of the amendments to the Listing Regulations and SEBI PIT Regulations, the Board amended the terms of reference of the Committee, effective from 1<sup>st</sup> April 2019.

These broadly include oversight of the Company's financial reporting process and disclosure of its financial information, review of financial statements, review of compliances and review of systems and controls, approval or any subsequent modification of transactions of the Company with related parties, review compliance with regulation 9A of the SEBI PIT Regulations, etc.

#### **TERMS OF REFERENCE**

The Board has framed the Audit Committee Charter for the purpose of effective compliance of provisions of Section 177 of the Act and Regulation 18 of the Listing Regulations. The Audit Committee inter alia performs the functions to:

- 1. Review with the Company's Chief Financial Officer ('CFO'), the preparation, execution and results of the Company's annual internal audit work program;
- 2. Review the Company's financial reporting process and the disclosure of its financial information to ensure that the financial statements are correct, sufficient and credible;
- 3. Review with the management, performance of statutory and internal auditors and review of adequacy of the internal control systems;
- 4. Discussion with statutory auditors before audit commences, about the nature and scope of audit as well as postaudit discussion to ascertain any area of concern;
- 5. Discussion with internal auditors on any significant findings and follow up thereon;
- 6. Recommend appointment of Statutory, Internal and Cost Auditors and their remuneration;
- 7. Look after the risk assessment including fraud risk and risk guidelines governing the risk management process;
- 8. Review the management discussion and analysis of financial condition and results of operations;
- 9. Review statement of significant related party transactions (as defined by the Audit Committee), submitted by management;
- 10. Review the internal audit reports relating to internal control weaknesses;
- 11. Scrutinize inter-corporate loans and investments;
- 12. Review the functioning of the Whistle blower mechanism; and
- 13. Review compliance with the provisions of SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015 with reference to events which were regarded as UPSI, whether such UPSI were shared in the manner expected, instances of leaks, if any, instance of breaches of the Code, efficiency of sensitization process, etc. at least once in a financial year and shall verify that the systems for internal control are adequate and are operating effectively.

In fulfilling the above role, the Audit Committee has powers to investigate any activity within its terms of reference, to seek information from employees and to obtain outside legal and professional advice.

# **FUNCTIONS OF AUDIT COMMITTEE**

The Audit Committee, while reviewing the Annual Financial Statements also reviews the applicability of various Accounting Standards (AS) referred to in Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013. Compliance of the Accounting Standards as applicable to the Company has been ensured in the preparation of the Financial Statements for the year ended March 31, 2025.

The Audit Committee bridges the gap between the Internal Auditors and the Statutory Auditors. To ensure good Governance, the Company has been rotating Partners of Statutory Auditors. The Statutory Auditors are responsible for performing Independent audit of the Company's financial statements in accordance with the generally accepted auditing practices and issuing reports based on such audits, while the Internal Auditors are responsible for the internal risk controls.

Besides the above, Chairman and Managing Director, Chief Financial Officer, the representatives of the Statutory Auditors and the Internal Auditors are permanent invitees to the Audit Committee Meetings. The Company Secretary acts as a Secretary to the Committee as required by Regulation 18(1)€ of the Listing Regulations.

The Company follows best practices in financial reporting. The Company has been reporting on quarterly basis, the Unaudited Financial Results as required by the Regulation 33 of the Listing Regulations. The Company's quarterly Un-audited Standalone Financial Results are made available on the web-site <a href="https://www.gcmcap.com">www.gcmcap.com</a> and are also sent to the Stock Exchanges where the Company's equity shares are listed for display at their respective websites.

The Audit Committee also oversees and reviews the functioning of a vigil mechanism (implemented in the Company as Whistle Blower Policy) and reviews the finding of investigation into cases of material nature and the actions taken in respect thereof.

## INTERNAL CONTROLS AND GOVERNANCE PROCESSES

The Company continuously invests in strengthening its internal control and processes. The Audit Committee along with the CFO formulates a detailed plan to the Internal Auditors for the year, which is reviewed at the Audit Committee Meetings. The Internal Auditors attend the meetings of Audit Committee at regular intervals and submit their recommendations to the Audit Committee and provide a road map for the future.

# **Constitution and Meetings of Audit Committee**

There was no change in constitution of Committee during the year.

The members of Audit Committee met six times on 20<sup>th</sup> April, 27<sup>th</sup> May, 29<sup>th</sup> August, 14<sup>th</sup> November and on 6<sup>th</sup> December in year 2024 and on 14<sup>th</sup> February 2025, during the financial year ended on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2025.

Name	Position	Number of Meetings Held	Meetings entitled to Attend	Meetings Attended
Mrs. Urmi Bose	Chairman	6	6	6
Mr. Laxmi Narayan Sharma	Member	6	6	6
Mr. Manish Baid	Member	6	6	6

#### NOMINATION AND REMUNERATION COMMITTEE

The Nomination and Remuneration Committee consists of three Non-Executive Directors. All members of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee are financially literate and they have accounting or related financial management expertise. The Composition of Remuneration and Nomination Committee is pursuant to the provisions of Section 178 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Regulation 19 of Listing Regulations.

## **Terms of Reference**

The Board has framed the Remuneration and Nomination Committee Charter which ensure effective Compliance of Section 178 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Regulation 19 of Listing Regulations, which are as follows:

- Reviewing the overall compensation policy, service agreements and other employment conditions of Managing/Whole-time Director(s) and Senior Management (one level below the Board):
- to help in determining the appropriate size, diversity and composition of the Board;
- to recommend to the Board appointment/reappointment and removal of Directors;
- to frame criteria for determining qualifications, positive attributes and independence of Directors;
- to recommend to the Board remuneration payable to the Directors (while fixing the remuneration to Executive Directors the restrictions contained in the Companies Act, 2013 is to be considered);
- to create an evaluation framework for Independent Directors and the Board;
- to provide necessary reports to the Chairman after the evaluation process is completed by the Directors;
- to assist in developing a succession plan for the Board;
- to assist the Board in fulfilling responsibilities entrusted from time-to-time;
- Delegation of any of its powers to any Member of the Committee or the Compliance Officer.

#### POLICY FOR SELECTION AND APPOINTMENT OF DIRECTORS AND THEIR REMUNERATION

The Nomination and Remuneration (N&R) Committee has adopted a Charter which, inter alia, deals with the manner of selection of Board of Directors and CEO & Managing Director and their remuneration. This Policy is accordingly derived from the said Charter.

# PRINCIPLE AND RATIONALE

Section 178 of the Companies Act, 2013 and the provisions of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 require the Nomination and Remuneration Committee of the Board of Directors of every listed entity, among other classes of companies, to –

- formulate the criteria for determining qualifications, positive attributes and independence of a director and recommend to the Board a policy, relating to the remuneration for the directors, key managerial personnel and other employees.
- identify persons who are qualified to become directors and who may be appointed in senior management in accordance with the criteria laid down, recommend to the Board their appointment and removal
- carry out evaluation of every director's performance formulate the criteria for evaluation of Independent Directors and the Board

Accordingly, in adherence to the above said requirements and in line with the Company philosophy towards nurturing its human resources, the Nomination and Remuneration Committee of the Board of Directors of GCM Capital Advisors Limited herein below recommends to the Board of Directors for its adoption the Nomination and Remuneration Policy for the directors, key managerial personnel and other employees of the Company as set out below:

#### Criteria of selection of Non-Executive Directors

- The Non-Executive Directors shall be of high integrity with relevant expertise and experience so as to have a diverse Board with Directors having expertise in the fields of accounting, finance, taxation, law etc. However Women Director is exempted from said criteria.
- In case of appointment of Independent Directors, the N&R Committee shall satisfy itself with regard to the independent nature of the Directors vis-à-vis the Company so as to enable the Board to discharge its function and duties effectively.
- The N&R Committee shall ensure that the candidate identified for appointment as a Director is not disqualified for appointment under Section 164 of the Companies Act, 2013.
- The N&R Committee shall consider the following attributes / criteria, whilst recommending to the Board the candidature for appointment as Director
  - a. Qualification, expertise and experience of the Directors in their respective fields;
  - b. Personal, Professional or business standing;
  - c. Diversity of the Board.
- In case of re-appointment of Non-Executive Directors, the Board shall take into consideration the performance evaluation of the Director and his engagement level.

## Remuneration

The Non-Executive Directors shall be entitled to receive remuneration by way of sitting fees, reimbursement of expenses for participation in the Board / Committee meetings. A Non-Executive Director shall be entitled to receive sitting fees for each meeting of the Board or Committee of the Board attended by him, of such sum as may be approved by the Board of Directors within the overall limits prescribed under the Companies Act, 2013 and The Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014.

# CEO & Managing Director - Criteria for selection / appointment

For the purpose of selection of the CEO & MD, the N&R Committee shall identify persons of integrity who possess relevant expertise, experience and leadership qualities required for the position and shall take into consideration recommendation, if any, received from any member of the Board.

The Committee will also ensure that the incumbent fulfills such other criteria with regard to age and other qualifications as laid down under the Companies Act, 2013 or other applicable laws.

# Remuneration for the CEO & Managing Director

- At the time of appointment or re-appointment, the CEO & Managing Director shall be paid such remuneration as may be mutually agreed between the Company (which includes the N&R Committee and the Board of Directors) and the CEO & Managing Director within the overall limits prescribed under the Companies Act, 2013.
- The remuneration shall be subject to the approval of the Members of the Company in General Meeting.
- The remuneration of the CEO & Managing Director is paid by way of salary, allowances, perquisites, amenities and retirement benefits.

# General

This Policy shall apply to all future employment of Company's Senior Management including Key Managerial Personnel and Board of Directors.

Any or all the provisions of this Policy would be subject to the revision/ amendment in the Companies Act, 2013, related rules and regulations, guidelines and the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 on the subject as may be notified from time to time. Any such amendment shall automatically have the effect of amending this Policy without the need of any approval by the Nomination and Remuneration Committee and/ or the Board of Directors.

# **PERFORMANCE EVALUATION**

In terms of regulation 19 read with Schedule II to the Listing Regulations, the Company has framed a policy stipulating the criteria for evaluation of directors and the Board. In light of SEBI's Guidance Note dated 5 January 2017 on Board Evaluation, the Nomination and Remuneration Committee (NRC) and Board of Directors have revised the policy containing criteria for performance evaluation.

In view of the amendments to section 178(2) of the Act, the Board of Directors of the Company, at its meeting held on 1<sup>st</sup> March 2025, had approved the evaluation of the performance of Board, its Committees, the Chairperson and individual directors to be carried out by the Board only and would not be duplicated by the NRC. The NRC will only review its implementation and compliance.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Act and the Listing Regulations, the Board has carried out an annual performance evaluation of its own performance, and that of its Committees, Chairperson and individual directors.

## **Constitution and Meetings of Nomination & Remuneration Committee**

There was no change in the constitution of Nomination & Remuneration Committee during the year under review.

The members of Nomination & Remuneration Committee met twice on 29<sup>th</sup> August 2024 and on 6<sup>th</sup> December 2024 during the financial year ended on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2025.

Name	Position	Number of Meetings Held	Meetings entitled to Attend	Meetings Attended
Mr. Laxmi Narayan Sharma	Chairman	2	2	2
Mrs. Urmi Bose	Member	2	2	2
Mr. Suman Das	Member	2	2	2

#### STAKEHOLDERS' RELATIONSHIP COMMITTEE

The Stakeholder's Relationship Committee is constituted in line with the provisions of Regulation 20 of the SEBI LODR Regulations 2015, read with Section 178 of the Act and rules made thereunder.

#### **Terms of Reference**

The Board approved 'Terms of Reference' of the Committee of Directors (Stakeholders Relationship Committee) in compliance with Section 178 of the Act and Regulation 20 read with Part D of Schedule II of the Listing Regulations. This Committee generally meets once a month. The Committee looks into the matters of Shareholders/Investors grievances along with other matters listed below:

- 1. to consider and resolve the grievances of security holders of the Company including complaints related to transfer/transmission of shares, non-receipt of annual report, non-receipt of declared dividends, issue of new/duplicate certificates, general meetings etc.;
- 2. to consider and approve demat/remat of shares / split / consolidation / sub-division of share / debenture certificates;
- 3. to consider and approve issue of share certificates (including issue of renewed or duplicate share certificates), transposition of names, deletion of names transfer and transmission of securities, etc.;
- 4. to oversee and review all matters connected with the transfer of the Company's securities;
- 5. to consider and approve opening/modification of operation and closing of bank accounts;
- 6. to grant special/general Power of Attorney in favour of employees of the Company from time to time in connection with the conduct of the business of the Company particularly with Government and Quasi- Government Institutions;
- 7. to fix record date/book closure of share/debenture transfer book of the Company from time to time;
- 8. to appoint representatives to attend the General Meeting of other companies in which the Company is holding securities;
- 9. to change the signatories for availing of various facilities from Banks/Financial Institution;
- 10. to grant authority to execute and sign foreign exchange contracts and derivative transactions;
- 11. to monitor implementation and compliance with the Company's Code of Conduct for Prohibition of Insider Trading;
- 12. to review measures taken for effective exercise of voting rights by shareholders;

- 13. to review adherence to the standards adopted by the Company in respect of various services being rendered by the Registrar & Share Transfer Agent;
- 14. to review of the measures and initiatives taken by the Company for reducing the quantum of unclaimed dividends and ensuring timely receipt of dividend warrants/annual reports/statutory notices by the shareholders of the Company;
- 15. to assist the Board in reviewing and implementing policies under the Business Responsibility Reporting of the Company as may be delegated by the Board;
- 16. to carry out any other function as prescribed under the SEBI (Listing Obligation and Disclosure Requirement)
  Regulations, 2015, the Companies Act, 2013 and other applicable laws as amended from time to time; and
- 17. to carry out any other duties that may be delegated to the Committee by the Board of Directors from time-to-time.

The Secretarial Department of the Company and the Registrar and Share Transfer Agent, S. K. Infosolutions Private Limited attend to all grievances of the shareholders received directly or through SEBI, Stock Exchanges, Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Registrar of Companies, etc. The Minutes of the Committee of Directors (Stakeholders Relationship Committee) Meetings are circulated to the Board and noted by the Board of Directors.

Continuous efforts are made to ensure that grievances are more expeditiously redressed to the complete satisfaction of the investors. Shareholders are requested to furnish their updated telephone numbers and e-mail addresses to facilitate prompt action.

# **Compliance Officer**

The Company has appointed Ms. Neha Sarawagi, Company Secretary as a Compliance Officer w.e.f. 1<sup>st</sup> April 2022, within the meaning of requirements of Regulation 6 of Listing Regulations.

## Constitution and Meetings of Stakeholders' Relationship Committee

There was no change in constitution of Stakeholders' Relationship Committee during the year under review.

During the year, one meeting of the Stakeholders' Relationship Committee was held on 27<sup>th</sup> May 2024 during the financial year 2024-25.

Brief Details of Names, Position, Category and meeting attended by Members of Committee is as follows:

Name	Position	Category	Meetings entitled to Attend	Meetings Attended
Mrs. Urmi Bose	Member	Independent, Non-Executive	1	1
Mr. Laxmi Narayan Sharma	Chairman	Independent, Non-Executive	1	1
Mr. Manish Baid	Member	Executive Director	1	1

# SEBI COMPLAINTS REDRESSAL SYSTEM (SCORES):

The investors' complaints are also being processed through the centralized web based complaint redressal system. The salient features of SCORES are availability of centralized data base of the complaints, uploading online action taken reports by the Company. Through SCORES the investors can view online, the action taken and current status of the complaints. In its efforts to improve ease of doing business, SEBI has launched a mobile app "SEBI SCORES", making it easier for investors to lodge their grievances with SEBI, as they can now access SCORES at their convenience of a smart phone.

# **DETAILS OF SHAREHOLDERS' COMPLAINTS**

There was Nil Complaint pending at the beginning of the Financial Year. During the year the Company did not receive any legitimate compliant from any of the shareholders. Further, there was no pending complaint at the close of the financial year.

During the financial year, the Company has received several emails asking about the reason for fall in the price of Company's Equity Shares in Stock Market, whether the Company is willing to buy the shares held by Investors etc. The Company has suitably replied these queries as the performance of stock market or price of shares are determined by the investors themselves on the plate form of stock exchanges and the Company has no intervention in the same. In regard to purchase of shares from investors by the company, the Company will inform to both Stock Exchanges and Investors; as and when the decision of buy-back will be taken by the Board.

As required under Regulation 40(9) of Listing Regulations, a Certificate on yearly basis confirming due compliance of share transfer formalities by the Company from Practicing Company Secretary has been submitted to the Stock Exchanges within stipulated time.

The Company has designated email id <a href="mailto:gcmcap@gmail.com">gcmcap@gmail.com</a> to lodge Investor complaints. Apart from this, the SEBI has also facilitated Investors to lodge complaints directly on SCORES on SEBI website for faster addressing and resolutions of Investor Complaints.

## **Independent Directors' Meeting**

During the year under review, the Independent Directors met on February 14, 2025, inter alia, to discuss:

- Evaluate performance of Non-Independent Directors and the Board of Directors as a whole;
- Evaluate performance of the Chairman of the Company, taking into account the views of the Executive and Non-Executive Directors;
- Evaluate and assess the key transactions (including related party transactions) undertaken since the last independent directors meeting, and the assessment of the performance of the same;
- Evaluation of the quality, content and timeliness of flow of information between the Management and the Board that is necessary for the Board to effectively and reasonably perform its duties;
- Recommend measures for corporate governance; and
- Review recommendation from the last Independent Directors meeting.

All the Independent Directors were present at the Meeting.

## **GENERAL BODY MEETINGS**

Location & time for the last three Annual General Meetings:

Annual General Meeting	Date & Time	Venue
11 <sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting	24 <sup>th</sup> September 2024, 11.00 AM	Meeting held by mode of VC/OAVM
10 <sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting	28 <sup>th</sup> September 2023, 11.30 AM	Meeting held by mode of VC/OAVM
9 <sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting	20 <sup>th</sup> September 2022, 12.30 PM	Meeting held by mode of VC/OAVM

#### LOCATION AND TIME OF LAST THREE EXTRA-ORDINARY GENERAL MEETINGS:

No Extra-Ordinary General Meetings were held during last three financial years.

## **POSTAL BALLOT**

No Resolution has been passed during last three financial years by way of Postal Ballot.

## SPECIAL RESOLUTION PASSED IN LAST THREE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETINGS:

The Special Resolution has been passed in the 9<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting held on 20<sup>th</sup> September 2022, for appointment of Mr. Suman Das as Independent Director of the Company.

Further, the Special Resolution were passed in the 10<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting held on 28<sup>th</sup> September 2023, for -

- Appointment of Mr. Manish Baid as Chairman & Managing Director of the Company, to Borrow funds in excess of the limits provided under section 180 (1)(c) of the Companies Act, 2013
- To mortgage / create charge on the assets of the Company as a security towards borrowings
- To approve transactions under Section 185 of the Companies Act, 2013
- Approval for investments/ Loans/ Guarantees/ Securities under section 186 of the Companies Act, 2013

Furthermore, the Special Resolution were passed in the 11<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting held on 24<sup>th</sup> September 2024, for -

Appointment of Ms. Akshaya Suved Chavan as an Independent Director of the Company.

Apart from the above, no Special Resolution was being passed in remaining Annual General Meeting during last three financial years.

# **BOARD DISCLOSURES**

## **Compliance with Governance Framework**

The Company is in compliance with all mandatory requirements under Listing Regulations, 2015.

#### STRICTURES AND PENALTIES

No strictures or penalties have been imposed on the Company by the Stock Exchanges or by the Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) or by any statutory authority on any matters related to capital markets activities during the last three years, except as stated herein below -

o Penalty of Rs. 2.00 Lakh was levied by SEBI on Company and of Rs. 3.00 Lakh on then Directors for violation of Regulations 57 and 58 of ICDR Regulations, 2009 during FY 2022-23.

#### DISCLOSURE OF ACCOUNTING TREATMENT

In the preparation of the financial statements, the Company has followed the Accounting Standards referred to in Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013. The significant accounting policies which are consistently applied have been set out in the Notes to the Financial Statements. There was no deviation in following the treatments prescribed in any of the Accounting Standards (AS) in the preparation of the financial statements of the Company.

#### **RISK MANAGEMENT**

Risk management is embedded in your Company's operating framework. Your Company believes that managing risks helps in maximizing returns. The Company's approach to addressing business risks is comprehensive and includes periodic review of such risks and a framework for mitigating controls and reporting mechanism of such risks. The risk management framework is examined periodically by the Board and the Audit Committee.

# **DETAILS OF UTILISATION OF FUND**

During the year, the Company has not raised any funds through preferential allotment, right issue or qualified institutions placement as specified under Regulation 32(7A) of the Listing Regulations.

#### SEBI / STOCK EXCHANGE COMPLIANCE

The Company has complied with all requirements of the Listing Agreement entered into with Stock Exchanges and also SEBI Listing Regulations. Consequently there were no strictures or penalties imposed either by SEBI or Stock Exchange or any Statutory Authority for non-compliance of any matter related to the Capital Markets during the last three years.

#### PREVENTION OF INSIDER TRADING

The Company has adopted an 'Internal Code of Conduct for Regulating, Monitoring and Reporting of Trades by Designated Persons ("the Code") in accordance with the SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015 as amended from time to time ("the PIT Regulations").

The Code is applicable to Promoters, Member of Promoter's Group, all Directors and such Designated Persons who are expected to have access to unpublished price sensitive information relating to the Company. The Company Secretary is the Compliance Officer for monitoring adherence to the said PIT Regulations.

The Company has put in place adequate and effective system of internal controls to ensure compliance with the requirements of the PIT Regulations. A structured digital database is being maintained by the Company, which contains the names and other particulars as prescribed of the persons covered under the Codes drawn up pursuant to the PIT Regulations.

The Company has formulated the 'Policy on Procedure of Inquiry in case of leak / suspected leak of Unpublished Price Sensitive Information' ('UPSI'). The policy is formulated to maintain ethical standards in dealing with sensitive information of the Company by persons who have access to UPSI. The rationale of the policy is to strengthen the internal control systems to ensure that the UPSI is not communicated to any person except in accordance with the Insider Trading Regulations. The Policy also provides an investigation procedure in case of leak/suspected leak of UPSI.

The Company has also formulated a Policy for determination of 'legitimate purposes' as a part of the Code of Practices and Procedures for Fair Disclosure of UPSI as per the requirements of the Insider Trading Regulations. The Company Secretary has been appointed as the Compliance Officer for ensuring implementation of the codes for fair disclosure and conduct. The Board, designated persons and other connected persons have affirmed compliance with the Code. This Code is displayed on the Company's website.

## **CREDIT RATINGS**

During the year under review, the Company has not borrowed any money and has not raised any funds. Hence, disclosure pertaining to utilization of funds and Credit Rating is not applicable.

# Compliance with the requirements of Corporate Governance

All the requirements of Corporate Governance specified in Regulation 17 to 27 of Listing Regulations and of sub-regulation (2) of Regulation 46 of Listing Regulations have been complied with.

## **DISCLOSURES**

- (a) There were no transactions with related party i.e. with Promoters, Directors, Management, Subsidiaries or Relatives that may have potential conflict of interest with the Company at large. The details of the related Party transactions are disclosed under the notes on accounts, as required under the Accounting Standard 18 issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India.
- (b) There has been no instance of non-compliance by the Company on any matter related to Capital Markets and hence the question of penalties or strictures being imposed on the Company by the Stock Exchange or SEBI or any Statutory Authority does not arise.
- (c) In Compliance with the Securities & Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015 as amended till date, on Prohibition of Insider Trading, the Company has a comprehensive Code of Conduct and the same is being strictly adhered to by its management, staff and relevant business associates. The code expressly lays down the guidelines and the procedure to be followed and disclosures to be made, while dealing with shares of the Company and cautioning them on the consequences of non-compliance thereof. Further, we affirm that no personnel have been denied access to the Audit Committee.
- (d) Reconciliation of Share Capital Audit: As stipulated by SEBI, a qualified Practicing Company Secretary carries out Secretarial Audit to reconcile the total admitted capital with National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL) and Central Depository Services (India) Limited (CDSL) and the total issued and listed capital. This audit is carried out every quarter and the report thereon is submitted to the Stock Exchanges where the company's shares are Listed the audit confirms that the total Listed and Paid-up Capital is in agreement with the aggregate of the total number of shares in dematerialized form (held with NSDL and CDSL) and total number of shares in physical form.

#### **CODE OF BUSINESS CONDUCT & ETHICS**

The Company has adopted Code of Business Conduct and Ethics ("the Code") which is applicable to the Board of Directors and Senior Management Team (one level below the Board of Directors) of the Company. The Board of Directors and the members of Senior Management Team are required to affirm semi-annual compliance of this Code. The Code requires Directors and Employees to act honestly, fairly, ethically and with integrity, conduct themselves in professional, courteous and respectful manner. The Code is displayed on the Company website on the link <a href="https://www.gcmcap.com/company-policies.html">https://www.gcmcap.com/company-policies.html</a>

# **CONFLICT OF INTEREST**

Each Director informs the Company on an annual basis about the Board and the Committee positions he occupies in other companies including Chairmanships and notifies changes during the year. Members of Board while discharging their duties, avoid conflict of interest in the decision making process. The members of Board restrict themselves from any discussions and voting in transactions that they have concern or interest.

#### **VIGIL MECHANISM / WHISTLE BLOWER POLICY**

The Company has a whistle blower policy encompassing vigil mechanism pursuant to the requirements of the section 177(9) of the Act and regulation 22 of the Listing Regulations. The Board of Directors, at its meeting held on 14 February 2019, revised whistle blower policy containing, inter alia, leak or suspected leak of unpublished price sensitive information in view of SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015, as amended, (SEBI PIT Regulations). The policy/vigil mechanism enables directors and employees to report to the Management their concerns about unethical behaviors, actual or suspected fraud or violation of the Company's code of conduct or ethics policy and leak or suspected leak of unpublished price sensitive information.

This mechanism provides safeguards against victimization of directors/employees who avail of the mechanism and provides for direct access to the Chairman of the Audit Committee in exceptional cases. The policy has been appropriately communicated to the employees within the Organisation and has also been hosted on the Company's website <a href="https://www.gcmcap.com/company-policies.html">https://www.gcmcap.com/company-policies.html</a>.

# **COMPLIANCES REGARDING INSIDER TRADING**

Pursuant to the SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015, the Company has a Board approved code of conduct to regulate, monitor and report trading by insiders ('code of conduct') and a Code of Practices and Procedures for Fair Disclosure of unpublished price sensitive information ('code of fair disclosure').

During the year under review, SEBI amended the SEBI PIT Regulations. In view of the amendments to the said Regulations, the Board of Directors, at its meeting held on 14 February 2019, inter alia approved the following, with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> April 2019:

- a. Revised code of conduct to regulate, monitor and report trading by Designated Persons;
- b. Revised code of practices and procedures for fair disclosure of unpublished price sensitive information;
- c. Revised whistle blower policy;
- d. Institutional mechanism for prevention of insider trading; and
- e. Amendment to the terms of reference of the Audit Committee.

The code of conduct and code of fair disclosure framed by the Company have helped in ensuring compliance with the requirements.

## **COMMUNICATION WITH THE MEMBERS/SHAREHOLDERS**

- The unaudited half yearly results are announced within forty-five days of the close of the quarter. The audited annual results are announced within sixty days from the close of the financial year as per the requirements of the Listing Regulations.
- The approved financial results are forthwith sent to the Stock Exchanges and are published in a national English newspaper and in local language (Marathi) newspaper, within forty-eight hours of approval thereof. Presently the same are not sent to the shareholders separately.
- The Company's financial results and official press releases are displayed on the Company's Websitewww.qcmcap.com.
- Management Discussion and Analysis forms part of the Annual Report, which is sent to the shareholders of the Company.
- The Company also informs by way of intimation to BSE, all price sensitive matters or such other matters, which in its opinion are material and of relevance to the members.
- In compliance with Listing Regulations, the half yearly results, shareholding pattern, quarterly compliances and all other corporate communication to the Stock Exchanges viz. BSE are filed electronically on BSE's on-line portal. The Company has complied with filing submissions through BSE's BSE Online Portal.
- A separate dedicated section under 'Investors Relation' on the Company's website gives information on unclaimed dividends (if any), Notice to Board meeting, quarterly compliance reports / communications with the Stock Exchanges and other relevant information of interest to the investors / public.
- Sections 20 and 136 of the Act, read with the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014 permit companies to deliver the documents electronically to the registered email IDs of the members.

## **DISCLOSURES ON MANDATORY REQUIREMENTS**

The Company has complied with the mandatory requirements of the Listing Regulations.

# **DISCLOSURES ON DISCRETIONARY REQUIREMENTS**

The Company has also complied with the discretionary requirements as under:

# A. The Board

A Chairman's office has been made available for the non–executive Chairman and he is allowed reimbursement of expenses incurred in performance of his duties.

## B. Shareholder rights

The Company communicates all material events to its shareholders as and when it occurs.

#### C. Modified opinion(s) in the audit report

The Company confirms that its financial statements are with unmodified audit opinion.

## D. Reporting of internal auditor

The internal auditor reports directly to the Audit Committee.

#### **DISCLOSURES ON NON-MANDATORY REQUIREMENTS**

Adoption of non-mandatory requirements of Listing Regulations is being reviewed by the Board from time-to-time.

#### **GENERAL SHAREHOLDER INFORMATION**

Detailed information in this regard is provided in section "Shareholders Information" which forms part of this Annual Report.

#### SHAREHOLDERS' INFORMATION

## a. Next Annual General Meeting

The 12<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting for the financial year ended on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2025 will be held on Tuesday, 23<sup>rd</sup> September, 2025 at 1:00 PM (IST), through Video Conferencing (VC) / Other Audio Visual Means (OAVM).

b. Book Closure : 17<sup>th</sup> September 2025 to 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2025 (both days inclusive)

c. Listing of Shares: : SME Segment of BSE

d. Stock Code & ISIN : 538319

ISIN - INE191P01017 on both NSDL & CDSL.

# e. Listing Fees

Annual listing fee for the year 2025-26 has been paid by the Company to BSE Limited.

# f. Payment of Depository Fees

Annual custody/ issuer fee for the year 2025-26 has been paid by the Company to NSDL and CDSL.

#### q. Financial Year

The financial year of the Company is from April 1, to March 31, each year.

#### h. Website

The Company's website <a href="www.gcmcap.com">www.gcmcap.com</a> contains a separate dedicated section called 'Investor Relations'. It contains comprehensive database of information of interest to our investors including the financial results, annual reports, dividends declared, if any, any price sensitive information disclosed to the regulatory authorities from time to time and the services rendered / facilities extended to our investors.

# i. Future Calendar for next financial year:

Subject Matter	Tentative Dates
Financial Reporting of 1 <sup>st</sup> half year ended on 30 <sup>th</sup> September 2025	On or before November 14, 2025
Financial Reporting of 2 <sup>nd</sup> half year ended on 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2026	On or before May 30, 2026
Date of Annual General Meeting	On or before September 30, 2026

j. **Dividend Payment Date** : No Dividend has been recommended for the year under review.

k. **Dividend History** : The Company has not paid any Dividend during last 10 years.

# I. Unclaimed Dividend / Share Certificates :

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 124(5) of the Companies Act, 2013, if the dividend transferred to the Unpaid Dividend Account of the Company remains unpaid or unclaimed for a period of seven years from the date of such transfer then such unclaimed or unpaid dividend shall be transferred by the company along with interest accrued, if any to the Investor Education and Protection Fund ('the IEPF'), a fund established under sub-section (1) of section 125.

Mandatory Transfer of Shares to Demat Account of Investors Education and Protection Fund Authority (IEPFA) in case of unpaid/ unclaimed dividend on shares for a consecutive period of seven years

In terms of Section 124(6) of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 6 of the Investor Education and Protection Fund Authority (Accounting, Audit, Transfer and Refund) Rules, 2016, (as amended from time to time) (IEPF Rules) shares on which dividend has not been paid or claimed by a shareholder for a period of seven consecutive years or more shall be credited to the Demat Account of Investor Education and Protection Fund Authority (IEPFA) within a period of thirty days of such shares becoming due to be so transferred. Upon transfer of such shares, all benefits (like bonus, etc.), if any,

accruing on such shares shall also be credited to such Demat Account and the voting rights on such shares shall remain frozen till the rightful owner claims the shares.

Shares which are transferred to the Demat Account of IEPFA can be claimed back by the shareholders from IEPFA by following the procedure prescribed under the IEPF Rules.

Details of Unclaimed Dividend and Due Dates for transfer are as follows as on March 31, 2025:

Sr.	Year of Declaration of	Date of Declaration of	Unclaimed	Due Date for transfer to IEPF
No.	Dividend	Dividend	Amount Rs.	Account
1.	Not Any	Not Any	Nil	N.A.

Further, as required to be disclosed under Regulation 34(3) read with Schedule V of Listing Regulations, Nil Shares are lying at the beginning or at the close of financial year in the Suspense Account. Further the Company did not moved in/out any Equity Share in said Suspense Account during the current financial year.

## m. Disclosures with respect to Demat Suspense Account/ Unclaimed Suspense Account

The Company has Nil Shares of ₹ 10/- each in respect of Nil Shareholders, lying into Nil folio, in the demat account held with NSDL/CDSL.

#### n. Market Price Data:

Month	Price on BSE (₹) & Volume			S&P BSE SENSEX	
	High	Low	Volume	High	Low
April 2024	7.24	5.22	1,41,000	75,124.28	71,816.46
May 2024	6.64	5.20	41,000	76 <b>,</b> 009.68	71,866.01
June 2024	8.89	5.26	5,65,000	79,671.58	70,234.43
July 2024	7.35	5.80	1,80,000	81,908.43	78 <b>,</b> 971.79
August 2024	7.75	6.00	3,37,000	82,637.03	78,295.86
September 2024	10.60	5.66	6,31,000	85,978.25	80,895.05
October 2024	9.73	5.89	1,68,000	84,648.40	79,137.98
November 2024	7.17	5.91	1,29,000	80,569.73	76,802.73
December 2024	7.46	6.11	2,41,000	82,317.74	77,560.79
January 2025	7.04	5.70	1,64,000	80,072.99	75 <b>,</b> 267.59
February 2025	6.38	5.40	33,000	78,735.41	73,141.27
March 2025	5.61	4.05	6,94,000	78,741.69	72 <b>,</b> 633.54

# o. Investors' correspondence may be addressed to the Registrar and Transfer Agent of the Company

Shareholders/ Investors are requested to forward documents related to share transfer, dematerialization requests (through their respective Depository Participant) and other related correspondences directly to S. K. Infosolutions Private Limited at the below mentioned address for speedy response.

# p. Registrar & Share Transfer Agent

M/s. S. K. Infosolutions Pvt. Ltd. has been appointed as Registrar & Share Transfer Agent for all work relating to share registry in terms of physical. All transfer, transmission, request related to correspondence/queries, intimation of change of address etc. should be addressed to our RTA directly at the following Address:

# M/s. S. K. Infosolutions Private Limited

D/42, Katju Nagar (Near South City Mall), Ground Floor, Katju Nagar Bazar, Jadavpur, Kolkata -700032 Phone - +91 33 2412 0027, E-Mail: skcdilip@gmail.com

# q. Share Transfer System and Transfer of Shares

The transfer of shares in physical form is processed and completed by Registrar & Transfer Agent within a period of fifteen days from the date of receipt thereof provided all the documents are in order. In case of shares in electronic form, the transfers are processed by NSDL/CDSL through respective Depository Participants. In compliance with the Listing Regulations, a Practicing Company Secretary carries out audit of the System of Transfer and a certificate to that effect is issued.

However; as per SEBI Notification No SEBI/LAD-NRO/GN/2018/24 dated June 8, 2018 and further amendment vide Notification No. SEBI/LAD-NRO/GN/2018/49 dated November 30, 2018, requests for effecting transfer of securities (except in case of transmission or transposition of securities) shall not be processed from April 1, 2019 unless the

securities are held in the dematerialized form with the depositories. Therefore, Shareholders are requested to take action to dematerialize the Equity Shares of the Company, promptly.

## r. Consolidation of Folios and avoidance of multiple mailing

In order to enable the Company to reduce costs and duplicity of efforts for providing services to investors, members who have more than one folio in the same order of names are requested to consolidate their holdings under one folio. Members may write to the Registrars and Transfer Agents indicating the folio numbers to be consolidated along with the original shares certificates to be consolidated.

# s. Review of Governance Practices

We have in this Report attempted to present the governance practices and principles being followed at the Company, as evolved over a period, and as best suited to the needs of our business and stakeholders.

Our disclosures and governance practices are continually revisited, reviewed and revised to respond to the dynamic needs of our business and ensure that our standards are at par with the globally recognized practices of governance, so as to meet the expectations of all our stakeholders.

# t. Compliance with Secretarial Standards

The Board of Directors affirms that the Company has complied with the applicable mandatory Secretarial Standards issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India.

# u. Distribution of Shareholding as on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2025

No. of Equity Shares	No. of Share Holders	% of Share Holders	Total No. of Shares Held	% of Share Holding
1-500	-	-	-	-
501-1000	331	22.859	331000	1.95
1001-2000	82	5.663	164000	0.97
2001-3000	58	4.006	174000	1.03
3001-4000	24	1.657	96000	0.57
4001-5000	367	25.345	1835000	10.83
5001-10000	460	31.768	3164000	18.68
10001-50000	110	7.597	2195000	12.96
50001-100000	8	0.552	634000	3.74
100001 and Above	8	0.552	8347000	49.27
Total	1448	100.00	16940000	100.00

# v. Shareholding Pattern as on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2025

Categories	No. of Shares	% of Shareholding
Promoters, Directors, Relatives & PAC	6612500	39.03
Central/State Government	6000	0.04
Indian Bank	0	0.00
Mutual Funds / UTI / Financial Institutions	0	0.00
Trust	0	0.00
Non-Resident Indians	0	0.00
NBFC registered with RBI	0	0.00
Hindu Undivided Family	1149000	6.78
Non Resident Individuals (NRI)	42000	0.25
Bodies Corporate	1482500	8.75
Indian Public	7648000	45.14
Total	1694000	100.00

# w. Details of Shareholders holding more than 5% holding under Public Category

Following persons/entities are holding more than 5% of Paid-up Equity Share Capital of the Company as on  $31^{st}$  March 2025-

Name of Shareholder	No. of Shares Held	% of Shareholding
Not Any	-	-

# x. Dematerialization of Equity Shares & Liquidity

The Company's Equity Shares are in Demat trading segment and the Company had established connectivity with both NSDL & CDSL by signing the necessary agreements.

As on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2025, 94.74% public shareholdings of the Company are in dematerialized form.

# Procedures for dematerialization of Equity Shares:

Shareholders who continue to hold shares in physical form are requested to dematerialize their shares at the earliest and avail the benefits of dealing in shares in demat form. For convenience of shareholders, the process of getting the shares dematerialized is given hereunder:

- a) Demat account should be opened with a Depository Participant (DP).
- b) Shareholders should submit the Dematerialization Request Form (DRF) along with share certificates in original, to their DP.
- c) DP will process the DRF and will generate a Dematerialization Request Number (DRN).
- d) DP will submit the DRF and original share certificates to the Registrar and Transfer Agents (RTA), which is S. K. Infosolutions Private Limited.
- e) RTA will process the DRF and confirm or reject the request to DP/ depositories
- f) Upon confirmation of request, the shareholder will get credit of the equivalent number of shares in his demat account maintained with the DP

# y. Important Points

Investors should hold securities in dematerialised form, as transfer of shares in physical form is no longer permissible.

As mandated by SEBI, w.e.f. April 1, 2019, request for effecting transfer of securities shall not be processed unless the securities are held in dematerialised form with a depository except for transmission and transposition of securities.

Members are advised to dematerialise securities in the Company to facilitate transfer of securities.

Holding securities in dematerialized form is beneficial to the investors in the following manner:

- A safe and convenient way to hold securities;
- Elimination of risk(s) associated with physical certificates such as bad delivery, fake securities, delays, thefts, etc.;
- Immediate transfer of securities;
- No stamp duty on electronic transfer of securities;
- Reduction in transaction cost;
- Reduction in paperwork involved in transfer of securities;
- No odd lot problem, even one share can be traded;
- Availability of nomination facility;
- Ease in effecting change of address / bank account details as change with Depository Participants (DPs) gets registered with all companies in which investor holds securities electronically;
- Easier transmission of securities as the same is done by DPs for all securities in demat account;
- Automatic credit in to demat account of shares, arising out of bonus / split / consolidation / merger / etc.;
- Convenient method of consolidation of folios/accounts;
- Holding investments in Equity, Debt Instruments, Government securities, Mutual Fund Units etc. in a single account;
- Ease of pledging of securities; and
- Ease in monitoring of portfolio.

## Members holding Shares in Physical mode:

- a) are required to submit their Permanent Account Number (PAN) and bank account details to the Company / RTA, if not registered with the Company as mandated by SEBI.
- b) are advised to register the nomination in respect of their shareholding in the Company. Nomination Form SH-13 ([Pursuant to section 72 of the Companies Act, 2013 and rule 19(1) of the Companies (Share Capital and Debentures) Rules 2014] can be obtained from the Company's Registrar and Share Transfer Agent. It is also available on Public domain.
- c) are requested to register / update their e-mail address with the Company / RTA for receiving all communications from the Company electronically.

# Members holding Shares in Electronic mode:

- a) are requested to submit their PAN and bank account details to their respective DPs with whom they are maintaining their demat accounts.
- b) are advised to contact their respective DPs for registering the nomination.
- c) are requested to register / update their e-mail address with their respective DPs for receiving all communications from the Company electronically.

The Securities and Exchange Board of India vide its circular no. SEBI/HO/MIRSD/DOS3/CIR/P/2019/30 dated February 11, 2019, with a view to address the difficulties in transfer of shares, faced by non-residents and foreign nationals, has decided to grant relaxations to non-residents from the requirement to furnish PAN and permit them to transfer equity shares held by them in listed entities to their immediate relatives subject to the following conditions:

- a) The relaxation shall only be available for transfers executed after January 1, 2016.
- b) The relaxation shall only be available to non-commercial transactions, i.e. transfer by way of gift among immediate relatives.
- c) The non-resident shall provide copy of an alternate valid document to ascertain identity as well as the non-resident status.
- d) Non-Resident Indian members are requested to inform S. K. Infosolutions Private Limited, Company's Registrar and Transfer Agent immediately on the change in the residential status on return to India for permanent settlement.

## z. Electronic Payment Services

Investors should avail the Electronic Payment Services for payment of dividend as the same reduces risk attached to physical dividend warrants. Some of the advantages of payment through electronic credit services are as under:

- Avoidance of frequent visits to banks for depositing the physical instruments;
- · Prompt credit to the bank account of the investor through electronic clearing;
- Fraudulent encashment of warrants is avoided;
- Exposure to delays / loss in postal service avoided; and
- As there can be no loss in transit of warrants, issue of duplicate warrants is avoided.

Printing of bank account numbers, names and addresses of bank branches on dividend warrants provide protection against fraudulent encashment of dividend warrants. Members are requested to provide the same to the Company's Registrar and Transfer Agent (RTA) for incorporation on their dividend warrants.

## aa. Register for SMS alert facility

Investor should register with Depository Participants for the SMS alert facility. Both Depositories viz. National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL) and Central Depository Services (India) Limited (CDSL) alert investors through SMS of the debits and credits in their demat account.

#### bb. Intimate Mobile Number

Shareholders are requested to intimate their mobile number and changes therein, if any, to Company's RTA viz. S. K. Infosolutions Private Limited to their dedicated e-mail id i.e., "skcdilip@gmail.com.", if shares are held in physical form or to their DP if the holding is in electronic form, to receive communications on corporate actions and other information of the Company.

## cc. Submit Nomination Form and avoid Transmission hassle

Nomination helps nominees to get the shares transmitted in their favour without any hassles. Investors should get the nomination registered with the Company in case of physical holding and with their Depository Participants in case shares are held in dematerialised form.

Form may be downloaded from the Company's website, under the section 'Investor Relations'. However, if shares are held in dematerialised form, nomination has to be registered with the concerned Depository Participants directly, as per the form prescribed by the Depository Participants.

# dd. Deal only with SEBI registered intermediaries

Investors should deal only with SEBI registered intermediaries so that in case of deficiency of services, investor may take up the matter with SEBI.

# ee. Corporate benefits in electronic form

Investor holding shares in physical form should opt for corporate benefits like bonus / split / consolidation / merger / etc. in electronic form by providing their demat account details to the Company's RTA.

## ff. Register e-mail address

Investors should register their e-mail address with the RTA / Depository Participants. This will help them in receiving all communication from the Company electronically at their e-mail address. This also avoids delay in receiving communications from the Company. Prescribed form for registration may please be downloaded from the Company's website.

## qq. Facility for a Basic Services Demat Account (BSDA)

SEBI has stated that all the depository participants shall make available a BSDA for the shareholders unless otherwise opted for regular demat account with (a) No Annual Maintenance charges if the value of holding is upto ₹ 50,000; and (b) Annual Maintenance charges not exceeding ₹ 100/- for value of holding from ₹ 50,001 to ₹ 2,00,000. (Refer circular CIR/MRD/DP/22/2012 dated August 27, 2012 and circular CIR/MRD/DP/20/2015 dated December 11, 2015).

# hh. For the Attention of Shareholders holding shares in electronic form

Shareholders holding shares in electronic mode should address all their correspondence to their respective Depository Participants (DPs).

# ii. Outstanding GDRs./ADRs/Warrants or any convertible instruments, conversion data likely impact on Equity:

Not any.

# jj. Commodity Price Risk / Foreign Exchange Risk

Your Company does not deal into any of commodity and hence and is not directly exposed to any commodity price risk.

Similarly, the Company does not enter into any Foreign Exchange transactions and hence is not directly exposed to any Foreign Exchange Risk.

## kk. Investors' Correspondence

Compliance Officer	RTA	Regd./Correspondence Office
Mr. Neha Sarawagi	S. K. Infosolutions Private Limited	805, Raheja Center, 214, Free Press
Company Secretary & Compliance	D/42, Katju Nagar (Near South City	Journal Marg, Nariman Point,
Officer	Mall), Ground Floor, Katju Nagar	Mumbai-400 021
Tel : +91 22 2204 9995	Bazar, Jadavpur, Kolkata -700032	Tel : +91 22 2204 9995
Email: gcmcap@gmail.com	Phone - +91 33 2412 0027, E-Mail:	Email : gcmcap@gmail.com;
	skcdilip@gmail.com	Website : <u>www.gcmcap.com</u>

#### II. Code of Conduct

The Board of Directors of the Company has laid down Code of Conduct for Directors and for Senior Management & Employees. All Board Members and Senior Management have affirmed compliance with the Code of Conduct for the year under review. Declaration to this effect signed by the Managing Director & Chief Executive Officer is annexed to this report.

# **Certificate of Non-Disqualification of Directors**

(Pursuant to Regulation 34(3) and Schedule V Para C Sub clause (10)(i) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015)

To, The Members of GCM Capital Advisors Limited Mumbai

I have examined the relevant registers, records, forms, returns and disclosures received from the Directors of GCM Capital Advisors Limited having CIN L74110MH2013PLC243163 and having registered office at 805, Raheja Center, 214, Free Press Journal Marg, Nariman Point, Mumbai-400021 (hereinafter referred to as 'the Company'), produced before me by the Company for the purpose of issuing this Certificate, in accordance with Regulation 34(3) read with Schedule V Para-C Sub clause 10(i) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

In my opinion and to the best of my information and according to the verifications (including Directors Identification Number (DIN) status at the portal www.mca.gov.in) as considered necessary and explanations furnished to me by the Company & its officers, I hereby certify that none of the Directors on the Board of the Company as stated below for the Financial Year ending on March 31, 2025 have been debarred or disqualified from being appointed or continuing as directors of companies by the Securities and Exchange Board of India, Ministry of Corporate Affairs or any other Statutory Authority.

Sr.	Name of Director	DIN	Date of Appointment	Date of Cessation
No.				
1.	Manish Baid	00239347	11 <sup>th</sup> October 2021	
2.	Laxmi Narayan Sharma	00356855	18 <sup>th</sup> April 2015	18 <sup>th</sup> April 2025
3.	Urmi Bose	07245298	24 <sup>th</sup> April 2018	-
4.	Suman Das	09440355	30 <sup>th</sup> July 2022	-
5.	Akshaya Suved Chavan	09421579	29 <sup>th</sup> August 2024	

Ensuring the eligibility for the appointment / continuity of every Director on the Board is the responsibility of the management of the Company. My responsibility is to express an opinion on these based on my verification. This Certificate is neither an assurance as to the future viability of the Company nor of the efficiency or effectiveness with which the management has conducted the affairs of the Company.

Place: Kolkata Date: May 21, 2025 Sd/
KRITI DAGA

Practicing Company Secretaries

ACS No. A26425, C.P. No. 14023

PRC No. 2380/22

UDIN: 026425G000387742

# ANNUAL CERTIFICATE UNDER REGULATION 26 (3) OF THE SEBI (LISTING OBLIGATIONS AND DISCLOSURE REQUIREMENTS) REGULATIONS, 2015

To the Members of GCM Capital Advisors Limited

As provided under Regulation 26 (3) of the SEBI Listing Regulations, 2015, all Board Members and Senior Management Personnel have affirmed compliance with M/s. GCM Capital Advisors Limited Code of Business Conduct and Ethics for the year ended March 31, 2025.

For **GCM Capital Advisors Limited** 

Sd/-

Manish Baid DIN: 00239347

Managing Director

Mumbai, May 28, 2025

# **CEO / CFO Certification**

We the undersigned, in our respective capacities as Managing Director and Chief Financial Officer of GCM Capital Advisors Limited ("the Company") to the best of our knowledge and belief certify that:

- 1. We have reviewed the Balance Sheet as at March 31, 2025, Statement of Profit and Loss, the Statement of Changes in Equity and the Statement of Cash Flows for the year then ended, and a summary of the significant accounting policies and other explanatory information of the Company, and the Board's report for the year ended March 31, 2025.
- 2. These statements do not contain any materially untrue statement or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report.
- 3. The financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, present in all material respects a true and fair view of the Company's affairs, the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the Company as at, and for, the periods presented in this report, and are in compliance with the existing accounting standards and / or applicable laws and regulations.
- 4. There are no transactions entered into by the Company during the year that are fraudulent, illegal or violate the Company's Code of Conduct and Ethics, except as disclosed to the Company's auditors and the Company's audit committee of the Board of Directors.
- 5. We are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures and internal controls over financial reporting for the Company.
- 6. We have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of the Company's internal control over financial reporting, wherever applicable, to the Company's auditors and the audit committee of the Company's Board (and persons performing the equivalent functions):
  - a. Any deficiencies in the design or operation of internal controls, that could adversely affect the Company's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial data, and have confirmed that there have been no material weaknesses in internal controls over financial reporting including any corrective actions with regard to deficiencies.
  - b. Any significant changes in internal controls during the year covered by this report.
  - c. All significant changes in accounting policies during the year, if any, and the same have been disclosed in the notes to the financial statements.
  - d. Any instances of significant fraud of which we are aware, that involve the Management or other employees who have a significant role in the Company's internal control system.
- 7. We affirm that we have not denied any personnel access to the audit committee of the Company (in respect of matters involving alleged misconduct) and we have provided protection to whistle blowers from unfair termination and other unfair or prejudicial employment practices.
- 8. We further declare that all Board members and senior management personnel have affirmed compliance with the Code of Conduct and Ethics for the year covered by this report.

For GCM Capital Advisors Limited

Sd/Rohit Pandey
Chief Financial Officer
Mumbai, May 28, 2025

For GCM Capital Advisors Limited
Sd/Manish Baid
DIN: 00239347
Managing Director
Mumbai, May 28, 2025

# **Compliance Certificate from Auditors on Corporate Governance**

# The Members of GCM Capital Advisors Limited

1. This certificate is issued in accordance with the terms of our engagement letter with the Company. We have examined the compliance of conditions of corporate governance by **GCM Capital Advisors Limited** (the 'Company') for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2025, as stipulated in Regulations 17 to 27, clauses (b) to (i) of Regulation 46(2), and paragraphs C, D and E of Schedule V of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (the 'Listing Regulations') for the year ended March 31, 2025 as required by the Company for annual submission to the Stock Exchanges.

# Management's Responsibility

- 2. The compliance of conditions of corporate governance is the responsibility of the management of the Company including the preparation and maintenance of all relevant supporting records and documents. This responsibility also includes the designing, implementing and maintaining operating effectiveness of internal control to ensure compliance with the conditions of corporate governance as stipulated in the Listing Regulations.
- 3. The Management along with the Board of Directors are also responsible for ensuring that the Company complies with the conditions of Corporate Governance as stipulated in the Listing Regulations, issued by the Securities and Exchange Board of India.

## **Auditor's Responsibility**

- 4. Pursuant to the requirements of the Listing Regulations, our responsibility is to express a reasonable assurance in the form of an opinion as to whether the Company has complied with the conditions of corporate governance as stated in paragraph 2 and 3 above. Our responsibility is limited to examining the procedures and implementation thereof, adopted by the Company for ensuring the compliance with the conditions of corporate governance. It is neither an audit nor an expression of opinion on the financial statements of the Company.
- 5. We have examined the relevant records of the Company in accordance with the applicable Generally Accepted Auditing Standards in India, the Guidance Note on Certification of Corporate Governance issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (the 'ICAI'), and the Guidance Note on Reports or Certificates for Special Purposes issued by the ICAI which requires that we comply with the ethical requirements of the Code of Ethics issued by the ICAI.
- 6. We have complied with the relevant applicable requirements of the Standard on Quality Control (SQC) 1, Quality Control for Firms that Perform Audits and Reviews of Historical Financial Information, and Other Assurance and Related Services Engagements.
- 7. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks associated in compliance of the Corporate Governance Report with the applicable criteria. Summary of procedures performed include:
  - i. Read and understood the information prepared by the Company and included in its Corporate Governance Report;
  - ii. Obtained and verified that the composition of the Board of Directors with respect to executive and non-executive directors has been met throughout the reporting period;
  - iii. Obtained and read the Register of Directors as on March 31, 2025 and verified that at least one independent woman director was on the Board of Directors throughout the year;
  - iv. Obtained and read the minutes of the following committee meetings / other meetings held from April 01, 2024 to March 31, 2025:
    - a) Board of Directors;
    - b) Audit Committee;
    - c) Annual General Meeting (AGM)
    - d) Nomination and Remuneration Committee;
    - e) Stakeholders Relationship Committee;
  - v. Verified the fee disclosures as required by Clause 10(k), Part C, Schedule V of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.
  - vi. Obtained necessary declarations from the directors of the Company.

- vii. Obtained and read the policy adopted by the Company for related party transactions.
- viii. Obtained the schedule of related party transactions during the year and balances at the year- end. Obtained and read the minutes of the audit committee meeting where in such related party transactions have been pre-approved prior by the audit committee.
- ix. Performed necessary inquiries with the management and also obtained necessary specific representations from management.
- 8. The above-mentioned procedures include examining evidence supporting the particulars in the Corporate Governance Report on a test basis. Further, our scope of work under this report did not involve us performing audit tests for the purposes of expressing an opinion on the fairness or accuracy of any of the financial information or the financial statements of the Company taken as a whole.

## **Opinion**

9. Based on the procedures performed by us, as referred in paragraph 7 above, and according to the information and explanations given to us, we are of the opinion that the Company has complied with the conditions of Corporate Governance as specified in the Listing Regulations, as applicable for the year ended March 31, 2025, referred to in paragraph 4 above.

#### Other matters and restriction on Use

- 10. This report is neither an assurance as to the future viability of the Company nor the efficiency or effectiveness with which the management has conducted the affairs of the Company.
- 11. This report is addressed to and provided to the members of the Company solely for the purpose of enabling it to comply with its obligations under the Listing Regulations with reference to compliance with the relevant regulations of Corporate Governance and should not be used by any other person or for any other purpose. Accordingly, we do not accept or assume any liability or any duty of care or for any other purpose or to any other party to whom it is shown or into whose hands it may come without our prior consent in writing. We have no responsibility to update this report for events and circumstances occurring after the date of this report.

Sd/-

**KRITI DAGA** 

Practicing Company Secretaries ACS No. A26425, C.P. No. 14023 PRC No. 2380/22

UDIN: A026425G000935751

Place: Kolkata Date: August 5, 2025

# Independent Auditors' Report Standalone Ind AS Financial Statements for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2025

# To the Members of GCM Capital Advisors Limited

## Report on the Audit of the Standalone Ind AS Financial Statements

# **Opinion**

We have audited the financial statements of **GCM Capital Advisors Limited** ('the Company'), which comprise the Balance Sheet as at 31st March 2025 and the Statement of Profit and Loss (including other comprehensive income), the Statement of Changes in Equity and Statement of Cash Flows for the Year ended, and Notes to the Financial Statements, including a summary of Material Accounting Policies and other Explanatory Information ('the financial statements').

In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the aforesaid financial statements give the information required by the Companies Act, 2013 in the manner so required and give a true and fair view in conformity with the accounting principles generally accepted in India, of the state of affairs of the Company as at March 31, 2025, and its loss, changes in Equity, and its Cash Flows for the year ended on that date.

# **Basis for opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with the Standards on Auditing ("SAs") issued by Institute of Chartered Accountants of India ("ICAI"), specified under section 143(10) of the Act. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the Code of Ethics issued by ICAI together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

## **Key Audit Matters**

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgment, were of most significance in our audit of the financial statements for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2025. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion there on, and we do not provide a separate opinion on those matters. For each matter below, our description of how our audit addressed the matter is provided in that context.

# **Key Audit Matters**

# How our audit addressed the key audit matter

# Provisioning for Expected Credit Loss (ECL) in respect of financial assets of the Company

The Company has recognized ECL provisions on its financial assets, including trade receivables, loans, and advances, as required under Ind AS 109 "Financial Instruments." The ECL provisioning involves significant management judgment and estimation uncertainty, particularly in assessing credit risk, determining significant increases in credit risk, and incorporating forward-looking macroeconomic information. Furthermore, the Company has retrospectively applied ECL provisioning as a prior period adjustment in accordance with Ind AS 8. (Also refer Note 37 to financial statements)

Given the complexity of the ECL models, the subjectivity involved in key assumptions such as Probability of Default, Loss Given Default, Exposure at Default, and the estimation uncertainty around recoverability of certain loans and advances or other balances of financial assets, we have identified this area as a key audit matter.

We assessed the Company's accounting policies related to ECL provisioning for compliance with Ind AS 109.

We evaluated the design and implementation of the ECL models. We also tested the reasonableness of key assumptions made by the Company's management in the ECL calculation and other inputs used, wherever available.

We performed independent re-computation of the ECL provision on a sample basis and assessed the completeness and accuracy of data used.

We evaluated the adequacy and accuracy of disclosures made in the financial statements related to ECL provisioning.

# **Emphasis of Matter**

We draw attention to the following matters in the accompanying financial statements:

1. In accordance with Object clause A. - 5, 6, 7 & 8 of its 'Memorandum of Association', the Company is engaged in Investments and trading of shares and securities and other financial activities and meets the criteria specified under

Section 45-IA of the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934, requiring registration as a Non-Banking Financial Company (NBFC). However, the Company has not obtained such registration from the Reserve Bank of India.

- 2. Certain balances of trade receivables, trade payables, and loans and advances are subject to confirmation, reconciliation, and consequential adjustments, if any. The management has obtained confirmations for some of these balances and is in the process of obtaining the remainder (Note 41(b) to financial statements).
- 3. The Company holds 'Stock-in-trade' inter alia in some unlisted companies, valued at INR 159.77 Lakhs as on 31 March 2025. The Company had last undertaken fair value assessment of majority of these unlisted shared by obtaining valuation reports for valuation as on 31 March 2024. The management have undertaken self-assessment of these unlisted shares as on 31 March 2025 and based on the same, they do not expect any material changes to the fair value as reported in the financial statements / results. Therefore, the management has decided to carry same fair value of investments as on 31 March 2025. We have solely relied on management's representation in this regard. (Note 6.1 to financial statements)
- 4. During past years / periods, the Company had given various advances (recoverable in cash / kind) totaling to INR 408.90 Lakhs (gross value) shown under 'Other financial assets (current)'. The management has explained us that these advances were given for the purpose of acquiring of shares / securities; however, such acquisition is pending as on balance sheet date. The management is in process of either settling these transactions by acquisition of shares / securities, or by squaring off the advances through repayment. We have solely relied on management's representation in this regard (Note 10.1 to financial results).
- 5. Based on our review, it is observed that interest income is not recognized on some of outstanding loans and advances given to various parties as interest income could not be crystallized from such parties. However, the management is of the opinion that it will be able to soon recover the principal amount from majority of these parties. The Company has considered ECL provision in respect of these parties as per the policy adopted considering them as credit-impaired financial assets. In the absence of any further details / documents, we have solely relied on management's representation with regard to the items of these loans and the ECL provision thereof.

Our opinion is not modified in respect of these matters.

# Information Other than the Standalone Financial Statements and Auditor's Report Thereon

The Company's Board of Directors is responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in Board's Report including Annexures to Board's Report, Shareholder's Information, but does not include the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the Financial Statements, our responsibility is to read the other information identified above when it becomes available and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the Financial Statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information; we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

# Management's Responsibility for the Standalone Financial Statements

The Company's Board of Directors is responsible for the matters stated in section 134(5) of the Act with respect to the preparation of these financial statements that give a true and fair view of financial position, financial performance including other comprehensive income, changes in equity and cash flows of the Company in accordance with the Ind AS and other accounting principles generally accepted in India. 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 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 financial statements that give a true and fair view and are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is 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 management either intends to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

The Board of Directors are responsible for overseeing the Company's financial reporting process.

# Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Standalone Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements 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 financial statements.

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

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, 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 financial controls 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 system in place and the operating effectiveness of such controls.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's 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 financial statements 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 financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

Materiality is the magnitude of misstatements in the financial statements that, individually or in aggregate, makes it probable that the economic decisions of a reasonably knowledgeable user of the financial statements may be influenced. We consider quantitative materiality and qualitative factors in (i) 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 financial statements.

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.

From the matters communicated with those charged with governance, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the financial statements of the current period and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor's report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

# Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

- 1. As required by the Companies (Auditor's Report) Order, 2020 ('the Order'), issued by the Central Government of India in terms of sub-section (11) of section 143 of the Act, we give in the 'Annexure A' a statement on the matters specified in paragraphs 3 and 4 of the Order, to the extent applicable.
- 2. As required by Section 143(3) of the Act, based on our audit we report that :
  - a) We have sought and obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purposes of our audit.

- b) In our opinion, proper books of account as required by law have been kept by the Company so far as it appears from our examination of those books.
- c) The Balance Sheet, the Statement of Profit and Loss including Other Comprehensive Income, Statement of Changes in Equity and the Statement of Cash Flow dealt with by this Report are in agreement with the relevant books of account.
- d) In our opinion, the aforesaid standalone financial statements comply with the Ind AS specified under Section 133 of the Act, read with Rule 7 of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014.
- e) On the basis of the written representations received from the directors as on March 31, 2025 taken on record by the Board of Directors, none of the directors is disqualified as on March 31, 2025 from being appointed as a director in terms of Section 164 (2) of the Act.
- f) With respect to the maintenance of accounts and other matters connected therewith, reference is made to our remarks in paragraph 'b' above on reporting under Section 143(3)(b) and paragraph 'j(viii)' below on reporting under Rule 11(g) of the Rules.
- g) With respect to the adequacy of the internal financial controls over financial reporting of the Company with reference to these standalone Ind AS financial statements and the operating effectiveness of such controls, refer to our separate Report in "Annexure B" to this report and;
- h) In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanation given to us, the managerial remuneration for the year ended 31 March 2025 has been paid / provided by the Company to its directors in accordance with the provisions of section 197 of the Act.
- i) With respect to the other matters to be included in the Auditor's Report in accordance with Rule 11 of the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014, as amended in our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us:
  - i. As represented by the Management, except as disclosed under Note 27 to the financial statements, the Company does not have any pending litigations as at 31 March 2025 which would have an impact on its financial position in its Financial Statements;
  - ii. The Company does not have any long-term contracts including derivatives contracts for which there were any material foreseeable losses;
  - iii. There were no amounts, which were required to be transferred to the Investor Education and Protection Fund by the Company.
  - iv. The Management has represented that, to the best of its knowledge and belief, other than as disclosed in the notes to the accounts, no funds have been advanced or loaned or invested (either from borrowed funds or share premium or any other sources or kind of funds) by the Company to or in any other person(s) or entity(ies), including foreign entities ("Intermediaries"), with the understanding, whether recorded in writing or otherwise, that the Intermediary shall, whether, directly or indirectly lend or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the company ("Ultimate Beneficiaries") or provide any guarantee, security or the like on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries;
  - v. The management has represented, that, to the best of its knowledge and belief, other than as disclosed in the notes to the accounts, no funds have been received by the Company from any person(s) or entity(ies), including foreign entities ("Funding Parties"), with the understanding, whether recorded in writing or otherwise, that the company shall, whether, directly or indirectly, lend or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the Funding Party ("Ultimate Beneficiaries") or provide any guarantee, security or the like on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries; and
  - vi. Based on audit procedures which we considered reasonable and appropriate in the circumstances, nothing has come to our notice that has caused us to believe that the representations under sub-clause (iv) and (v) contain any material mis-statement.
  - vii. In our opinion and according to information and explanation given to us, the Company has not declared or paid dividend during the year, accordingly compliance with section 123 of the Act by the Company is not applicable

viii. Based on our examination, the company has used an accounting software for maintaining its books of account which has a feature of recording audit trail (edit log) facility, however, the Company has not activated the feature of recording audit trail (edit log) facility during whole of the financial year ended 31 March 2025.

Date: May 28, 2025 Place: Mumbai For **S P M L & Associates** Chartered Accountants FRN: 136549W

Sd/-CA Govind Mandhania Partner M. No. 183098

UDIN: 25183098BMJEKR6659

# Annexure "A" to the Independent Auditors' Report

(Referred to in paragraph 1 under 'Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements' section of our report to the Members of GCM Capital Advisors Limited of even date)

- i. In terms of the information and explanations sought by us and given by the Company and the books of account and records examined by us in the normal course of audit and to the best of our knowledge and belief, we state that:
  - a) A. The company has maintained proper records showing full particulars, including quantitative details and situation of Property, Plant and Equipment.
    - B. The Company does not have any Intangible Assets and therefore, reporting under clause 3(i)(a)(B) of the Order is not applicable.
  - b) The Property, Plant and Equipment have been physically verified by the management at reasonable intervals. According to the information and explanations given to us, no material discrepancies were noticed on such verification.
  - c) According to the information and explanations given to us and based on the examination of records of the company does not own any immovable property and hence, reporting under clause 3(i)(c) of the Order is not applicable.
  - d) According to the information and explanations given to us and on the basis of our examination of the records of the Company, the Company has not revalued its Property, Plant and Equipment or intangible assets during the year.
  - e) Based on the information and explanation furnished to us, no proceedings have been initiated on the Company under the Prohibition of Benami Property Transactions Act, 1988 (as amended in 2016) and Rules made there under.
- ii. a) As informed to us, the Company only holds inventory of 'Shares / Securities' and thus, physical verification of the inventories is not applicable during the year ended 31 March 2025. Therefore, reporting under clause 3(ii)(a) of the Order is not applicable.
  - b) According to information and explanation given to us, The Company has not availed any working capital limits in excess of five crore rupees, in aggregate, from banks on the basis of security of current assets. Therefore, reporting under clause 3(ii)(b) of the Order is not applicable.
- iii. a) During the year, the Company has provided loans to companies as follows:

Particulars of Loans & Advances	Aggregate amount during year	Balance outstanding as at 31 March 2025 (Including interest due, if any)
To subsidiaries, joint ventures and associates	Nil	Nil
To others	185.30	INR 2522.82

- b) In our opinion and based on explanation and information provided to us, the terms and conditions of the grant of loans, if any, during the year are, prima facie, not prejudicial to the Company's interest.
- c) Based on explanation and information provided by the management, in respect of loans granted by the Company, it is represented that the loans are repayable on demand and interest is annually payable. The repayments are generally regular except in respect of the following loans as tabulated below, where there has been delay in repayment of loan / interest amount:

Sr. No.	Name of party to whom loan is granted	Amount outstanding as at 31 March 2025 (Rs. in Lakh)
	Madhu Devi Saraf	388.90
	Scarlet Spledour Design Private Limited	77.00
	Hindustan Petro Farms	6.39
	Gurukul Exim (P) Ltd	11.85
	Hindustan Polyflex	302.52
	Hindustan Poly Foams Private Limited	148.14
	JB Commercial	12.34
	PH Associates Pvt. Ltd.	223.68

- d) In respect of loans granted by the Company, except for loans stipulated in paragraph '(iii) c.' above, there is no overdue amount remaining outstanding for more than 90 days as at the Balance Sheet date. Further, in respect of overdue amounts, the management has informed us that they are in the process of following-up with the respective parties for repayment of the loan along with due interest amounts. The management of the Company has also considered effect of ECL in respect of these loans.
- e) No loan granted by the Company, which has fallen due during the year, has been renewed or extended or fresh loans granted to settle the overdue of existing loans given to the same parties.
- f) The loans granted as specified under reporting in clause (iii)(a) above are all in the nature of loans repayable on demand and same is 100 percent of the total loans granted by the Company. Further, details of loans granted to promoters / related parties are reported under Note 35 and 36 to the financial statements.
- iv. According to information and explanation given to us and based on written representation from the management, the company has complied with the provisions of section 185 and 186 of the Act, in respect of the loans given by the Company.
- v. According to the information and explanations given to us, the Company has not accepted any deposits from the public as per the provisions of section 73 to 76 of the Act and rules framed thereunder, and accordingly, the provisions of Clause 3(v) of the Order are not applicable to the Company.
- vi. In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us the maintenance of cost records pursuant to the Companies (Cost Records and Audit) Rules, 2014 has not been specified by the Central Government under Section 148(1) of the Companies Act, 2013 for the business activities carried out by the Company. Hence, reporting under clause 3(vi) of the order is not applicable to the Company.
- vii. a) According to the records of the Company, the company has been regular in depositing undisputed statutory dues including Provident Fund, Goods and Services Tax, Sales tax, Wealth tax, Service tax, Custom duty, Excise duty, cess and any other statutory dues, as applicable, with appropriate authorities. No undisputed amounts payable in respect of aforesaid statutory dues were outstanding as on the last day of the financial year for a period of more than six months from the date they became payable.

Further, on certain occasion, there have been minor delays in depositing of statutory dues in respect Income-tax (withholding tax) and the Company has deposited such dues along with the due interest / late (or additional) fees to the respective authorities, except the following:

Name of the Statue	Nature of Dues	Forum where	Year to which the	Amount
		dispute is pending	Amount relates	Involved
Income Tax Act, 1961	Income Tax	CIT (Appeal)	2017-18	77.04

- b) There were no transactions relating to previously unrecorded income that have been surrendered or disclosed as income during the year in the tax assessments under the Income Tax Act, 1961 (43 of 1961).
- viii. According to the information and explanations given to us and on the basis of our examination of the records of the Company, the Company has not surrendered or disclosed any transactions, previously unrecorded as income in the books of account, in the tax assessments under the Income Tax Act, 1961 as income during the year. However, during the year, the Company has opted under 'Vivaad Se Vishwaas Scheme' to settle various old tax dispute matters. This has been done with the intention to close the litigation and the Company's management is of the view that the same is not surrendering / disclosure of previously unrecorded income under tax assessment (Note 40(a) to financial statements)
- ix. a) In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, the Company has not defaulted in the repayment of dues to banks / financial institutions. The Company do not have any borrowings from government or dues to debenture holders.
  - b) Based on our audit procedures and on the basis of information and explanations given to us, the Company has not been declared willful defaulter by any bank or financial institution or government or any government authority.
  - c) In our opinion, and according to the information and explanations given to us, the term loans have been applied for the purposes for which they were obtained.
  - d) On an overall examination of the financial statements of the Company, funds raised on short-term basis have, *prima facie*, not been used during the year for long-term purposes by the Company.
  - e) The Company does not hold any investment in any subsidiary company, associates or joint venture (as defined in the Act) during the year ended 31 March 2025 and hence, reporting under clause 3(ix)(e) is not applicable.

- f) The Company does not hold any investment / securities in any subsidiary company during the year ended 31 March 2025 and hence, reporting under clause 3(ix)(f) is not applicable.
- x. a) The Company has not raised moneys by way of initial public offer or further public offer (including debt instruments) during the year and hence reporting under clause 3(x)(a) of the Order is not applicable.
  - b) The Company has not made any preferential allotment or private placement of shares /fully or partially or optionally convertible debentures during the year under audit and hence, the requirement to report on clause 3(x)(b) of the Order is not applicable to the Company.
- xi. a) Based upon the audit procedures performed and the information and explanations given by the management, no fraud by the Company and no fraud on the Company by its officers or employees has been noticed or reported during the year.
  - b) No report under sub-section (12) of section 143 of the Act has been filed in Form ADT-4 as prescribed under rule 13 of Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014 with the Central Government, during the year and up to the date of this report.
  - c) According to the information and explanations given to us, the Company has not received any whistle blower complaints during the year (and up to the date of this report), while determining the nature, timing and extent of our audit procedures.
- xii. In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, the Company is not a Nidhi company. Accordingly, the provisions of Clause 3(xii) of the Order are not applicable to the Company.
- xiii. In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us and based on representation received from the Management of the Company, the Company is in compliance with Section 177 and 188 of the Companies Act, 2013 with respect to applicable transactions with the related parties and the details of related party transactions have been disclosed in the standalone financial statements at note 35 to the Financial statements.
- xiv. In our opinion and based on our examination, given that the Company is a listed Company, appointment of internal auditor is required in accordance with Section 138 of the Companies Act, 2013. However, in the opinion of management the Internal Audit is not required due to the size & nature of business. Therefore, no internal audit is undertaken or report is made available to us for the year under audit.
- xv. According to the information and explanations given to us and based on our examination of the records of the Company, the Company has not entered into non-cash transactions with directors or persons connected with the directors, requiring compliance with Section 192 of the Companies Act.
- xvi. a) In accordance with Object clause A. 5., 6., 7. & 8. of its 'Memorandum of Association', the Company is engaged in Investments and trading of shares and securities and other financial activities and meets the criteria specified under Section 45-IA of the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934, requiring registration as a Non-Banking Financial Company (NBFC). However, the Company has not obtained such registration from the Reserve Bank of India
  - b) According to the information and explanations given to us, there is no core investment company within the Group (as defined in the Core Investment Companies (Reserve Bank) Directions, 2016) and accordingly reporting under clause 3(xvi)(b) of the Order is not applicable
  - c) The Company is not a Core Investment Company as defined in the regulations made by Reserve Bank of India. Accordingly, the requirement to report on clause 3(xvi)(c) of the Order is not applicable to the Company.
  - d) There is no Core Investment Company as a part of the Group, hence, the requirement to report on clause 3(xvi)(d) of the Order is not applicable to the Company.
- xvii. In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, the Company has not incurred cash losses (ie, after removal of depreciation, provisions or other non-cash expenses) during the financial year covered by our audit and the immediately preceding financial year.
- xviii. There has been no resignation of the statutory auditors of the Company during the year.
- xix. On the basis of the financial ratios, ageing and expected dates of realization of financial assets and payment of financial liabilities, other information accompanying the financial statements and our knowledge of the Board of Directors and Management plans and based on our examination of the evidence supporting the assumptions, nothing has come to our attention, which causes us to believe that any material uncertainty exists as on the date of the audit report indicating that Company is not capable of meeting its liabilities existing at the date of balance sheet as and when they fall due within a period of one year from the balance sheet date. We, however, state that this is not an assurance as to the future viability of the Company. We further state that our reporting is based on the facts up to the date of the audit report and we neither give any guarantee nor any assurance that all liabilities falling

due within a period of one year from the balance sheet date, will get discharged by the Company as and when they fall due.

xx. In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, the company has not fall under the categories to spent amount under sub-section (5) of section 135 of the Act pursuant to any project. Accordingly, clauses 3(xx)(a) and 3(xx)(b) of the Order as it is not applicable.

For S P M L & Associates Chartered Accountants FRN: 136549W

Sd/-CA Govind Mandhania Partner

M. No. 183098 UDIN: 25183098BMJEKR6659

Date: May 28, 2025 Place: Mumbai

### Annexure "B" to the Independent Auditors' Report

(Referred to in paragraph 2(g) under 'Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements' section of our report to the Members of GCM Capital Advisors Limited)

Report on the Internal Financial Controls under Clause (i) of sub-section 3 of Section 143 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act")

We have audited the internal financial controls over financial reporting of **GCM CAPITAL ADVISORS LIMITED** ("the Company") as of 31 March 2025 in conjunction with our audit of the financial statements of the Company for the year ended on that date.

### Management's Responsibility for Internal Financial Controls

The Company's management is responsible for establishing and maintaining internal financial controls based on the internal control over financial reporting criteria established by the Company considering the essential components of internal control stated in the Guidance Note on Audit of Internal Financial Controls over Financial Reporting (the "Guidance Note") issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India ("ICAI"). These responsibilities include the design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls that were operating effectively for ensuring the orderly and efficient conduct of its business, including adherence to company's policies, the safeguarding of its assets, the prevention and detection of frauds and errors, the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, and the timely preparation of reliable financial information, as required under the Companies Act, 2013.

### **Auditor's Responsibility**

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Company's internal financial controls over financial reporting based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with the Guidance Note and the Standards on Auditing, issued by ICAI and deemed to be prescribed under section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013, to the extent applicable to an audit of internal financial controls. Those Standards and the Guidance Note require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether adequate internal financial controls over financial reporting was established and maintained and if such controls operated effectively in all material respects.

Our audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the adequacy of the internal financial controls system over financial reporting and their operating effectiveness. Our audit of internal financial controls over financial reporting included obtaining an understanding of internal financial controls over financial reporting, assessing the risk that a material weakness exists, and testing and evaluating the design and operating effectiveness of internal control based on the assessed risk. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgments, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion on the Company's internal financial controls system over financial reporting.

### Meaning of Internal Financial Controls with reference to Standalone Ind AS financial statements

A company's internal financial control over financial reporting is a process designed to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. A company's internal financial control over financial reporting includes those policies and procedures that (1) pertain to the maintenance of records that, in reasonable detail, accurately and fairly reflect the transactions and dispositions of the assets of the company; (2) provide reasonable assurance that transactions are recorded as necessary to permit preparation of financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, and that receipts and expenditures of the company are being made only in accordance with authorisations of management and directors of the company; and (3) provide reasonable assurance regarding prevention or timely detection of unauthorised acquisition, use, or disposition of the company's assets that could have a material effect on the financial statements.

#### Inherent Limitations of Internal Financial Controls with reference to Standalone Ind AS financial statements

Because of the inherent limitations of internal financial controls over financial reporting, including the possibility of collusion or improper management override of controls, material misstatements due to error or fraud may occur and not be detected. Also, projections of any evaluation of the internal financial controls over financial reporting to future periods are subject to the risk that the internal financial control over financial reporting may become inadequate because of changes in conditions, or that the degree of compliance with the policies or procedures may deteriorate.

### **Opinion**

In our opinion, to the best of our information and according to explanation given to us, the Company has maintained, in all material respects, adequate internal financial controls over financial reporting and such internal financial controls over financial reporting were operating effectively as at 31 March 2025, based on the internal control over financial reporting criteria established by the Company considering the essential components of internal control stated in the Guidance Note on Audit of Internal Financial Controls Over Financial Reporting issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India.

Date: May 28, 2025 Place: Mumbai For **S P M L & Associates** Chartered Accountants FRN: 136549W

Sd/-CA Govind Mandhania Partner M. No. 183098

UDIN: 25183098BMJEKR6659

₹ in Lakh

STANDALONE BALANCE SHEET AS AT MARCH 31, 2025				
PARTICULARS	Note No.	As at March 31, 2025	As at March 31, 2024	
ASSETS				
NON-CURRENT ASSETS				
Property, Plant and Equipment	3	57.91	83.43	
Intangible Assets		-	-	
Financial Assets				
(i) Investments		-	-	
(ii) Other Financial Assets		-	-	
Deferred Tax Assets (Net)	5	84.05	77.63	
Total Non-Current Assets		141.96	161.06	
CURRENT ASSETS				
Inventories	6	172.40	219.03	
Financial Assets		, 1	<u> </u>	
(i) Trade Receivables	7	42.35	-	
(ii) Cash and Cash Equivalents	8	33.71	34.06	
(iii) Bank Balances other than (ii) above	8	17.26	29.66	
(iv) Loans & Advances	9	1,823.35	1,934.19	
(v) Other Financial Assets	10			
Other Current Assets		455.55	334.14	
Income Tax Assets (Net)	11	1.43	25.64	
	4	26.56	25.61	
Total Current Assets		2,572.61	2,577.40	
TOTAL ASSETS		2,714.57	2,738.47	
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES				
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS		_	_	
Equity Share Capital	12	1,694.00	1,694.00	
Other Equity	13	868.43	886.32	
Total Equities		2,562.43	2,580.32	
LIABILITIES				
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES				
Financial Liabilities				
(i) Borrowings	14	28.96	51.93	
Provisions		-	-	
Total Non-Current Liabilities		28.96	51.93	
CURRENT LIABILITIES				
Financial Liabilities				
(i) Trade Payables	15	77.62	76.12	
(ii) Borrowings	16	21.63	18.59	
(iii) Other Financial Liabilities	17	14.95	-	
Other Current Liabilities	18	8.98	11.51	
Total Current Liabilities		152.14	158.15	
TOTAL EQUITY & LIABILITIES		2,714.57	2,738.47	
Summary on Significant Accounting Policies	1	-1/-4-3/	21/30.4/	
The accompanying notes form part of Financial Statements	2 to 43	_		
As per our Report of Even date		n behalf of the Board		
For S P M L & Associates	101 & 0	in behalf of the board		
Chartered Accountants		- 11		
FRN- 136549W		Sd/-	Sd/-	
Sd/-	Manish Baid		Urmi Bose	
CA Govind Mandhania	Managing Director		Director	
Partner	(DIN:	00239347)	(DIN: 07245298)	
Membership No: 183098				
		Sd/-	Sd/-	
UDIN: 25183098BMJEKR6659	Roh	it Pandey	Neha Sarawagi	

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Standalone Statement of Profit & Loss f			
PARTICULARS		Year Ended March	Year Ended March
INCOME	No.	31, 2025	31, 2024
	10	210.62	0
Revenue from Operations	19	218.69	140.78
Other Income	20	7.15	0.88
Total Revenue		225.84	141.66
EXPENSES  Control Materials Consumed			
Cost of Materials Consumed Purchases of Stock-in-Trade		-	-
	21	30.25	
Changes in Inventories	22	46.63	-37.72
Employee Benefits Expenses	23	36.91	48.20
Finance Costs	24	5.34	6.47
Depreciation and Amortization Expenses	3	25.52	36.95
Other Expenses	25	57.36	48.48
Total Expenses		202.01	102.38
PROFIT/(LOSS) BEFORE TAXATION		23.83	39.28
Extra-Ordinary Items		-	-
Profit/(Loss) before Tax		23.83	39.28
TAX EXPENSES			
Current Tax		12.84	5.92
Deferred Tax Assets		(6.41)	(1.30)
Tax adjustments for earlier years		35.29	-
Net Profit/(Loss) for the Year		(17.89)	34.66
Other Comprehensive Income/(Loss)			
Items that will not be reclassified to Profit or Loss			
Fair value changes on Equity Instruments carried at fair			
value through OCI;		-	-
Less: Tax impact of items that will not be reclassified to			
Statement of Profit and Loss		-	-
Total other Comprehensive Income		-	-
Total Comprehensive Income for the period		(17.89)	34.66
Earnings Per Equity Share:	26		
Basic and Diluted (FV of ₹ 10/- each, PY ₹ 10/- each)		(0.11)	0.21
Summary on Significant Accounting Policies	1-2		
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As per our Report of Even date	For & on beh	alf of the Board	
For S P M L & Associates			
Chartered Accountants		- 1.	
FRN- 136549W		Sd/-	Sd/-
	Manish		Urmi Bose
Sd/-	Managing Dire		Director
CA Govind Mandhania	(DIN: 00239	134/)	(DIN: 07245298)
Partner			
Membership No: 183098			
UDIN: 25183098BMJEKR6659		Sd/-	Sd/-
	Rohit Par	•	Neha Sarawagi
Mumbai, Date: May 28, 2025		CFO	Company Secretary

₹ in Lakh

	Statement of Cash Flow Annexed to the	Ralance	Sheet for t	he Vear ended Marc	t in Lakn
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	PARTICULARS				
Δ	Cash Flow from Operating Activities			31, 2025	31, 2024
Λ.	Net Profit before Tax and Extra-Ordinary Items			23.83	39.28
	Adjustments for			23.03	39.20
	Dividend Received				_
	Depreciation & Amortization Expenses			25.52	36.95
	Interest & Finance Cost			25.52	6.47
	(Gain) on Sale of Assets			5.34	(0.88)
	Interest Income				(0.00)
	Fair value on Change of Equity Instruments				
	Operating Profit before Working Capital changes			- - -	81.81
	Adjustments for Working Capital Changes			54.69	01.01
	Non-Current Assets				
	(Increase)/decrease in Taxes				
	Current Assets			<u>-</u>	-
		·+\		(0.05)	(= 04)
	(Increase)/decrease in Income-Tax Assets (Ne	: ()		(0.95)	(7.81)
	(Increase)/decrease in Trade Receivables (Increase)/decrease in Investments			(42.35)	-
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	(Increase)/decrease in Loans			111.54	82.16
	(Increase)/decrease in Other Financials Asset	5		(121.40)	(78.17)
	(Increase)/decrease in Other Current Assets			(1.43)	-
	(Increase)/decrease in Inventories			46.63	(37.72)
	(Increase)/decrease in Trade Receivables			-	-
	Non-Current Liabilities				
	Increase/(decrease) in Taxes			-	-
	Current Liabilities				
	Increase/(decrease) in Trade Payables			1.50	0.67
	Increase/(decrease) in Other Financial Liabilit			14.95	-
	Increase/(decrease) in Other Current Liabilitie	es		(2.53)	10.93
	Cash Generated from Operations			60.66	51.86
	Adjustment for Taxation			(48.13)	(5.92)
	Net Cash From Operating Activities		Α	12.52	45.94
В.					
	Interest Income				
	Decrease /(Increase) in other Bank Balances			-	-
	Purchase of Assets			-	-
	Sale of Assets			-	11.75
	Net Cash from Investing Activities		В	-	11.75
C.	Cash Flow from Financing Activities				
	Repayments of Borrowings			(19.93)	(18.59)
	Interest paid			(5.34)	(6.47)
	Net Cash used in Financing Activities		С	(25.27)	(25.05)
	Net Increase in Cash & Cash Equivalents (A+B+C)		A+B+C	(12.75)	32.64
	Opening Balance of Cash & Cash Equivalents			63.72	31.08
	Closing Balance of Cash & Cash Equivalents			50.97	63.72
Con	ponent of Cash & Cash Equivalent				
	Particulars	Year End	ded March	Year Ended March	Year Ended March
		31,	2025	31, 2024	31, 2023
Ca	ash in Hand		17.26	29.66	0.28
Ва	alances with Banks		33.71	34.06	30.68

### Notes on Cash Flow Statement:

1. The above cash flow statement has been prepared under the indirect method as set out in Indian Accounting Standard 7 on "Statement of Cash Flow" notified u/s 133 of Companies Act, 2013 ("Act") read with relevant rules issued thereunder and the relevant provisions of the Act.

2. Change in Liabilities arising from Financing Activities:

Particulars		Year Ended March	Year Ended March
i articulais		31, 2025	31, 2024
Non-Current Borrowings			
Opening Balance		51.93	79.30
Amount Borrowed during the year		-	-
Amount Repaid during the year		22.97	27.37
Closing Balance		28.96	51.93
Short-term Borrowings			
Opening Balance		18.59	9.80
Amount Borrowed during the year		21.63	18.59
Amount Repaid during the year		18.59	9.80
Closing Balance		21.63	18.59
Finance Cost			
Opening Balance		-	
Finance Cost incurred during the year		5.34	6.4
Amount Paid during the Year		5.34	6.4
Closing Balance		-	
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As per our Report of Even date	For & on be	half of the Board	
For S P M L & Associates			
Chartered Accountants			
FRN- 136549W		5d/-	Sd/-
	Manish		Urmi Bose
Sd/-	Managing Dir		Directo
CA Govind Mandhania	(DIN: 0023934		(DIN: 07245298
Partner			
Membership No: 183098			
UDIN: 25183098BMJEKR6659		Sd/-	Sd/
	Rohit Pa	indey	Neha Sarawag
Mumbai, Date: May 28, 2025		CFO	Company Secretary

	Statement of Changes in Equity for the Year ended March 31, 2025				
	PARTICULARS	₹ in Lakh			
Α.	Equity Share Capital				
	Balance as at March 31, 2023	1694.00			
	Changes during the year	-			
	Balance as at March 31, 2024	1694.00			
	Balance as at March 31, 2024	1694.00			
	Changes during the year	-			
	Balance as at March 31, 2025	1694.00			
D	Othor Equitor				

B. Other Equity

		Reserves & Surplu	JS	Other	
Particulars	General Reserves	Securities Premium Reserves	Retained Earnings	Comprehensive Income	Total
Balance at the Opening of Reporting					
Period i.e. 1 <sup>st</sup> April 2023	-	1688.00	(640.97)	1.14	1048.17
Profit for the Year	-	-	34.66	-	34.66
Prior year adjustment depreciation / PPE	-	-	1.18	-	1.18
Prior year adjustment - Deferred Tax on ECL	-	-	69.46	-	69.46
Prior year adjustment - ECL	-	-	(267.14)	-	(267.14)
Balance at the end of Reporting Period i.e. 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2024	-	1688.00	(802.82)	1.14	886.32
Balance at the Opening of Reporting Period i.e. 1 <sup>st</sup> April 2024	-	1688.00	(802.82)	1.14	886.32
Profit/(Loss) for the Year	-	-	(17.89)	-	(17.89)
Balance at the end of Reporting Period i.e. 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2025	-	1688.00	(820.72)	1.14	868.43

<sup>\*</sup>Movement in other comprehensive income relates to Fair value changes on Equity Instruments carried at Fair Value through OCI

### Nature of Reserves:

Summary on Significant Accounting Policies

- a) Securities Premium Reserve: Securities premium reserve is used to record the premium on issue of shares. The reserve is utilised in accordance with the provision of the Companies Act, 2013.
- b) Retained Earnings: Retained earnings are the profits that the Company has earned till date, less any transfers to other reserve, dividends or other distributions paid to shareholders.

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c) General Reserves: The reserve is utilised in accordance with the provision of the Companies Act, 2013.

The accompanying notes form part of Financial Statements	3 to 43	
As per our Report of Even date	For & on behalf of the Boar	d
For S P M L & Associates Chartered Accountants FRN- 136549W  Sd/- CA Govind Mandhania Partner Membership No: 183098	Sd/- <b>Manish Baid</b> Managing Director (DIN: 00239347)	Sd/- <b>Urmi Bose</b> Director (DIN: 07245298)
UDIN: 25183098BMJEKR6659  Mumbai, Date: May 28, 2025	Sd/- <b>Rohit Pandey</b> CFO	Sd/- <b>Neha Sarawagi</b> Company Secretary

### (All amounts are in ₹ in lakh except share data and unless otherwise stated)

### Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31st March 2025

#### 1. BRIEF PROFILE

The Company is incorporated on 9<sup>th</sup> May 2013 at Mumbai, Maharashtra, India. It is a Public limited company by its shares. The activities of the company include investment in shares & securities, Commercial Papers, Fixed Deposits and other related activities of capital market.

The Registered Office of the Company is situated at 805, Raheja Center, 214, Free Press Journal Marg, Nariman Point, Mumbai-400021.

### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

### 2.1 Statement of compliance

The financial statements are prepared in accordance with and are in compliance, in all material aspects with Indian Accounting Standards (Ind AS) notified under Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 (the Act) read along with Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, as amended and other relevant provisions of the Act. The presentation of the Financial Statements is based on Ind AS Schedule III of the Companies Act, 2013.

#### 2.2 Basis of preparation:

The financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis except for certain financial instruments that are measured at fair values at the end of each reporting period.

Fair value measurements under Ind AS are categorized into Level 1, 2, or 3 based on the degree to which the inputs to the fair value measurements are observable and the significance of the inputs to the fair value measurement in its entirety, which are described as follows:

- Level 1 inputs are quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the Company can access at reporting date
- Level 2 inputs are inputs, other than quoted prices included within level 1, that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly; and
- Level 3 inputs are unobservable inputs for the valuation of assets or liabilities

### 2.3 Use of estimates and judgment's:

The preparation of the financial statements in conformity with Ind AS required management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income and expenses. Difference between the actual results and estimates are recognized in the year in which results are known/materialized. Although these estimates are based upon management's best knowledge of current events and actions, actual results could differ from these estimates. Any revision to accounting estimates is recognized prospectively in the current and future periods.

### 2.4 Presentation of financial statements:

These financial statements of the Company are prepared and presented in accordance with Indian Accounting Standards ("Ind AS") notified under the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015, as amended and other relevant provision of the Act as amended from time to time and presentation requirements of Division II of Schedule III to the Companies Act, 2013, (Ind AS compliant Schedule III), as applicable to the financial statements.

Amounts in the financial statements are presented in Indian Rupees rounded off to zero decimal places as permitted by Schedule III to the Companies Act, 2013. Per share data are presented in Indian Rupee to two decimal places.

### 2.5 Revenue Recognition

Revenue is recognised to the extent that it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Company and the revenue can be reliably measured and there exists reasonable certainty of its recovery. Revenue is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable as reduced for estimated customer credits and other similar allowances.

i. Interest income is recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss and for all financial instruments except for those classified as held for trading or those measured or designated as at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL) is measured using the effective interest method (EIR).

The calculation of the EIR includes all fees and points paid or received between parties to the contract that are incremental and directly attributable to the specific lending arrangement, transaction costs, and all other premiums or discounts. For financial assets at FVTPL transaction costs are recognised in profit or loss at initial recognition.

The interest income is calculated by applying the EIR to the gross carrying amount of non-credit impaired financial assets (i.e. at the amortised cost of the financial asset before adjusting for any expected credit loss allowance).

For credit-impaired financial assets the interest income is calculated and recognised only where the Company expects reasonable certainty with regard to the recovery of interest income.

- ii. Dividend income is recognised when the Company's right to receive dividend is established by the reporting date and no significant uncertainty as to collectability exists.
- iii. Fee and commission income and expense include fees other than those that are an integral part of EIR. The fees included in the Company statement of profit and loss include among other things fees charged for servicing a loan, non-utilisation fees relating to loan commitments when it is unlikely that these will result in a specific lending arrangement and loan advisory fees.
- iv. Profit / loss on FNO Segment and Commodity transactions is accounted for as explained below:

Initial and additional margin paid over and above initial margin for entering into contracts for Equity Index / Stock Futures / Commodity Spot Trading/ Currency Futures and or Equity Index / Stock Options / Currency Options, which are released on final settlement / squaring-up of underlying contracts, are disclosed under "Other current assets". Mark-to-market margin-Equity Index / Stock Futures / Currency Futures representing the amounts paid in respect of mark to market margin is disclosed under "Other current assets".

"Equity Index / Stock Option / Currency Option Premium Account" represents premium paid or received for buying or selling the Options, respectively.

On final settlement or squaring up of contracts for Equity Index / Stock Futures / Currency Future, the realized profit or loss after adjusting the unrealized loss already accounted, if any, is recognized in the Statement of Profit and Loss. On settlement or squaring up of Equity Index / Stock Options / Currency Option, before expiry, the premium prevailing in "Equity Index / Stock Option / Currency Option Premium Account" on that date is recognized in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

As at the Balance Sheet date, the Mark to Market / Unrealized Profit / (Loss) on all outstanding arbitrage portfolio comprising of Securities and Equity / Currency Derivatives positions is determined on scrip basis with net unrealized losses on scrip basis being recognized in the Statement of Profit and Loss and the net unrealized gains on scrip basis are ignored.

v. Other operational revenue represents income earned from the activities incidental to the business and is recognised when the right to receive the income is established as per the terms of the contract.

### 2.6 Fair value measurement:

The Company measures certain financial instruments at fair value at each reporting date.

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to settle a liability in an ordinary transaction between market participants at the measurement date. The fair value of an asset or a liability is measured using the assumption that market participants would use when pricing an asset or liability acting in their best economic interest. The Company uses valuation techniques, which are appropriate in circumstances and for which sufficient data is available considering the expected loss/ profit in case of financial assets or liabilities.

### 2.7 Property, Plant and Equipments

Freehold land is carried at historical cost. All other items of property, plant and equipment are stated at historical cost less depreciation less impairment loss, if any. Historical cost comprises of purchase price, including non-refundable purchase taxes, after deducting trade discounts and rebates, any directly attributable cost of bringing the item to its working condition for its intended use.

Subsequent costs are included in the asset's carrying amount or recognized as a separate asset, as appropriate, only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the Company and the cost of the item can be measured reliably. The carrying amount of any component accounted for as a separate asset is derecognized when replaced. All other repairs and maintenance are charged to statement of profit or loss during the reporting period in which they are incurred.

If significant parts of an item of property, plant and equipment have different useful lives, then they are accounted for as separated items (major components) of property, plant and equipment.

#### Depreciation methods, estimated useful lives and residual value:

Depreciation is provided on the written down value method over the estimated useful lives of the assets which in certain cases may be different than the rate prescribed in Schedule II to the Companies Act, 2013, in order to reflect the actual usages of the assets.

The asset's residual values and useful lives are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at the end of each reporting period. The asset's residual values and useful lives are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at the end of each reporting period.

Class of Assets	Useful life as prescribed in Schedule II of Companies Act, 2013 (in years)	Useful life as followed by the Company (in year)
Computers	3	3
Furniture & Fixtures	10	10
Office Equipments	5	5
Vehicles	8	8

The assets' residual values, useful lives and method of depreciation are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at the end of each reporting period.

An asset's carrying amount is written down immediately to its recoverable amount if the asset's carrying amount is greater than its estimated recoverable amount.

Gains and losses on disposals are determined by comparing proceeds with carrying amount and are recognized as income or expense in the statement of profit and loss.

### 2.8 Impairment of tangible and intangible assets other than goodwill

As at the end of each accounting year, the Company reviews the carrying amounts of its PPE and intangible assets to determine whether there is any indication that those assets have suffered an impairment loss. If such indication exists, the PPE, investment property and intangible assets are tested for impairment so as to determine the impairment loss, if any. Goodwill and the intangible assets with indefinite life are tested for impairment each year.

Impairment loss is recognised when the carrying amount of an asset exceeds its recoverable amount. Recoverable amount is determined in the case of an individual asset, at the higher of the net selling price and the value in use.

Recoverable amount is the higher of fair value less costs of disposal and value in use. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pretax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset for which the estimates of future cash flows have not been adjusted.

If recoverable amount of an asset (or cash generating unit) is estimated to be less than its carrying amount, such deficit is recognised immediately in the Statement of Profit and Loss as impairment loss and the carrying amount of the asset (or cash generating unit) is reduced to its recoverable amount. For this purpose, the impairment loss recognised in respect of a cash generating unit is allocated first to reduce the carrying amount of any goodwill allocated to such cash generating unit and then to reduce the carrying amount of the other assets of the cash generating unit on a pro-rata basis.

When an impairment loss subsequently reverses, the carrying amount of the asset (or cash generating unit), except for allocated goodwill, is increased to the revised estimate of its recoverable amount, but so that the increased carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined had no impairment loss is recognised for the asset (or cash generating unit) in prior years. A reversal of an impairment loss (other than impairment loss allocated to goodwill) is recognised immediately in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

### 2.9 Employee benefits:

i. Short term employee benefits:

Employee benefits falling due wholly within twelve months of rendering the service are classified as short term employee benefits and are expensed in the period in which the employee renders the related service. Liabilities recognised in respect of short-term employee benefits are measured at the undiscounted amount of the benefits expected to be paid in exchange for the related service.

ii. Defined employment benefits:

The Company does not have employees crossing the thresholds for applicability of PF / ESIC or Gratuity laws and accordingly, Ind-AS 19 to that extent is not applicable on the Company. Therefore, the Company has not recognised / provided for any defined employee benefits in the financial statements as on date.

### 2.10 Financial instruments:

Financial assets and financial liabilities are recognised in the Company's balance sheet when the Company becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

Recognised financial assets and financial liabilities are initially measured at fair value. Transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition or issue of financial assets and financial liabilities (other than financial assets and financial liabilities at FVTPL) are added to or deducted from the fair value of the financial assets or financial liabilities, as appropriate, on initial recognition. Transaction costs directly attributable to the acquisition of financial assets or financial liabilities at FVTPL are recognised immediately in profit or loss.

A financial asset and a financial liability is offset and presented on net basis in the balance sheet when there is a current legally enforceable right to set-off the recognised amounts and it is intended to either settle on net basis or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

### 2.11 Write off:

Loans and debt securities are written off when the Company has no reasonable expectations of recovering the financial asset (either in its entirety or a portion of it). This is the case when the Company determines that the borrower does not have assets or sources of income that could generate sufficient cash flows to repay the amounts subject to the write-off. A write-off constitutes a de-recognition event. The Company may apply enforcement activities to financial assets written off. Recoveries resulting from the Company's enforcement activities will result in impairment gains.

#### 2.12 Impairment of Financial Assets:

The Company recognises loss allowances for ECLs on the following financial instruments that are not measured at FVTPL:

- Loans and advances given;
- Debt investment securities;
- o Trade and other receivable;
- o Irrevocable loan commitments issued; and
- Other Financial Assets.

### 2.13 Measurement of ECL

At each reporting date, as an annual exercise, the Company recognizes a loss allowance for expected credit losses on the relevant financial assets.

### ECL is measured in a manner that reflects:

An unbiased and probability-weighted amount, determined by evaluating a range of possible outcomes.

The time value of money (by discounting estimated future cash flows at the asset's original effective interest rate).

Reasonable and supportable information about past events, current conditions, and forecasts of future economic conditions.

### **Staging and Recognition**

#### Stage 1 (Non-Credit Impaired):

For financial assets where credit risk has not increased significantly since initial recognition, the Company measures the loss allowance at an amount equal to 12-month ECL and recognizes interest income on the gross carrying amount.

### Stage 2 (Significant Increase in Credit Risk):

If the credit risk has increased significantly since initial recognition, the loss allowance is calculated for lifetime ECL, and interest income continues to be recognized on the gross carrying amount.

### Stage 3 (Credit Impaired):

If a financial asset is credit-impaired, the Company measures the loss allowance for lifetime ECL and calculates interest income on the net carrying amount (gross carrying amount less loss allowance).

### **Management of ECL Model & Monitoring**

The ECL model and assumptions are periodically reviewed and updated to reflect current and forward-looking information. Any changes or management overlays to the model require approval from the Audit Committee.

The amount of ECL provision is shown as net-off against respective financial asset

**Note:** A loan is considered credit-impaired when a concession is granted to the borrower due to a deterioration in the borrower's financial condition, unless there is evidence that as a result of granting the concession the risk of not receiving the contractual cash flows has reduced significantly and there are no other indicators of impairment. For financial assets where concessions are contemplated but not granted the asset is deemed credit impaired when there is observable evidence of credit-impairment including meeting the definition of default. The definition of default (see below) includes unlikeliness to pay indicators and a back-stop if amounts are overdue for 90 days or more.

#### 2.14 Cash and bank balances:

For the purpose of presentation in the statement of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents includes cash on hand, deposits held at call with financial institutions, other short-term, highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value, and bank overdrafts. Bank overdrafts are shown within borrowings in current liabilities in the balance sheet.

### 2.15 Securities premium account:

### Securities premium includes:

The difference between the face value of the equity shares and the consideration received in respect of shares issued is recognised as 'Securities Premium Reserve' under other equity.

The issue expenses of securities which qualify as equity instruments are written off against securities premium account.

### 2.16 Borrowing costs:

Borrowing costs include interest expense calculated using the effective interest method, finance charges in respect of assets acquired on finance lease and exchange differences arising from foreign currency borrowings, to the extent they are regarded as an adjustment to interest costs.

Borrowing costs net of any investment income from the temporary investment of related borrowings that are attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of a qualifying asset are capitalized as part of cost of such asset till such time the asset is ready for its intended use or sale. A qualifying asset is an asset that necessarily requires a substantial period of time to get ready for its intended use or sale. All other borrowing costs are recognised in profit or loss in the period in which they are incurred.

### 2.17 Accounting and reporting of information for Operating Segments:

Operating segments are those components of the business whose operating results are regularly reviewed by the chief operating decision making body in the Company to make decisions for performance assessment and resource allocation. The reporting of segment information is the same as provided to the management for the purpose of the performance assessment and resource allocation to the segments. Segment accounting policies are in line with the accounting policies of the Company.

### 2.18 Taxation:

#### **Current Tax:**

Tax on income for the current period is determined on the basis of taxable income (or on the basis of book profits wherever minimum alternate tax is applicable) and tax credits computed in accordance with the provisions of the Income Tax Act, 1961 and based on the expected outcome of assessments/appeals.

#### **Deferred Tax:**

Deferred tax is recognised on temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities in the Company's financial statements and the corresponding tax bases used in computation of taxable profit and quantified using the tax rates and laws enacted or substantively enacted as on the Balance Sheet date.

Deferred tax assets are generally recognised for all taxable temporary differences to the extent that is probable that taxable profit will be available against which those deductible temporary differences can be utilized. The carrying amount of deferred tax assets is reviewed at the end of each reporting period and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profits will be available to allow all or part of the asset to be recovered.

Deferred tax assets relating to unabsorbed depreciation/business losses/losses under the head "capital gains" are recognised and carried forward to the extent of available taxable temporary differences or where there is convincing other evidence that sufficient future taxable income will be available against which such deferred tax assets can be realized. Deferred tax assets in respect of unutilized tax credits which mainly relate to minimum alternate tax are recognised to the extent it is probable of such unutilized tax credits will get realized.

The measurement of deferred tax liabilities and assets reflects the tax consequences that would follow from the manner in which the Company expects, at the end of reporting period, to recover or settle the carrying amount of its assets and liabilities.

Transaction or event which is recognised outside profit or loss, either in other comprehensive income or in equity, is recorded along with the tax as applicable.

### 2.19 Provisions, contingent liabilities and contingent assets:

Provisions are recognised only when:

- i. an Company entity has a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of a past event; and
- ii. it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation; and
- iii. a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation

Provision is measured using the cash flows estimated to settle the present obligation and when the effect of time value of money is material, the carrying amount of the provision is the present value of those cash flows. Reimbursement expected in respect of expenditure required to settle a provision is recognised only when it is virtually certain that the reimbursement will be received.

Contingent liability is disclosed in case of:

- i. a present obligation arising from past events, when it is not probable that an outflow of resources will be required to settle the obligation; and
- ii. a present obligation arising from past events, when no reliable estimate is possible.

Where the unavoidable costs of meeting the obligations under the contract exceed the economic benefits expected to be received under such contract, the present obligation under the contract is recognised and measured as a provision.

### 2.20 Statement of cash flows:

Statement of cash flows is prepared segregating the cash flows into operating, investing and financing activities. Cash flow from operating activities is reported using indirect method adjusting the net profit for the effects of:

- i. changes during the period in operating receivables and payables transactions of a non-cash nature;
- ii. non-cash items such as depreciation, provisions, deferred taxes, realized gains and losses; and
- iii. all other items for which the cash effects are investing or financing cash flows.

Cash and cash equivalents (including bank balances) shown in the Statement of Cash Flows exclude items which are not available for general use as on the date of Balance Sheet.

### 2.21 Earnings per share:

The Company presents basic and diluted earnings per share data for its ordinary shares. Basic earnings per share is calculated by dividing the profit or loss attributable to ordinary shareholders of the Company by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the year. Diluted earnings per share is determined by adjusting the profit or loss attributable to ordinary shareholders and the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding, adjusted for own shares held, for the effects of all dilutive potential ordinary shares.

#### 2.22 Key source of estimation:

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with Ind AS requires that the management of the Company makes estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of income and expenses of the period, the

reported balances of assets and liabilities and the disclosures relating to contingent liabilities as of the date of the financial statements. The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates include useful lives of property, plant and equipment & intangible assets, expected credit loss on loan books, future obligations in respect of retirement benefit plans, fair value measurement etc. Difference, if any, between the actual results and estimates is recognised in the period in which the results are known.

# 2.23 Changes in Accounting Standard and recent accounting pronouncements (New Accounting Standards issued but not effective):

On March 30, 2021, the Ministry of Corporate Affairs issued the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) (Amendments) Rules, 2019, notifying Ind AS 116 on Leases. Ind AS 116 would replace the existing leases standard Ind AS 17. The standard sets out the principles for the recognition, measurement, presentation and disclosures for both parties to a contract, i.e. the lessee and the lessor. Ind AS 116 introduces a single lease accounting model and requires a lessee to recognise assets and liabilities for all leases with a term of more than 12 months, unless the underlying asset is of low value. Currently for operating lease, rentals are charged to the statement of profit and loss. The Company is currently evaluating the implication of Ind AS 116 on the financial statements.

The Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Amendment Rules, 2019 notified amendments to the following accounting standards. The amendments would be effective from April 1, 2019

- a) Ind AS 12, Income taxes Appendix C on uncertainty over income tax treatments
- b) Ind AS 19— Employee benefits
- c) Ind AS 23 Borrowing costs
- d) Ind AS 28— investment in associates and joint ventures
- e) Ind AS 103 and Ind AS 111 Business combinations and joint arrangements
- f) Ind AS 109 Financial instruments

The Company is in the process of evaluating the impact of such amendments.

#### 2.24 Inventories

Stock-in-trade represents 'Shares / Securities' held by the Company with the intention to trade. The Company values listed shares and securities at their fair value as on balance sheet date. Difference between opening and closing inventory is recognised in statement of profit and loss. The Company follows FIFO method for inventory valuation.

### 2.25 Other Income Recognition

Interest on Loan is booked on a time proportion basis taking into account the amounts invested and the rate of interest

Dividend income on investments is accounted for when the right to receive the payment is established.

#### 2.26 Purchases

Purchase is recognized on passing of ownership in share based on broker's purchase note.

#### 2.27 Expenditure

Expenses are accounted for on accrual basis and provision is made for all known losses and liabilities.

### 2.28 Investments

Investments includes 'shares / securities' acquired by the Company with the intention to hold them and reap investment benefits. The Company recognises these financial assets at FVTOCI, which shall be re-classed to Statement of profit and loss upon actual disposal. For quoted investments, the Company uses the quoted rates as on cut-off dates for fair value measurements for un-quoted investments; the Company obtains fair valuation reports on necessary intervals for fair value measurements.

Investments that are readily realisable and are intended to be held for not more than one year from the date, on which such investments are made, are classified as current investments. All other investments are classified as non-current investments.

### 2.29 Related Parties

Parties are considered to be related if at any time during the reporting period one party has the ability to control the other party or exercise significant influence over the other party in making financial and/or operating decisions.

As required by AS-18 "Related Party Disclosure" only following related party relationships are covered:

- i. Enterprises that directly, or indirectly through one or more intermediaries, control, or are controlled by, or are under common control with, the reporting enterprise (this includes holding Companies, subsidiaries and fellow subsidiaries);
- ii. Associates and joint ventures of the reporting enterprise and the investing party or venture in respect of which the reporting enterprise is an associate or a joint venture;
- iii. Individuals owning, directly or indirectly, an interest in the voting power of the reporting enterprise that gives them control or significant influence over the enterprise, and relatives of any such individual;
- iv. Key management personnel (KMP) and relatives of such personnel; and
- v. Enterprises over which any person described in (iii) or (iv) is able to exercise significant influence.

#### 2.30 Stock In Trade

Shares are valued at cost or market value, whichever is lower. The comparison of Cost and Market value is done separately for each category of Shares.

Units of Mutual Funds are valued at cost or market value whichever is lower. Net asset value of units declared by mutual funds is considered as market value for non-exchange traded Mutual Funds.

### 2.31 Fair Value Hierarchy

Level 1 – Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.

Level 2 – Inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (i.e. as prices) or indirectly (i.e. derived from prices).

Level 3 – Inputs for the assets or liabilities that are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs).

#### 2.32 Financial Risk Management Objectives and Policies:

The Company's activities are exposed to a variety of Financial Risks from its Operations. The key financial risks include Market risk, Credit risk and Liquidity risk.

### i. Market Risk:

Market risk is the risk that the fair value of future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market prices. Market risk comprises mainly three types of risk, foreign currency risk, Interest rate risk and other price risk such as Equity price risk and Commodity Price risk.

#### ii. Foreign Currency Sensitivity:

There are no Foreign Currency transactions during the financial year.

#### iii. Credit Risk:

Credit risk is the risk that counterparty might not honor its obligations under a financial instrument or customer contract, leading to a financial loss. The company is exposed to credit risk from its operating activities (primarily trade receivables).

### iv. Liquidity Risk:

Liquidity risk is the risk, where the company will encounter difficulty in meeting the obligations associated with its financial liabilities that are settled by delivering cash or another financial asset. The company's approach is to ensure, as far as possible, that it will have sufficient liquidity to meet its liabilities when due.

### 2.33 Cash and cash Equivalents

For the purpose of presentation in the statement of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents includes cash on hand, deposits held at call with financial institutions, other short-term, highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value, and bank overdrafts. Bank overdrafts are shown within borrowings in current liabilities in the balance sheet.

Note 3 - Property, Plant and Equipment, Capital Work-In-Progress and Intangible Assets

	Plant & Machinery	Office Equipments	Furniture & Fixtures	Vehicles	Computers	Total
Gross Block						
Balance as at 1 <sup>st</sup> April 2023	7.03	5.59	21.03	180.29	1.25	215.19
Additions	-	-	-	-		-
Disposals/Capitalization	7.03	-	-	47.60		54.64
Balance as at March 31, 2024	-	5.59	21.03	132.69	1.25	160.55
Balance as at 1 <sup>st</sup> April 2024	-	5.59	21.03	132.69	1.25	160.55
Additions	-	-	-	-	-	-
Disposals/Capitalization	-	-	-	-		-
Balance as at March 31, 2025	-	5.59	21.03	132.69	1.25	160.55
Accumulated Depreciation and Amortization						
Balance as at 1 <sup>st</sup> April 2023	-	5.30	12.53	64.91	1.19	83.94
Depreciation and amortization charge for the year	-	-	2.11	34.84	-	36.95
Disposals/Capitalization	-	-	-	43.77	-	43.77
Balance as at March 31, 2024	-	5.30	14.64	55.98	1.19	77.12
Balance as at 1 <sup>st</sup> April 2024	-	5.30	14.64	55.98	1.19	77.12
Depreciation and amortization						
charge for the year	-		1.57	23.96	-	25.52
Disposals/Capitalization	-	-	-	-	-	-
Balance as at March 31, 2025	-	5.30	16.21	79.93	1.19	102.64
Carrying Amount (Net)						
Balance as at March 31, 2024	-	0.28	6.38	76.71	0.06	83.43
Balance as at March 31, 2025	-	0.28	4.81	52.75	0.06	57.91

### Net Effect as follows -

Particulars	As at March 31, 2025 (Rs. in Lakh)
Increase in Depreciation charge for FY 2023-24	13.47
Decrease in Net Block of PPE as on 31 March 2025	12.30
Adjustment to net Equity for Earlier Years	1.18

## Note 4 - Income Tax Assets

Particulars	As at March 31, 2025	As at March 31, 2024
Unsecured Inter-Corporate Deposits		
Taxes Paid (Net of Provision)	26.56	25.61

## Note 5 - Deferred Tax Assets (Net)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2025	As at March 31, 2024
Depreciation on Property Plant & Equipments	10.77	8.92
Provision for ECL [Refer Note 41(e)]	73.27	68.71
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### Note 6 - Inventories

Particulars	Quantity	Face Value (₹)	As at March 31, 2025	As at March 31, 2024
(1) In Fully Paid Equity Shares (Quoted)  Measured at Fair Value through OCI				
Jackson Investments Limited	1200000	1.00	7.32	55.12
Ashapura Intimates Fashion Limited	10000	10.00	0.10	0.14

Best Eastern Hotels Limited	25425	1.00	3.17	4.00
Jyoti Structures Ltd.	12000	2.00	2.05	-
SUB-TOTAL (1)			12.63	59.26
(2) In Fully Paid Equity Shares (Un-Quoted)				
Agradooti Vanijya Pvt. Ltd	1,15,578	10.00	116.03	116.03
Beau Mont Tradecom Pvt. Ltd.	2,400	10.00	11.48	11.48
Kathakali Vincom Pvt. Ltd	6,300	10.00	29.77	29.77
Rupasi Traders Pvt. Ltd	2,487	10.00	2.49	2.49
SUB-TOTAL (2)			159.77	159.77
GRAND TOTAL (1+2)			172.40	219.03

### Note 7 – Trade Receivables

Particulars	As at March	As at March
i di dicoldis	31, 2025	31, 2024
Others	42.49	-
Less: Provision for ECL [Refer note 37]	-0.15	-
TOTAL	42.35	

Note - Ageing analysis of the age of trade receivable amounts (before ECL) that are past due as at the end of reporting year but not impaired:

### Trade Receivable Ageing Schedule as at 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025

	Particulars	Outstandii	Total			
	Particulars	Less than 1 Year	1-2 Years	2-3 Years	More than 3 Years	lOtal
i.	Undisputed - Considered good	42.35	-	-	-	42.35
ii.	Undisputed - which have significant					
	increase in credit risk	-	-	-	-	-
iii.	Undisputed - Credit impaired	-	-	-	-	-
i.	Disputed - Considered good	-	-	-	-	-
ii.	Disputed - which have significant					
	increase in credit risk	-	-	-	-	-
iii.	Disputed - Credit impaired	-	-	-	-	-

## Trade Receivables Ageing Schedule as at 31 st March, 2024

Particulars	Outstandi	Total			
Particulars	Less than 1 Year	1-2 Years	2-3 Years	More than 3 Years	lotai
iv. Undisputed - Considered good	-	-	-	-	-
v. Undisputed - which have significant					
increase in credit risk	-	-	-	-	-
vi. Undisputed - Credit impaired	-	-	-	-	-
iv. Disputed - Considered good	-	-	-	-	-
v. Disputed - which have significant					
increase in credit risk	-	-	-	-	-
vi. Disputed - Credit impaired	-	-	-	-	-

### Note 8 – Cash & Cash Equivalents

Particulars		As at March 31, 2025	As at March 31, 2024
Balances with Banks in Current Accounts		33.71	34.06
Cash In Hand		17.26	29.66
	TOTAL	50.97	63.72

### Note 9 - Loans & Advances

Particulars	As at March	As at March
i di dicolais	31, 2025	31, 2024
Unsecured, Considered Good		
Loans and Advances to Non-Corporate Clients		
(ICD's Given to Corporate Entities which recoverable in Due Course of Business)	2033.62	2133.29
Less: Provision for ECL (Refer Note 37)	-210.27	-198.40
TOTAL	1823.35	1934.90

#### Note 10 - Other Financial Assets

Particulars	As at March 31, 2025	As at March 31, 2024
Unsecured, Considered Good		
Advances recoverable in cash or in kind or for value to be received (Refer note 10.1 below)	489.20	407.40
Less: Provision for ECL [Refer note 37]	-80.56	-74.61
Security Deposits for Margin	45.00	-
Less: Provision for ECL [Refer note 37]	-0.16	-
Other Receivables	2.07	1.35
TOTAL	455.550	334.14

Note: During past years / periods, the Company had given various advances (recoverable in cash / kind) totaling to INR 408.90 Lakhs (gross value) – shown under 'Other financial assets (current). These advances were given for the purpose of acquiring of shares / securities; however, such acquisition is pending as on balance sheet date. The management is in process of either settling these transactions by acquisition of shares / securities, or by squaring off the advances through repayment. The auditors have solely relied on management's representation in this regard

#### Note 11 - Other Current Assets

Particulars	As at March	As at March
Turticolars	31, 2025	31, 2024
Unsecured, Considered Good		
Taxes Paid (Net of Provisions)	1.43	-
TOTAL	1.43	-

### Note 12 — Equity Share Capital

Particulars	As at March	As at March
r di ticolais	31, 2025	31, 2024
Authorized Capital		
1,80,00,000 (March 31, 2024: 1,80,00,000) Equity Shares of ₹ 10/- each	1800.00	1800.00
TOTAL	1800.00	1800.00
Issued, Subscribed & Paid-up Capital		
1,69,40,000 (March 31, 2024: 1,69,40,000) Equity Shares of ₹ 10/- each	1694.00	1694.00
TOTAL	1694.00	1694.00

### (a) Reconciliation of the shares outstanding at the beginning and at the end of the reporting period

	As at Marc	h 31, 2025	As at March 31, 2024	
Particulars	No. of	Amount	No. of	Amount
	Shares		Shares	
Equity Shares At the commencement and at the end of the	1,69,40,000	1694.00	1,69,40,000	1694.00
year				

(b) Terms/ rights attached to Equity Shares: The Company has only one class of equity shares. Each holder of Equity Shares is entitled to one vote per share. The dividend proposed, if any by the Board of Directors is subject to approval of the shareholders in ensuing Annual General Meeting.

In the event of liquidation of the Company, the holders of the equity shares will be entitled to receive remaining assets of the Company, after distribution of all preferential amounts. The distribution will be in proportion to the number of equity shares held by the shareholders.

### (c) Shares held by Holding Companies

Particulars	As at Marc	h 31, 2025 (₹)	As at Marc	h 31, 2024 (₹)
	No. of Shares Percentage		No. of Shares	Percentage
GCM Securities Limited	60,90,000	35.95%	60,90,000	35.95%

### (d) Details of shareholders holding more than 5% shares in the Company

	As at March 31, 2025		As at I	March 31, 2024
Particulars	No. of Shares	Percentage	No. of Shares	Percentage
GCM Securities Limited	60,90,000	35.95%	60,90,000	35.95%

### (e) Details of Shares held by Promoters:

Particulars	As at March 31, 2025 (₹)		As at Marc	h 31, 2024 (₹)
	No. of Shares	Percentage	No. of Shares	Percentage
Inderchand Baid	5,000	0.03%	5,000	0.03%
Saroj Baid	5,000	0.03%	5,000	0.03%
Manish Baid	5,000	0.03%	5,000	0.03%
Samir Baid	5,000	0.03%	5,000	0.03%
GCM Securities Limited	60,90,000	35.95%	60,90,000	35.95%
Global Capital Markets Ltd.	4,97,500	2.94%	4,97,500	2.94%
GCM Commodity & Derivatives Ltd	5,000	0.03%	5,000	0.03%

### **Shareholding Pattern:**

Name of Promoter	As at March 31, 2025 (₹)		As at Marc	h 31, 2024 (₹)
	No. of Shareholders	% of Total Shares	No. of Shareholders	% of Total Shares
Promoter	7	39.03%	7	39.03%
Public	1,441	60.97%	1,346	60.97%

### (f) Terms and rights attached to Equity Shares:

The Company has only one class of Equity Shares having a Face Value of ₹ 10/- per share. Each holder of Equity Shares is entitled to one vote per share. The Company declares and pays dividend in Indian rupees. In the event of liquidation of the Company, the holders of Equity Shares will be entitled to receive remaining assets of the Company, after distribution of all preferential amounts. The distribution will be in proportion to the number of Equity Shares held by the shareholders.

### Note 13 - Other Equity

Particulars		As at March	As at March
Particulars		31, 2025	31, 2024
Equity Instruments through Other Comprehensive Income			
At the commencement of the year		1.14	1.14
Add: Addition during the Year (Net of Taxes)		-	-
Tax adjustments for Previous Year			
Less: Transfer of Reserves on sale of realized (Gain)/Loss		-	-
	Sub-Total	1.14	1.14
Retained Earnings			
At the commencement of the year		-802.82	-640.98
Add: Profit/(Loss) for the Year		-17.89	34.66
Less: Transfer from Other Comprehensive Income		-	-
Less: Prior Period Adjustments (Depreciation & PPE)			1.18
Less: Prior Period Adjustments for Deferred Tax on ECL			69.55
Less: Prior Period Adjustments for ECL			-267.14
	Sub-Total	-820.72	-802.82

Securities Premium Account			
At the commencement and at the end of the year		1688.00	1688.00
	GRAND TOTAL	868.43	1099.71

### Nature and purpose of other Reserves

### **General Reserve**

- Securities Premium Reserve: Securities premium reserve is used to record the premium on issue of shares. The reserve is utilised in accordance with the provision of the Companies Act, 2013.
- Retained Earnings: Retained earnings are the profits that the Company has earned till date, less any transfers to other reserve, dividends or other distributions paid to shareholders.

### Note 14 - Short Term Borrowings (Secured)

Particulars	As at March	As at March
i diticolalis	31, 2025	31, 2024
Term Loan- Secured Others - current maturities of long-term borrowings		
Car Loan-BMW India finance Services Ltd.		
(Secured against hypothecation of Vehicle , repayable in 60 installments		
and carries an interest rate @ 10.25% per annum)	5.02	8.35
Car Loan-ICICI Lombard	_	
(Secured against hypothecation of Vehicle , repayable in 60 installments		
and carries an interest rate @ 10.25% per annum)	23.94	10.24
TOTAL	28.96	18.59

### Note 15 - Trade Payables

Particulars	As at March 31, 2025	As at March 31, 2024
Others	77.62	76.12

### Trade Payable Ageing Schedule as at 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025

	Outstanding	Outstanding for following periods from due date of Payment				
Particulars	Less than 1 Year	1-2 Years	2-3 Years	More than 3 Years	Total	
vii. MSME	-	-	-	-	-	
viii. Others	2.04	2.11	-	74.01	76.85	
ix. Disputed dues- MSME	-	-	-	-	-	
x. Disputed dues - Others	-	-	-	-	-	

### Trade Payable Ageing Schedule as at 31st March, 2024

		Outstanding for following periods from due date of Payment				
	Particulars	Less than 1 Year	1-2 Years	2-3 Years	More than 3 Years	Total
i.	MSME	-	-	-	-	-
ii.	Others	2.11	-	-	74.01	76.12
iii.	Disputed dues- MSME	-	-	-	-	-
iv.	Disputed dues - Others	-	-	-	-	-

### Note 16 - Long Term Borrowings (Secured)

Particulars	As at March	As at March
i di ticoldi 3	31, 2025	31, 2024
Term Loan - Secured Others (Refer note 14.1 below)		
Car Loan-BMW India finance Services Ltd.		
(Secured against hypothecation of Vehicle , repayable in 60 installments		
and carries an interest rate @ 10.25% per annum)	14.50	23.27
Car Loan-ICICI Lombard		
(Secured against hypothecation of Vehicle , repayable in 60 installments		
and carries an interest rate @ 10.25% per annum)	36.09	47.25
Less: Current Maturities	-28.96	-18.59
TOTAL	21.63	51.93

Note: Car are in the name of director / other individuals, who are holding the same as nominee on behalf of the Company. As per management, the Company has legal ownership rights in the Cars and hence, have capitalised the same under 'Property, plant & Equipments'. Further, the management has obtained confirmation letters from such nominee owners, with regard to ownership and right of the Company over the cars. The Auditors have solely relied upon management's representation in this regard

### Note 17 – Other Financial Liabilities

Particulars	As at March 31, 2025	As at March 31, 2024
Obligation in F&O Trading	14.95	-
TOTAL	14.95	-

### Note 18 - Other Current Liabilities

Particulars	As at March	As at March
T di dictordio	31, 2025	31, 2024
Statutory Dues	1.40	1.57
Advances from Clients	5.50	9.50
Other Payables	2.08	0.44
TOTAL	8.98	11.51

### Note 19 - Revenue from Operation

Particulars	Year Ended March 31, 2025	Year Ended March 31, 2024
Sale of Equity Shares	67.50	-
Interest on ICDs & Other Deposits	141.20	140.78
Professional & Advisory Services	10.00	-
TOTAL	. 218.69	140.78

### Note 20 - Other Income

Particulars	Year Ended March 31, 2025	Year Ended March 31, 2024
Profit on Sale of Fixed Assets	-	0.88
Profit/(Loss) on Shares Trading (F&O)	4.66	(0.00)
Speculation Trading in Equity Shares	0.60	` -
Interest on FDR	1.89	-
TOTAL	7.15	0.88

### Note 21 — Purchases of traded goods

Particulars	Year Ended March 31, 2025	Year Ended March 31, 2024
Shares & Securities	30.25	-

### Note 22 — Changes in Inventories

Particulars	Year End March 31, 20	
Opening Stock of Inventories	219	9.03 181.31
Less: Stock at the End of year	172	2.40 219.03
NET IN	VENTORIES 46	5.63 -37.72

## Note 23 — Employee Benefits Expenses

Particulars	Year Ended	Year Ended
1 2000 0000	March 31, 2025	March 31, 2024
Salaries, Bonus & Perquisites to Staff	34.36	43.31
Directors' Remuneration	-	2.00
Staff Welfare Expenses	2.55	2.89
TOTAL	36.91	48.20

## Note 24 - Finance Expenses

Particulars	Year Ended March 31, 2025	Year Ended March 31, 2024
Interest on Car Loan	5.34	6.47

## Note 25 – Other Expenses

Particulars		Year Ended	Year Ended
Particulars		March 31, 2025	March 31, 2024
Advertisement Expenses		0.14	0.13
Auditor's Remuneration:			
- For Audit Fees		1.53	1.53
Bank Charges & Commission		0.10	0.18
Books & Periodicals		0.36	0.36
Business Promotion Expenses		11.68	1.99
Bad Debts written off		-	23.38
Communication expenses		0.23	0.39
Demat Charges			0.05
Directors' Meeting Fees		0.18	0.09
Donation		0.58	-
Filing Fees, rates and taxes		_	0.02
General Office expenses		0.73	1.29
Insurance charges		0.59	2.56
Internal Audit Fees		0.26	-
Internet & Website Expenses		0.45	0.14
Legal and professional fees		15.17	2.14
Postal & Courier Charges		0.67	0.72
Printing and stationery		0.80	1.21
Registrar & Transfer Agent Fees		0.79	0.53
Repairs and Maintenance:			
- Machinery		0.54	0.20
- Others		0.45	0.16
Stock Exchange & Other Regulatory Expenses		1.52	1.55
Travelling and conveyance expenses		2.45	3.51
Loss on permanent impairment of investment		-	-
Motor Car Expenses		_	0.48
Expected Credit Loss		18.13	5.86
	TOTAL	55.83	46.95

### Note 26 - Earnings per Share (EPS)

Particulars	Year Ended March 31, 2025	Year Ended March 31, 2024
Net Profit after Tax as per statement of profit and loss attributable to Equity		
Shareholder	-17.89	34.44
Number of Equity Shares used as denominator for calculating EPS	16940000	16940000
Basic and Diluted Earnings per Share (₹)	-0.11	0.21
Face Value of Equity Shares (₹)	10.00	10.00

### Note 27 - Contingent Liabilities not provided for

The Company does not have any contingency Liability as on the Closing of current financial year.

### Note 28: Corporate Social Responsibility

The Company does not meet the criteria specified in sub section (1) of section 135 of the Companies Act, 2013, read with Companies [Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR)] Rules, 2014. Therefore it is not required to incur any expenditure on account of CSR activities during the year.

### Note 29: Segment Reporting -

The company is primarily engaged in the single business of trading in shares and securities and there is no reportable secondary segment i.e. geographical segment. Hence, the disclosure requirement of Accounting Standard-17 "Segment Reporting" as notified by Companies (Accounting Standards) Rules, 2006 (as amended) is not applicable.

### **Note 30:** Disclosure of Related Party Transactions:

Particulars	Nature of Ownership	Current Year	Previous Year
		2024-25	2023-24
Wholly Owned Subsidiary	Not Any	Not Any	Not Any
Company under same	Not Any	GCM Commodity &	GCM Commodity &
Management		Derivatives Limited	Derivatives Limited
		GCM Securities Limited	GCM Securities Limited
		Global Capital Markets Limited	Global Capital Markets Limited
Key Managerial Personnel	Managing Director	Mr. Manish Baid	Mr. Manish Baid
	Non-Executive Director	Mr. Suman Das	Mr. Suman Das
	Non-Executive Director	Mrs. Urmi Bose	Mrs. Urmi Bose
	Non-Executive Director	Mr. Laxmi Narayan Sharma	Akshaya Suved Chavan
	Chief Financial Officer	Mr. Rakshit Anchan	Mr. Rakshit Anchan
	Company Secretary	Ms. Neha Sarawgi	Ms. Neha Sarawgi
Companies in which Directors	Directors / relatives	Global Capital Markets	Global Capital Markets
/ relatives of Directors are	of Directors are interested	Limited	Limited
interested:	Directors / relatives	GCM Commodity &	GCM Commodity &
	of Directors are interested	Derivatives Limited	Derivatives Limited
	Directors / relatives of Directors are interested	GCM Securities Limited	GCM Securities Limited
	Directors / relatives of Directors are interested	Cadillac Vanijya Pvt. Ltd	Cadillac Vanijya Pvt. Ltd
	Directors / relatives of Directors are interested	Chello Commotrade Pvt. ltd	Chello Commotrade Pvt. ltd
	Directors / relatives	Hem Jeet Rivhu	Hem Jeet Rivhu
	of Directors are interested	Trading Pvt. Ltd	Trading Pvt. Ltd
	Directors / relatives	Rupasi Traders Private	Rupasi Traders Private
	of Directors are interested	Limited	Limited
	Directors / relatives	Matarani Commotrade	Matarani Commotrade
	of Directors are interested	Pvt. Ltd	Pvt. Ltd
	Directors / relatives	Adcon Capital Service	Adcon Capital Service
	of Directors are interested	Ltd	Ltd

Directors / relatives	Vaishno Cement	Vaishno Cement
of Directors are interested	Company Limited	Company Limited
Directors / relatives	Osiya Rakchham	Osiya Rakchham
of Directors are interested	Retreat LLP	Retreat LLP

#### Notes:

- 1. The related party relationships have been determined on the basis of the requirements of the Indian Accounting Standard (Ind AS) -24 'Related Party Disclosures' and the same have been relied upon by the auditors.
- 2. The relationships as mentioned above pertain to those related parties with whom transactions have taken place during the current year /previous year, except where control exists, in which case the relationships have been mentioned irrespective of transactions with the related party.

### **Transactions with Related Parties**

The Company is having investments in Shares of Group Companies which has been carried over from previous financial year. There is no further investment in the shares of Group Companies in Current Financial Year. Details of said related party transactions together with amount paid/invested has been provided herein below –

Name of Related Party	Nature of Transaction	Opening Bal	Transaction Value	Closing Balance
GCM Commodity & Derivatives Limited	Other Current Liabilities	(1.50)	-	(1.50)
GCM Securities Limited	Loan & Advances	25.00	0.03	25.30
Chello Commotrade Private Limited	Loan & Advances	21.80	-	21.80
Matarani Commotrade Private Limited	Loan & Advances	19.90	-	19.90
Blue Lagoon Trading Pvt. Ltd.	Loan & Advances	94.00	(15.00)	79.00
Manish Baid	Other Current Liabilities	(9.50)	4.00	(5.50)
Shilpa Baid	Debtors	1.35	0.72	2.07
Shilpa Baid	Remuneration	-	12.00	-

### List of Related Parties on Board and Key Managerial Person and nature & value of transactions with them:

Name	Nature of Transaction	FY 2024-25	FY 2023-24
Mr. Rakshit Anchan	Salary & Perquisites	4.19	3.19
Ms. Neha Sarawgi	Salary & Perquisites	1.82	1.80
Mr. Rohit Pandey	Salary & Perquisites	1.04	-

## Note 31: Disclosures pursuant to SEBI LODR Regulations, 2015 and Section 186(4) of the Companies Act, 2013

### Amount in Rs. in Lakh

Sr. No	Name of Party	Tenure	Purpose	Balance as at 31.03.24	Amount Paid during the year	Interest for the year	Amount of Repayment	Balance as at 31.03.25
1	Bhagirathi Marketing Pvt. Ltd.	On Demand	General Corporate purpose	146.11	-	4.47	150.58	-
2.	Bhutoria Investments Pvt. Ltd.	On Demand	General Corporate purpose	100.00	-	8.10	8.10	100.00
3.	Calcutta Metal Depot	On Demand	General Corporate purpose	54.05	-	4.05	4.05	54.05
4.	Chandiwala Enterprises	On Demand	General Corporate purpose	50.00	-	5.40	-	55.40
5.	Chandiwala Enterprises Pvt. Ltd	On Demand	General Corporate purpose	150.00	-	16.20	16.20	150.00
6.	Gurukul Exim (P) Ltd.	On Demand	General Corporate purpose	11.85	-	-	-	11.85
7.	Hindustan Petro Farms	On Demand	General Corporate purpose	6.39	-	-	-	6.39
8.	Hindustan Polyflex	On Demand	General Corporate purpose	279.85	-	22.67	-	302.52
9.	Hindustan Poly Foams Pvt. Ltd.	On Demand	General Corporate purpose	137.04	-	11.10	-	148.14
10.	Jalan Chemical Industries Pvt. Ltd.	On Demand	General Corporate purpose	234.11	-	18.23	27.34	225.00
11.	Jaya Prem Rajdev	On Demand	General Corporate purpose	105.10	-	9.00	4.59	109.51
12.	J B Commercial	On Demand	General Corporate purpose	11.60	-	0.73	-	12.34
13.	Jinesh N Mehta	On Demand	General Corporate purpose	-	10.00	-	10.00	-
14.	Madhu Devi Saraf	On Demand	General Corporate purpose	388.90	-	-	-	388.90
15.	PH Associates Pvt. Ltd.	On Demand	General Corporate purpose	208.66	-	15.02	-	223.68
16.	Prime Infrabuildcon Pvt. Ltd.	On Demand	General Corporate purpose	83.10	-	8.10	8.10	83.10
17.	Scarlet Spledour Designs Pvt. Ltd.	On Demand	General Corporate purpose	77.00	-	-	-	77.00
18.	Vinod J Lulla HUF	On Demand	General Corporate purpose	88.39	-	6.66	18.39	76.66

Note 32: Disclosures on Expected Credit Loss ('ECL') (Ind AS 109) (Also refer note 36.1)

## As at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2025

Sr.	Financial asset Item	Gross		Assum	ptions			Movement in	ECL provision	
No		Outstanding amount	Probability of default	Loss given default (assumed)	Expected recovery time (in years)	Discount Rate (IBR)	ECL provision Opening 1 Apr 2024	Recognition / reversal - Impairment expense	Reversal on account of bad debts recognition	ECL Provision closing 31 Mar 2025
1	Trade receivables									
	- outstanding for less than 1 year	42.29	1%	35%	1.00	ο%	-	0.15	-	0.15
	- outstanding for more than 1 year	-	100%	35%	3.00	10%	-	-	-	-
2	Fixed deposits (Held in name of JM financial)	45.00	1%	35%	1.00	0%	-	0.16	-	0.16
3	Advances									
	- outstanding for less than 1 year	185.30	1%	35%	1.00	0%	0.35	0.30	-	0.65
	- outstanding for less more than 1 year	303.90	100%	35%	3.00	10%	74.26	5.65	-	79.91
4	Loans									
	Where interest is charged	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	recovered within 1 year	862.80	5%	35%	1.00	0%	15.13	0.03	-	15.10
	not-recovered within 1 year (cumulative)	686.68	10%	35%	1.00	0%	27.41	3.38	-	24.03
	Where interest is not charged - Madhu Devi	388.90	100%	50%	3.00	10%	132.81	13.28	-	146.09
	Where interest is not charged	95.23	100%	35%	3.00	10%	23.04	2.01	-	25.04
					Т	OTAL	273.00	18.13	-	291.14

## As at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2024

Sr.	Financial asset Item	Gross		Assumptions			Movement in ECL provision			
No		Outstanding amount	Probability of default	Loss given default (assumed)	Expected recovery time (in years)	Discount Rate (IBR)	ECL provision Opening 1 Apr 2023	Recognition / reversal - Impairment expense	Reversal on account of bad debts recognition	ECL Provision closing 31 Mar 2024
1	Trade receivables	-	1%	35%	1.00	0%	-	-	-	
	- outstanding for less than 1 year	-	100%	35%	4.00	10%	-	-	-	
	- outstanding for more than 1 year	-					-	-	-	

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2	Fixed deposits (Held in name of JM financial)	-	1%	35%	1.00	о%	-	-	-	
3	Advances								-	
	- outstanding for less than 1 year	98.25	1%	35%	1.00	0%	0.01	0.33	-	0.34
	- outstanding for less more than 1 year	310.65	100%	35%	4.00	10%	69.97	4.30	-	74.26
4	Loans									
	Where interest is charged									
	recovered within 1 year	864.76	5%	35%	1.00	0%	9.91	5.23	-	15.13
	not-recovered within 1 year (cumulative)	783.27	10%	35%	1.00	0%	39.76	-12.35	-	27.41
	Where interest is not charged - Madhu Devi	388.90	100%	50%	4.00	10%	120.74	12.07	-	132.81
	Where interest is not charged	96.36	100%	35%	4.00	10%	26.75	-3.72	-	23.04
					Т	OTAL	267.14	5.86		273.00

### Note 33: Remuneration to Auditors

Particulars	31.03.2025	31.03.2024
Remuneration to Auditors for Audit purpose ₹	1.53	1.53

### Note 34:

There are no Micro and Small Scale Business Enterprises, to whom the Company owes dues, which are outstanding for more than 45 days as at March 31, 2025. This information as required to be disclosed under Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development Act, 2006 has been determined to the extent such parties have been identified on the basis of information available with the Company.

### Note 35: Other Notes to Accounts

- i. In the opinion of the management, current assets, loans and advances and other receivables are approximately of the value stated, if realized in the ordinary course of business. The provisions of all known liability are ascertained, except for Trade Receivables. Since the receivables are dues for more than one year, we are not certain about the recoveries of the same. The Company is confident of receiving the dues and hence no contingency liabilities have been provided.
- ii. Previous year figures have been restated to confirm the classification of the current year.
- iii. Balances of Sundry Debtors, Unsecured Loans, and Sundry Creditors are Loans & Advances are subject to reconciliation, since conformations have not been received from them. Necessary entries will be passed on receipt of the same if required.
- iv. The audited financial statement, valuation of the unquoted investments are subject to the valuation by independent valuer, as per management explanation they are under process to carrying out fair valuation from registered valuer, these are shown its investment value.

Note 36: Reconciliation of the Income Tax Expenses to the amount computed by applying the statutory Income Tax Rate to the Profit before Income Taxes is summarised below:

Particulars	Year Ended	Year Ended
	31.03.2025	31.03.2024
Profit/(Loss) before Tax	23.83	39.28
Current Tax Expenses on Profit before Tax Expenses at the		
enacted income tax rate in India	-	-
Enacted income tax rate in India applicable to the Company	25.17%	25.17%
Computed expected Tax Benefit/(Expense)	6.00	9.89
Effect of:		
Expenses not deductible for tax purposes	0.15	-
Expenses deductible for tax purposes		
Other Income		
Foreign exchange difference		
Effect of change in tax laws and rate		
Investment allowance deduction		
Others	35.58	-5.27
Total Income Tax Expense / (Credit)	41.72	4.62
Effective Tax Rate	25.17%	25.17%

Confirmations of Receivables and Payable Balances have not been received by the Company; hence, reliance is placed on the balances as per books. In the opinion of the management, the amounts are realizable/payable in the ordinary course of business.

### Note 37: Fair Value Measurement

### i. Fair value hierarchy

Financial assets and financial liabilities measured at fair value in the statement of financial position are grouped into three levels of a fair value hierarchy. The three levels are defined based on the observability of significant inputs to the measurement, as follows:

Level 1: Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for financial instruments.

Level 2: The fair value of financial instruments that are not traded in an active market is determined using valuation techniques which maximize the use of observable market data rely as little as possible on entity specific estimates.

Level 3: If one or more of the significant inputs is not based on observable market data, the instrument is included in level 3.

#### ii. Financial assets and financial liabilities measured at fair value

Particulars	Year Ended	Year Ended
	31.03.2025	31.03.2024
Fair Value Hierarchy	1	1
Financial Assets	-	-
Investment	-	-

### iii. Financial Instruments by category

For amortized cost instruments, carrying value represents the best estimate of fair value:

	M	larch 31, 202	25	March 31, 2024				
Particulars	FVTPL	FVOCI	Amortized Cost	FVTPL	FVOCI	Amortized Cost		
FINANCIAL ASSETS	FINANCIAL ASSETS							
Equity instruments	-	-	-	-	`_	-		
Other Investments	-	-	-	-	-	_		
Trade Receivables	-	_	42.34	-	-	_		
Loans	-	_	1823.35	-	-	1934.90		
Cash and Cash Equivalents	-	_	50.97	-	-	63.72		
Other Bank Balances	-	_	-	-	-	-		
Other financial Assets	-	_	455.55	-	-	334.14		
TOTAL	-	-	2372.21	-	-	2332.76		
FINANCIAL LIABILITIES								
Borrowings	-	-	50.59	-	-	70.52		
Trade Payables	-	-	77.62	-	-	76.12		
Other Financial Liabilities	-	-	14.95	-	-	-		
TOTAL	-	-	143.16	-	-	146.64		

The Company's principal financial liabilities comprise borrowings, trade and other payables. The main purpose of these financial liabilities is to finance the Company's operations. The Company's principal financial assets include loans, trade and other receivables, and cash and cash equivalents that derive directly from its operations. The Company also holds FVTPL investments in equity shares.

The Company is exposed to market risk, credit risk and liquidity risk. The Company's Board of Directors oversees the management of these risks. The Company's Board of Directors is supported by the senior management that advises on financial risks and the appropriate financial risk governance framework for the Company. The senior management provides assurance to the Company's board of directors that the Company's financial risk activities are governed by appropriate policies and procedures and that financial risks are identified, measured and managed in accordance with the Company's policies and risk objectives.

The carrying amounts reported in the statement of financial position for cash and cash equivalents, trade and other receivables, trade and other payables and other liabilities approximate their respective fair values due to their short maturity.

### Note 38: Financial Instruments-Fair Value

### Accounting classification and fair values

The following tables shows the carrying amounts and fair value of financial assets and financial liabilities, including their levels in the fair value hierarchy

Amount in Rs. in Lakh

					Fair \	/alue	
	31 <sup>st</sup> March 2025	valuation Method	Carrying Amount	Quoted price in active markets (Level 1)	Significant observable inputs (Level 2)	Significant observable inputs (Level 3)	Total Fair Value
Fin	nancial Assets		-	-	-	-	-
FV	TPL		-	-	-	-	-
i)	Non-Principal	Market					
	Protected	Approach	-	-	-	-	-
	structure Product						
ii)	Equity Share of	Market	_				
	other companies	Approach	-	-	_	-	-

31 <sup>st</sup> March 2025	Amortised Cost	Fair Value through Profit or loss	Fair Value through OCI	Total Carrying value	Total fair value
Financial Assets					
(i) Trade Receivable	42.35			42.35	42.35
(ii) cash & cash equivalents	50.97	-	-	50.97	50.97
(iii) Investment in equity instruments	-	-	-	-	-
(iv) Other Financial Assets	455.55	-	-	455-55	455-55
(v) Loans	1823.35	-	-	1823.35	1823.35

31 <sup>st</sup> March 2025	Amortised Cost	Fair Value through Profit or loss	Fair Value through OCI	Total Carrying value	Total fair value
Financial Liabilities					
(i) Borrowings	50.59	-	-	50.59	50.59
(ii) Trade payables	77.62	-	-	77.62	77.62
(iii) Other Financial					
Liabilities	14.95	-	-	14.95	14.95

### Note 39: Financial Instruments - Risk Management

#### **Risk Management framework**

The Company's activities expose it to a variety of financial risks, including market risk, credit risk, liquidity risk and currency risk. The Company's primary risk management focus is to minimise potential adverse effects on revenue. The Company's risk management assessment and policies and processes are established to identify and analyse the risks faced by the Company, to set appropriate risk limits and controls, and to monitor such risks and compliance with the same. Risk assessment and management policies and processes are reviewed regularly to reflect changes in market conditions and the Company's activities. The Board of Directors and the Audit Committee is responsible for overseeing the Company's risk assessment and management policies and processes.

### **Price Risk**

The company's exposure to equity shares / securities price risk arises from 'investments' / 'stock in trade' held by the company and classified in the balance sheet either at fair value through OCI or at fair value through profit and loss. The company's has exposure to derivative markets on account of obligations under futures & options contracts. Given the extreme volatile nature of these instruments, the Company is exposed to market volatility risk. The Company tries to arbitrage its positions to reduce said risk.

Particulars	31.03.2025	31.03.2024
Financial Assets		
Investments	-	-

Inventory of Shares / Securities	172.40	219.03
	-	-
Financial liabilities	-	-
Other financial liabilities - F&O Obligation	14.95	-
Total	-	-

### **Liquidity Risk**

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company will not be able to meet its financial obligations as they become due. The Company manages liquidity risk by maintaining sufficient cash and marketable securities. The cash flows, funding requirements and liquidity of Company is regularly monitored by Management of the Company. The objective is to optimise the efficiency and effectiveness of Company's capital resources.

### **Exposure to Liquidity Risk**

The table below analyses the Company's financial liabilities into relevant maturity groupings based on their contractual maturities for all financial liabilities

March 31, 2025	Carrying Amount	Total	On Demand	Less than 3 Month	3-12 Month	1-5 Years
Borrowings	50.59	50.59	-	5.24	16.39	28.96
Trade Payables	77.62	77.62	77.62		-	-
Other Financial Liabilities	14.95	14.95	-	14.95	-	-
March 31, 2024						
Borrowings	70.52	70.52	-	4.83	13.76	51.93
Trade Payables	76.12	76.12	76.12	-	-	-
Other Financial Liabilities	-	-	-	-	-	-

#### **Credit Risk**

Credit risk is the risk of financial loss to the Company if a customer or counterparty to a financial instrument fails to meet its contractual obligations, and arises principally from the Company's receivables from customers, security deposits and investment securities.

Customer credit risk is managed by company as per its policy, procedures and control relating to customer credit risk. Credit quality of a customer credit risk is assessed based on an extensive credit rating scoreboard and individual credit limits are defined in accordance with this assessment. Outstanding customer receivables are regularly monitored and all possible steps taken to timely realise them.

The credit risk on Fixed Deposits with Banks, Bank Balances and Investments in Mutual Fund is limited because the counterparties are Banks, Exchanges and Mutual Fund houses who are structured market players.

As on reporting date credit risk exposure are as on following:

Particulars	31.03.2025	31.03.2024
Trade Receivables	42.35	-
Investment in Non-Principal Protected Structure Product	-	-
Loans given	1823.35	1934.90
Other financial assets	455.55	334.14
Bank Balances in Current Account	33.77	34.06

### Note 40: Capital Market Risk

The Company's objective when managing capital is to safeguard the Company's ability to continue as a going concern in order to provide returns for shareholders and benefits for stakeholders. The Company also proposes to maintain an optimal capital structure to reduce the cost of capital. Hence, the Company may adjust any dividend payments, return capital to shareholders or issue new shares. Total capital is the equity as shown in the statement of financial position. Currently, the Company primarily monitors its capital structure on the basis of gearing ratio. Management is continuously evolving strategies to optimize the returns and reduce the risks. It includes plans to optimize the financial leverage of the Company.

## Note 41: Ratio

Sr. No	Ratio	Numerator	Denominator	Numerator (Rs. in Lakh)	Denominator (Rs. in Lakh)	Numerator (Rs. in Lakh)	Denominator (Rs. in Lakh)	Current Period	Previous Period	% Deviation	Reason for Variance (In case of deviation for more than 25%)
1	Current Ratio	Total current assets	Total current liabilities	2572.61	123.18	2577.40	106.21	20.89	24.27	-13.93%	NA
2	Debt-to-equity Ratio	Debt consists of borrowings	Total equity	50.59	2562.43	70.52	2580.32	0.01	0.01	-27.76%	The company has paid off part of its term loan during the year, no new loans availed
3	Debt Service Coverage Ratio	Earnings before Interest, depreciation and tax	Debt service = Interest payments + Principal repayments	54.69	19.93	8.70	18.59	2.74	4.45	-38.31%	The company has incurred certain one-time business promotion and other expenses, which has reduced profitability
4	Return on Equity Ratio (in %)	Profit after tax for the year less Preference dividend (if any)	Average total equity	-17.89	2571.37	34.66	26.61	-0.01	0.01	-153.42%	The company has incurred losses during the year
5	Inventory Turnover Ratio	Not applicable, as		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NA
6	Receivables Turnover Ratio	<ul> <li>engaged in investment and finance activities (inventory of shares and securities only) and receivables relate primarily to the said business only</li> </ul>		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NA
7	Payables Turnover Ratio			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NA
8	Net working capital turnover Ratio	Net Sales	Working Capital	218.69	2449.43	140.78	2471.19	0.09	0.06	56.73%	More trading activities in shares during the year
9	Net profit Ratio (in %)	Net Profit	Net Sales	-17.89	218.69	34.66	140.78	-0.08	0.25	-133.23%	One time tax expense (on assessment / appeal) for past
10	Return on Capital employed Ratio	Net profit	Total equity	-17.89	2562.43	34.66	2580.32	-0.01	0.01	-151.98%	year has resulted in loss for the year
11	Return on investment	Nil Investments and h not appli		-	-	-	-	-	-	0.00%	NA

### Note 42:

- 42.1 The Company has outstanding demand appearing on the Income-tax portal on account of assessment proceedings under section 147 for AY 2017-18 (FY 2016-17). The total demand appearing on the income-tax portal in respect of the same as on date is INR 76.43 lakhs (plus interest thereon). The Company has preferred an appeal against the said matter before the CIT (A) and the matter is pending disposal as on date. Further, the company is also having pending penalty proceedings for AY 2015-16 and AY 2017-18, which are yet to be disposed. The Management is of the opinion that they have a fair case of defense against the said matters and hence, these are contingent liabilities not provided for.
- The ownership of the Cars (capitalised as PPE) are in legal name of directors / other individuals, who are holding the same on behalf of the Company. The Company is paying the car loans against the said vehicles. Confirmations from said parties are obtained by the management for the title being held on behalf of the Company.

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Previous year's figures have been regrouped/reclassified/re-casted wherever necessary to confirm to the current year's presentation.

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