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May 28, 2025

BSE Limited, Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers, Dalal Street, Fort, Mumbai – 400001

Scrip Code: 523475

Sub: Compliance under Regulation 24A of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015

In terms of Regulation 24A of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, we enclose Secretarial Compliance Report issued by KSR & Co., Company Secretaries LLP, for the financial year ended March 31, 2025.

Please take the same on record.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

For Lotus Chocolate Company Limited

Utsav Saini

Company Secretary and Compliance Officer Encl.: As above





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ANNUAL SECRETARIAL COMPLIANCE REPORT OF LOTUS CHOCOLATE COMPANY LIMITED FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2025

We have conducted the review of the compliance of the applicable statutory provisions and the adherence to good corporate practices by Lotus Chocolate Company Limited (CIN - L15200TG1988PLC009111) (hereinafter referred as 'the listed entity'), having its Registered Office at 8-2-596, 1st Floor, 1B, Sumedha Estates, Avenue-4 Puzzolana Towers, Street No.1, Road No. 10, Banjara Hills, Hyderabad, Telangana, India, 500034. Secretarial Review was conducted in a manner that provided us a reasonable basis for evaluating the corporate conducts/statutory compliances and to provide our observations thereon.

Based on our verification of the listed entity's books, papers, minutes books, forms and returns filed and other records maintained by the listed entity and also the information provided by the listed entity, its officers, agents and authorized representatives during the conduct of Secretarial Review, we hereby report that the listed entity has, during the review period covering the financial year ended on 31st March, 2025 complied with the statutory provisions listed hereunder in the manner and subject to the reporting made hereinafter:

- 1. We have examined:
 - all the documents and records made available to us and explanation a) provided by the listed entity,
 - the filings/ submissions made by the listed entity to the stock exchanges. b)
 - C) website of the listed entity,

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any other document/ filing, as may be relevant, which has been relied d) upon to make this report,

for the financial year ended 31st March 2025 ("Review Period") in respect of compliance with the provisions of:

the Securities and Exchange Board of India Act, 1992 ("SEBI Act") and a) /the Regulations, circulars, guidelines issued thereunder; and



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- b) the Securities Contracts (Regulation) Act, 1956 ("SCRA"), rules made thereunder and the Regulations, circulars, guidelines issued thereunder by the Securities and Exchange Board of India ("SEBI");
- 2. The specific Regulations, whose provisions and the circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder, have been examined, include:
 - a) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("SEBI LODR Regulations, 2015");
 - b) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018 – **Not applicable to the listed entity during the Review Period**;
 - c) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011;
 - d) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Buyback of Securities) Regulations, 2018 - **Not applicable to the listed entity during the Review Period**;
 - e) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Share Based Employee Benefits and Sweat Equity) Regulations, 2021 - Not applicable to the listed entity during the Review Period;
 - f) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Non-Convertible Securities) Regulations, 2021 - Not applicable to the listed entity during the Review Period;
 - g) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015;
 - h) The Depositories Act, 1996 and the Regulations and Bye-laws framed thereunder to the extent applicable to the listed entity as an issuer defined under Securities and Exchange Board of India (Depositories and Participants) Regulations, 2018

and circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder;





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and based on the above examination, we hereby report that, during the Review Period:

a) The listed entity has complied with the provisions of the above Regulations and circulars / guidelines issued thereunder, except in respect of matters specified below:

Sr.	Compliance	Regulation	Deviations	Action	Type of	Details	Fine	Observations	Management	Rem
No.	Requirement	/ Circular		Taken	Action	of	Amount	/ Remarks of	Response	arks
	(Regulations	No.		Ву	[Advisory /	Violation		PCS	-	
	/ Circulars /				Clarification					
	quidelines				/ Fine / Show	ļ				
	including			4.4 - 4.4	Caus Notice					
	specific				/ Warning,					
	clause)			N.	etc.]	1				

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

	Sr. No.	Observations / Remarks of the PCS in the previous reports	made in the secretarial compliance report for the year ended (the years are	(Regulations / Circulars / Guidelines	Details of violation/ deviations and actions taken / penalty imposed, if any, on the listed entity	actions, if any, taken by the listed	Comments of the PCS on the actions taken by the listed entity
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I. We hereby report that, during the review period the compliance status of the listed entity with the following requirements:

SI. No.	Particulars	Compliance Status (Yes / No / NA)	Observations / Remarks by PCS*
1.	Secretarial Standards:		Nana
	The compliances of the listed entity are in accordance with the applicable Secretarial Standards (SS) issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India (ICSI).	Yes	None
2.	Adoption and timely updation of the Policies:		
	All applicable policies under SEBI Regulations are adopted with the approval of board of directors of the listed entities.	Yes	None
	All the policies are in conformity with SEBI Regulations and have been reviewed & updated on time, as per the regulations/ circulars/ guidelines issued by SEBI.	Yes	None
3.	Maintenance and disclosures on Website:		
	The Listed entity is maintaining a functional website.	Yes	None
	Timely dissemination of the documents/ information under a separate section on the website.	Yes	None
	Web-links provided in annual corporate governance reports under Regulation 27(2) are accurate and specific which redirects to the relevant document(s)/ section of the website.	Yes	None







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4.	Disqualification of Director(s):		
	None of the director(s) of the listed entity are disqualified under Section 164 of Companies Act, 2013 as confirmed by the listed entity.	Yes	None
5.	Details related to Subsidiaries of listed entities have been examined w.r.t.:	NA	The Listed Entity
	companies.		does not have any material subsidiary.
	Disclosure requirements of material as well as other subsidiaries.	NA	
6.	Preservation of Documents:		
	The listed entity is preserving and maintaining records as prescribed under SEBI Regulations and disposal of records as per Policy of Preservation of Documents and Archival policy prescribed under SEBI LODR Regulations, 2015.	Yes	None
7.	Performance Evaluation:		
	The listed entity has conducted performance evaluation of the Board, Independent Directors and the Committees at the start of every financial year/ during the financial year as prescribed in SEBI Regulations.	Yes	None
8.	Related Party Transactions:		
	The listed entity has obtained prior approval of Audit Committee for all Related party transactions.	Yes	None
	In case no prior approval obtained, the listed entity shall provide detailed reasons along with confirmation whether	NA	All the related party transactions have prior







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	the transactions were subsequently approved / ratified / rejected by the Audit committee.		approval of the Audit Committee.
9.	Disclosure of events or information:		
	The listed entity has provided all the required disclosure(s) under Regulation 30 along with Schedule III of SEBI LODR Regulations, 2015 within the time limits prescribed thereunder.	Yes	None
10.	Prohibition of Insider Trading:		
	The listed entity is in compliance with Regulation 3(5) & 3(6) SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015.	Yes	None
11.	Actions taken by SEBI or Stock Exchange(s), if any:		
	No actions has been taken against the listed entity/ its promoters/ directors/ subsidiaries either by SEBI or by Stock Exchanges (including under the Standard Operating Procedures issued by SEBI through various circulars) under SEBI Regulations and circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder (or)	Yes	No actions were taken by SEBI or Stock Exchange during the Review Period.
	The actions taken against the listed entity/ its promoters/ directors/ subsidiaries either by SEBI or by Stock Exchanges as specified in the last column.		
12.	Resignation of statutory auditors from the listed entity or its material subsidiaries:		
	In case of resignation of statutory auditor from the listed entity or any of its material subsidiaries during the financial year, the listed entity and / or its material subsidiary(ies) has / have complied with paragraph 6.1 and 6.2 of section V-D of	NA	There was no event of resignation of Statutory Auditors during the Review Period.







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	chapter V of the Master Circular on compliance with the provisions of the LODR Regulations by listed entities.		
13.	Additional non-compliances, if any: No additional non-compliances observed for any SEBI regulation / circular /guidance note etc. except as reported above.	NA	None

Assumptions & Limitation of scope and Review:

- 1. Compliance of the applicable laws and ensuring the authenticity of documents and information furnished, are the responsibilities of the management of the listed entity.
- 2. Our responsibility is to report based upon our examination of relevant documents and information. This is neither an audit nor an expression of opinion.
- 3. We have not verified the correctness and appropriateness of financial records and books of accounts of the listed entity.
- 4. This Report is solely for the intended purpose of compliance in terms of Regulation 24A (2) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and is neither an assurance as to the future viability of the listed entity nor of the efficacy or effectiveness with which the management has conducted the affairs of the listed entity.

Place: Coimbatore

For KSR & Company Secretaries LLP

Dr.C.V.Madhusudhanan FCS No.: 5367 | CP No.: 4408 UDIN: F005367G000163932 PR No.: 2635/2022 FR No.: P2008TN006400

Date: 21st April, 2025