

May 30, 2023

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Dear Sirs,

#### Sub: Secretarial Compliance Report for the financial year 2022-23

#### Ref: JM Financial Credit Solutions Limited

Pursuant to Regulation 24A(2) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, we are enclosing a copy of the Secretarial Compliance Report for the financial year ended March 31, 2023, as received from Shroff Negandhi and Associates LLP, Practicing Company Secretaries.

We request you to take the above on your record.

Thank you.

Yours truly, For **JM Financial Credit Solutions Limited** 

Hemant Pandya Company Secretary

# **Shroff Negandhi and Associates LLP**

# **Company Secretaries**

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# Secretarial Compliance Report of JM Financial Credit Solutions Limited for the financial year ended March 31, 2023

We, **Shroff Negandhi and Associates LLP**, Practising Company Secretaries, have conducted the review of the compliance of the applicable statutory provisions and the adherence to good corporate practices by **JM Financial Credit Solutions Limited** (hereinafter referred as 'the listed entity'), having its Registered Office at 7th Floor, Cnergy, Appasaheb Marathe Marg, Prabhadevi, Mumbai – 400025. 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 made available to us for our verification 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 period covering the financial year ended on March 31, 2023 complied with the statutory provisions listed hereunder in the manner and subject to the reporting made hereinafter.

We have examined:

- (a) all the documents and records made available to us through electronic platform and explanation provided and representation made by the listed entity and its compliance officer,
- (b) the filings/ submissions made by the listed entity to the stock exchanges,
- (c) website of the listed entity,
- (d) any other document/ filing, as may be relevant, which has been relied upon to make this certification, for the financial year ended on March 31, 2023 ("Review Period") in respect of compliance with the provisions of:
  - (a) the Securities and Exchange Board of India Act, 1992 ("SEBI Act"), rules made thereunder and the Regulations, circulars, guidelines issued thereunder as amended and to the extent applicable to the listed entity; and
  - (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") as amended and to the extent applicable to the listed entity.

The specific Regulations, whose provisions and the circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder as amended and to the extent applicable to the listed entity during the Review Period, have been examined, include:



(a) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 [SEBI (LODR)] subject to the following;

As per the Regulation 15(1A) of [SEBI (LODR)] inserted with effect from September 7, 2021, the provisions of regulations 16 to 27 of Chapter IV of this regulation shall be applicable to High Value Debt Listed Entity [HVDLE] on "Comply or Explain" basis until March 31, 2023 and on a mandatory basis thereafter;

However, the Board of the Securities and Exchange Board of India [SEBI], decided to extend the 'comply or explain' period for HVDLEs in respect of corporate governance norms till March 31, 2024, in its meeting held on March 29, 2023, as per its Press Release PR No. 6/2023 of even date.

- (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;
- (g) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015; and circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder;

We hereby report that, during the Review Period

I (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. No.	Compliance Requirement	Regulation	Deviations	Action Taken by	Type of Action	Details of Violation	Fine Amount (Rs.) (Incl.GST)	Observations / Remarks of the Practicing Company Secretary (PCS)	Manageme nt Response	Remarks
1	Prior Intimation regarding details of payment of interest / principal during the quarter	57(4) of SEBI LODR	None	BSE Limited	Notice for Imposition of Fine	Non-Submission of Details of Payable Interest / principal obligation during quarter of July 2022 to September 2022 for ISIN INE651J07739 INE651J07630 INE651J07630 INE651J07689 INE651J07804 INE651J07663	9,440		Remarks of the PCS are self- explanatory.	-
2	Notice of record date	60(2) of SEBI LODR	None	BSE Limited	Notice for imposition of fine for delay in submission of record date for the month of June 2022	Delay in submission of Record date for the month of June 2022 for ISIN INE651J07739 INE651J07630 INE651J07697 INE651J07614.	59,000	Upon application made by the Company BSE Limited has waived the fine vide email dated April 24, 2023.	Remarks of the PCS are self- explanatory	



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3	Statement of Investor Complaints	13(3) of SEBI LODR	None	BSE Limited	Notice for Imposition of Fine	Non-Submission of the statement on investor complaints within the prescribed period for the quarter ended March 2022.	34,220	The fine imposed on the Company was later on withdrawn by BSE Limited vide email dated August 2, 2022, as the requisite statement was filed by the Company within the prescribed time period.	Remarks of the PCS are self- explanatory	
4	Disclosure of line items in the financial results	52(4)	None	BSE Limited	Notice for Imposition of Fine	Non - Submission of Disclosure of few of the line items for the Quarter Ended December 2021.	34,220	The fine imposed on the Company was later on withdrawn by BSE Limited vide email dated March 21, 2023, as the requisite line items were duly intimated in the financials submitted for the quarter ended December, 2021.	Remarks of the PCS are self- explanatory	

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5	Non- submission of the certificate regarding status of payment in case of non- convertible securities	57(1)	None	BSE Limited	Notice for Imposition of Fine	Non-Submission of certificate to stock exchange regarding status of payment of Non-Convertible Debentures for ISIN INE651J07853.	89,680	The fine imposed on the Company was later on withdrawn by BSE Limited vide email dated April 23, 2023, as the requisite intimation was filed by the Company on the date of the payment of interest, itself.	Remarks of the PCS are self- explanatory	



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

Sr.	Com-	Regu-	Deviations	Action	Type of	Details of	Fine	Obser-	Man-	Re-
No.	pliance	lation/		Taken	Action	Violation	Amount	vations/	age-	marks
	Require-	Circular		by				<b>Remarks</b> of	ment	
	ment	No.						the	Re-	
	(Regu-							Practicing	sponse	
	lations/							Company		
	circulars/							Secretary		
	guide-									
	lines									
	including									
	specific									
	clause)									
	There were no observations reported in the previous report									

# II. Compliances related to resignation of statutory auditors from listed entities and their material subsidiaries as per SEBI Circular CIR/CFD/CMD1/114/2019 dated 18<sup>th</sup> October, 2019:

Sr. No.	Particulars	Compliance Status (Yes/No/ NA)	Observations / Remarks by PCS*
1.	Compliances with the following conditions while a	ppointing/re-a	ppointing an auditor
	<ul> <li>i. If the auditor has resigned within 45 days from the end of a quarter of a financial year, the auditor before such resignation, has issued the limited review/ audit report for such quarter; or</li> <li>ii. If the auditor has resigned after 45 days from the end of a quarter of a financial year, the auditor before such resignation, has issued the limited review/ audit report for such quarter as well as the next quarter; or</li> <li>iii. If the auditor has signed the limited review/ audit report for the first three quarters of a financial year, the auditor before such resignation, has issued the limited review/ audit report for the last quarter of such financial year as well as the audit report for such financial year.</li> </ul>	N.A.	There was no instance of resignation of the Statutory Auditor during the Review Period
2.	Other conditions relating to resignation of statuto	ry auditor	
	<ul> <li>i. Reporting of concerns by Auditor with respect to the listed entity/its material subsidiary to the Audit Committee:</li> <li>a. In case of any concern with the management of the listed entity/material subsidiary such as non- availability of information / non-cooperation by the management which has hampered the audit process, the auditor has approached the Chairman of the Audit Committee of the listed</li> </ul>	N.A.	There was no instance of resignation of the Statutory Auditor during the Review Period
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Sr. No.	Particulars	Compliance Status (Yes/No/ NA)	Observations / Remarks by PCS*
	<ul> <li>entity and the Audit Committee shall receive such concern directly and immediately without specifically waiting for the quarterly Audit Committee meetings.</li> <li>b. In case the auditor proposes to resign, all concerns with respect to the proposed resignation, along with relevant documents has been brought to the notice of the Audit Committee. In cases where the proposed resignation is due to non-receipt of information / explanation from the company, the auditor has informed the Audit Committee the details of information / explanation sought and not provided by the management, as applicable.</li> <li>c. The Audit Committee / Board of Directors, as the case may be, deliberated on the matter on receipt of such information from the auditor relating to the proposal to resign as mentioned above and communicate its views to the management and the auditor.</li> </ul>		
	ii. Disclaimer in case of non-receipt of information: The auditor has provided an appropriate disclaimer in its audit report, which is in accordance with the Standards of Auditing as specified by ICAI / NFRA, in case where the listed entity/ its material subsidiary has not provided information as required by the auditor.	N.A.	There was no instance or resignation of the Statutory Auditor during the Review Period
3.	The listed entity / its material subsidiary has obtained information from the Auditor upon resignation, in the format as specified in Annexure- A in SEBI Circular CIR/ CFD/CMD1/114/2019 dated 18 <sup>th</sup> October, 2019.	N.A.	There was no instance of resignation of the Statutory Auditor during the Review Period

Note: There was no instance of resignation of the Statutory Auditor during the Review Period. However, in view of the regulatory changes made by the Reserve Bank of India, the Statutory Auditors were reappointed for remaining period of two consecutive years of the first term of three years in the 42<sup>nd</sup> Annual General Meeting of the listed entity held on July 25, 2022.



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III. We hereby report that, during the review period the compliance status of the listed entity is appended as below:

Sr. No.	Particulars	Compliance Status (Yes/No/ NA)	Observations /Remarks by PCS*
1.	Secretarial Standards:	Yes	None
	The compliances of the listed entity are in		
	accordance with the applicable Secretarial		
	Standards (SS) issued by the Institute of Company		
	Secretaries India (ICSI), as notified by the Central		
	Government under section 118(10) of the		
	Companies Act, 2013 and mandatorily applicable.		
2.	Adoption and timely updation of the Policies:	Yes	None
	All applicable policies under SEBI Regulations		
	are adopted with the approval of board of		
	directors of the listed entities		
	• All the policies are in conformity with SEBI		
	Regulations and have been reviewed & updated		
	on time, as per the		
	regulations/circulars/guidelines issued by SEBI		
3.	Maintenance and disclosures on Website:	Yes	None
	• The Listed entity is maintaining a functional		
	website	}	
	• Timely dissemination of the documents/		
	information under a separate section on the	1	
	website		
	Web-links provided in annual corporate		
	governance reports under Regulation 27(2) are		
	accurate and specific which re- directs to the		
	relevant <del>document(s)</del> / section of the website	Mar	-
4.	Disqualification of Director:	Yes	None
	None of the Director(s) of the Company is/ are		
	disqualified under Section 164 of Companies Act,		
	2013 as confirmed by the listed entity.		
5.	Details related to Subsidiaries of listed entities	N.A.	The Listed
	(a) Identification of material subsidiary		Entity Does
	(a) identification of material subsidiary companies		Not Have any subsidiary
	(b) Disclosure requirement of material as well as		company
	other subsidiaries		Company
6.	Preservation of Documents:	Yes	None
0.	The listed entity is preserving and maintaining	163	NOTE
	records as prescribed under SEBI Regulations and		les les
	disposal of records as per Policy of Preservation of		

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Sr. No.	Particulars	Compliance Status (Yes/No/ NA)	Observations /Remarks by PCS*
	Documents and Archival policy prescribed under SEBI LODR Regulations, 2015.		
7.	<b>Performance Evaluation:</b> 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: (a) The listed entity has obtained prior approval of Audit Committee for all related party transactions; or	Yes	None The listed entity
	(b) The listed entity has provided detailed reasons along with confirmation whether the transactions were subsequently approved/ratified/rejected by the Audit Committee, in case no prior approval has been obtained.	N.A.	has obtained prior approval of Audit Committee for all related party transactions
9.	<b>Disclosure of events or information:</b> 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.	N.A.	The Provisions of Regulation 30 read with Schedule III of SEBI LODR 2015 are not applicable to the company as the company is a HVDLE.
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	The Company has maintained the Structured Digital Database of the insiders internally and installed internal
			software for the same.

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Sr. No.	Particulars	Compliance Status (Yes/No/ NA)	Observations /Remarks by PCS*
11.	Actions taken by SEBI or Stock Exchange(s), if any: No action(s) 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 except as provided under separate paragraph herein (**).	Yes	Please refer table (a) for actions taken by the stock exchange against the listed entity and later on withdrawal / waiver given by it.
12.	Additional Non-compliances, if any: No additional non-compliance observed for any SEBI regulation/circular/guidance note etc.	Yes	None

\*Observations /Remarks by PCS are mandatory if the Compliance status is provided as 'No' or 'NA'

#### 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. Wherever required, we have obtained the Management Representation about the Compliance of Laws, Rules & Regulations and happening of events.
- 4. We have not verified the correctness and appropriateness of financial Records and Books of Accounts of the listed entity.
- 5. 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.

#### For Shroff Negandhi and Associates LLP Company Secretaries

Amit Negandhi Partner FCS-10729, CP-13852 UDIN: F010729E000416266 Unique Code: L2022MH012100 Peer Review Certificate No.: 2828/2022 Place: Mumbai Date: May 29, 2023



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