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May 29, 2024

To To

BSE Limited National Stock Exchange of India Ltd.

Mumbai Mumbai

BSE Security Code: <u>524598</u> NSE Trading Symbol: <u>AKSHARCHEM</u>

SUB: OUTCOME OF BOARD MEETING HELD ON MAY 29, 2024

Dear Sir/Madam,

Pursuant to Regulation 30 and 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ('LODR Regulations'), we would like to inform that Board of directors of the Company at its meeting held by today i.e. May 29, 2024 have inter-alia considered, approved and taken on record the following:

- 1. Audited financial results for the quarter and financial year ended March 31, 2024 along with the Report of the statutory auditors of the Company thereon. Also enclosed the declaration in respect of Auditors report with unmodified opinion on audited financial results for the year ended March 31, 2024;
- 2. Recommended a Final Dividend of Rs. 0.50/- per equity share of face value of Rs. 10/- each (i.e. 5%) for the financial year 2023-24, subject to approval of the members of the Company in ensuing Annual General Meeting (AGM). The said dividend, if declared by the members at AGM, will be credited/ dispatched within 30 days from the date of AGM.

The Complete financial results will also be available on the website of the Company at www.aksharchemindia.com. The meeting of the Board of directors was commenced at 03:00 p.m. (IST) and concluded at 04:30 p.m. (IST).

We request you to take above information on your records.

Thanking you, Yours faithfully,

For, Aksharchem (India) Limited

Mehul Naliyadhara Company Secretary & Compliance Officer

Encl.: A/a.





AKSHARCHEM (INDIA) LIMITED

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STATEMENT OF STANDALONE AUDITED FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR THE QUARTER AND FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2024

(Rs. in lakhs) **Ouarter Ended** Year Ended Particulars 31-03-2024 31-12-2023 31-03-2023 31-03-2024 31-03-2023 (Audited) (Unaudited) (Audited) (Audited) (Audited) Revenue from Operations 7,528,45 6,473.83 30,204,70 33,467.86 8,178,72 15.17 II Other Income 10.37 28.02 7 40 44.87 Ш Total Income (I+II) 8,189.09 7,556.47 6,481.23 30,249.57 33,483.03 Expenses Cost of materials consumed 5,021.87 4,420.98 4,533.46 17,281,57 18,419.95 a) Purchase of Stock-in-Trade 353.26 477.74 612.40 6) 1,257.64 2,508.36 Changes in inventories of finished goods, work-in-progress (1,285.42)(403.22)901.40 (776.18)(631.75) and Stock-in-Trade d) Employee benefits expense 368.02 325.86 265.14 1,336.98 1,174.07 Power & Fuel 1,274.14 5,305.48 1.474.63 960.75 3,974,52 e) f) Finance costs 106.87 97 90 67 49 372.67 321.50 Depreciation and amortisation expenses 346.74 347.30 317.09 1,378.32 1,284.84 h) Other expenses 1,694.14 1,167.29 1,218.36 5,276.32 4,948.29 7,479.46 31,805.76 Total Expenses (IV) 8,589,35 6,689,27 33,532,93 Profit / (Loss) before exceptional items and tax (III-IV) V (400.26)77.01 (208.04) (1,556.19) (49.90) VI **Exceptional Items** VII Profit / (Loss) before tax (V-VI) (400.26) 77.01 (208.04) (1,556.19) (49.90)VIII Tax Expenses: Current Tax 73.29 1) 2) Deferred Tax 201.85 44.38 (84.81) 311.54 44,31 Total tax expenses (VIII) 201.85 44.38 (11.52)311.54 44.31 Profit / (Loss) for the period from continuing operations (VII-VIII) (602.11) (196.52) (1,867.73) 32.63 (94.21) Other Comprehensive Income (Net of Taxes) X Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss (10.68)3.66 (9.42) 16.98 b) Items that will be reclassified to profit or loss (0.53)2.19 (0.53)(18.08) XI Total Comprehensive Income for the period (IX+X) (613.32)32.63 (190.67) (1,877.68)(95.31) Paid up Equity Share Capital (Face Value of Rs. 10/- each) 803.31 803.31 803.31 803.31 803.31 Other Equity excluding Revaluation Reserves XIII 25,115,32 27.033.16 Earnings per share*(of Rs. 10/- each) Basic (In Rs.) (7.50)0.41 (2.45)(23.25)(1.17)(23.25) Diluted (In Rs.) (7.50)0.41 (2.45)(1.17)

*Not annualised





AKSHARCHEM (INDIA) LIMITED AUDITED STANDALONE STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES AS AT MARCH 31,2024

(Rs. in Lakhs)

| | Particulars | As at March 31, 2024 (Audited) | As at March 31, 2023 (Audited) |
|-----|--|---|--------------------------------------|
| I. | ASSETS | | |
| 1 | Non-current Assets | | |
| | (a) Property, Plant and Equipment | 23,453.10 | 22,512.99 |
| | (b) Capital Work-in-Progress | 1,116.04 | 1,744.27 |
| | (c) Other Intangible Assets | 22.15 | 30.07 |
| | (d) Financial Assets | | |
| | (i) Investments | 0.38 | 0.3 |
| | (ii) Other Assets | 194.40 | 185.7 |
| | (e) Other Non-current Assets | 242.13 | 363.9 |
| | Total - Non-current Assets | 25,028.20 | 24,837.4 |
| 2 | Current Assets | | |
| - | (a) Inventories | 6,486.08 | 5,933.8 |
| | (b) Financial Assets | 0,400.00 | 3,733.0 |
| | (i) Trade Receivables | 4,734.23 | 3,615.6 |
| | (ii) Cash and Cash Equivalents | 15.99 | 14.7 |
| | (iii) Bank Balances other than Cash and Cash Equivalents | 243.60 | 159.1 |
| | (iv) Loans | 35.46 | 27.7 |
| | (v) Other Financial Assets | 1.75 | 4.0 |
| | (c) Current Tax Assets (Net) | 69.17 | 552.6 |
| | (d) Other Current Assets | 1,435.66 | 1,379.6 |
| | Total - Current Assets | 13,021.94 | 11,687.4 |
| | TOTAL - ASSETS | 38,050.14 | 36,524.9 |
| II. | EQUITY AND LIABILITIES | | |
| 1 | EQUITY | | |
| _ | (a) Equity Share Capital | 803.31 | 803.3 |
| | (b) Other Equity | 25,115.32 | 27,033.1 |
| | Total - Equity | 25,918.63 | 27,836.4 |
| 2 | LIABILITIES | | |
| _ | Non-current liabilities | | |
| | (a) Borrowings | 1,746.76 | 1,650.0 |
| | (b) Provisions | 65.46 | 27.0 |
| | (c) Deferred Tax Liabilities (Net) | 2,122.87 | 1,814.6 |
| | Total - Non-current Liabilities | 3,935.09 | 3,491.7 |
| | Current Liabilities | | |
| | (a) Financial Liabilities | | |
| | (i) Borrowings | 3,435.38 | 812.5 |
| | (ii) Trade Payables | ,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,, | 0.2.0 |
| | Total Outstanding Dues of Micro Enterprises and Small Enterprises | 44.64 | 162.5 |
| | Total Outstanding Dues of Creditors other than Micro Enterprises and Small Enterprises | 4,307.82 | 3,668.7 |
| | (iii) Other Financial Liability | 50.16 | 206.5 |
| | (b) Other Current Liabilities | 322.26 | 303.1 |
| | (c) Provisions | 36.16 | 43.1 |
| | | | |
| | Total - Current Liabilities | 8,196.42 | 5,196.6 |



AKSHARCHEM (INDIA) LIMITED CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2024

| Particulars | 2024 | | Year ended March 31, 2023 | | |
|--|------------|------------|---------------------------|------------|--|
| A. Cash Flow from Operating Activities | | | | | |
| Profit Before Tax | | (1,556.19) | | (49.90) | |
| Adjustments for: | | | | | |
| Depreciation and Amortisation Expenses | 1,378.32 | | 1,284.84 | | |
| Finance Cost | 372.67 | | 321.50 | 1 | |
| (Profit)/ Loss on sales of Property, Plant and Equipment | (2.51) | | (0.73) | 7 | |
| Interest Received | (37.16) | | (9.56) | | |
| (Profit) / Loss from sale of Investments | - | | - | | |
| Net (Gain)/Loss arising on financial assets measured at fair value through | | | | | |
| Profit or Loss (FVTPL) | - | | - | | |
| Dividend Income | - | 1,711.32 | - | 1,596.05 | |
| Operating Profit Before Working Capital Changes | | 155.13 | | 1,546.15 | |
| Working Capital Changes | | | | | |
| Adjustments for | | | | | |
| (Increase)/Decrease Trade & Other receivables | (1,166.15) | | 2,468.36 | | |
| (Increase)/Decrease Inventories | (552.20) | | 1,314.19 | | |
| Increase/ (Decrease) Trade & other payables | 385.89 | | (1,379.08) | | |
| Increase/ (Decrease) Long Term Provisions | 38.36 | (1,294.10) | | 2,391.02 | |
| Net Cash Flow Generated from Operating Activities | | (1,138.97) | | 3,937.17 | |
| Direct taxes paid (Net) | | 483.48 | 1 | (145.09) | |
| Net Cash Flow from/(used in) Operating Activities | | (655.49) | | 3,792.08 | |
| B. Cash Flow from Investing Activities | | | | | |
| Purchase of Property, Plant & Equipment | (1,684.49) | | (890.33) | | |
| Proceeds from sale of Property, Plant & Equipment | 4.73 | | 42.32 | | |
| Sales/(Purchase) of Investments (Net) | - | | - | | |
| Interest Income Received | 39.44 | | 7.75 | | |
| Dividend Income | - | | - | | |
| Net Cash Flow from/(used in) Investing Activities | | (1,640.32) | | (840.26) | |
| C. Cash Flow from Financing Activities | | | | | |
| Availment/(Repayment) of borrowings | 2,719.60 | | (2,564.78) | | |
| Proceeds from Issue of Equity Shares | - | | - | | |
| Interest Paid | (372.67) | | (335.78) | | |
| Unclaimed Dividend Transferred to IEPF | (10.01) | | (11.25) | | |
| Dividend Paid (including tax on dividend) | (39.86) | | (39.28) | | |
| Net Cash Flow from/(used in) Financing Activities | , | 2,297.06 | | (2,951.09) | |
| Net increase / (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents | | 1.25 | | 0.73 | |
| Cash and cash equivalent at the beginning of the year | | 14.74 | | 14.01 | |
| Cash and cash equivalent at the end of the year | | 15.99 | | 14.74 | |



Notes

- The above financial results have been reviewed by the Audit Committee and thereafter approved by the Board of Directors of the Company in their respective meetings held on May 29, 2024. The audit as required under regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 has been completed by the statutory auditors of the Company. The Statutory Auditors have expressed an unmodified audit opinion on these results.
- The financial results for the quarter and year ended March 31, 2024 have been prepared in accordance with the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015 (Ind AS) prescribed under Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 and other recognised accounting practices and policies to the extent applicable.
- 3. The figures in respect of results for the quarter ended March 31, 2024 and March 31, 2023 are the balancing figures between the audited figures in respect of the full financial year and published year to date figures of the third quarter of the respective financial year.
- 4. The Company operates in a single segment and in line with Ind AS 108 "Operating Segments", the operations of the Company fall under "Chemical Business" which is considered to be the only reportable business segment.
- 5. The Board of Directors have recommended a final divided of Rs. 0.59 per equity share (5½ of face value of Rs. 10 each) for the Financial Year ended on March 31, 2024 subject to the approval of Shareholders at the ensuing Annual General Meeting.
- 6. On 3rd May, 2024 Company has informed to both exchanges that a fire broke out on 2nd May, 2024 at around 04:30 p.m. (IST) in the Dry zone of VS Plant of the Company located at Village: Indrad, Chhatral-Kadi Road, Mahesana-382715. Due to fire incident, production operation of the said Dry Zone plant disrupted. However, there were no human injuries or casualties reported. The Company is in the process of ascertaining the cause of the fire and the actual loss caused by it. The Company has adequate insurance coverage and has informed the insurance company about such incident. The initial estimated loss of the material stock at dry zone of VS plant is around Rs. 3.15 crores. The initial estimated loss of Plant & Machinery, Building and other assets is around 5.35 crores. However, on detailed inspection of the Plant & Machinery, Building etc. the extent of damages would be known.
- 7. The Parliament of India has approved the Code on Social Security, 2020 (the Code) which may impact the contributions by the Company towards provident fund, gratuity and ESIC. The Ministry of Labour and Employment has released draft rules for the Code on November 13,2020. Final rules are yet to be notified. The Company will assess the impact of the Code when it comes into effect and will record related impact, if any.

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8. The figures of previous quarters / year are reclassified, regrouped and rearranged wherever necessary so as to make them comparable with current period's figures.

For and on behalf of Board of Directors
Aksharchem (India) Limited

Mrs. Para M. Jaykrishna Chairperson & Mg. Director DIN: 00671721

Place: Ahmedabad Date: May 29, 2024



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Independent Auditor's Report on Audited Financial Results of the Aksharchem (India) Limited Pursuant to the Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 as Amended.

To the Board of Directors Aksharchem (India) Limited Ahmedabad

Opinion

We have audited the accompanying financial results of Aksharchem (India) Limited ("the Company") for the quarter and year ended on March 31, 2024, attached herewith, being submitted by the company pursuant to the requirement of Regulation 33 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations 2015, as amended ("Listing Regulations").

In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, these financial results:

- are presented in accordance with the requirements of Regulation 33 of the Listing Regulations in this regard; and
- give a true and fair view in conformity with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in the applicable accounting standards and other accounting principles generally accepted in India, of the total comprehensive income comprising of net loss and other comprehensive income and other financial information of the company for the quarter and year ended on March 31, 2024.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with the Standards on Auditing (SAs) specified under section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013 (the Act). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the financial results section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the Code of Ethics issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India ("ICAI") together with the independence requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements under the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Rules made thereunder, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the ICAI's Code of Ethics. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Talati & Talati LLP, a Limited Liability Partnership bearing LLP identification NO. AAO.8

Management's Responsibilities for the Financial Results

These financial results have been prepared on the basis of the annual financial statements.

The Company's Management and Board of Directors are responsible for the preparation and presentation of these financial results that give a true and fair view of the net loss and other comprehensive income and other financial information in accordance with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in Indian Accounting Standard prescribed under Section 133 of the Act read with relevant rules issued thereunder and other accounting principles generally accepted in India and compliance with Regulation 33 of the Listing Regulations.

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 results that give a true and fair view and are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial results, the Management and Board of Directors are responsible for assessing the company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to the going concern, and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the Board of Directors either intends to liquidate the company or to cease operations or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

The Board of Directors is responsible for overseeing the financial reporting process of the company.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Results

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial results as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with SAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial results.

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 results, whether due to
fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain
audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of
not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting
from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations,
or the override of internal control.

- 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 an
 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 the Board of Director'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 results, including the
 disclosures, and whether the financial results represent the underlying transactions and
 events in a manner that achieves fair presentation

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.

Other Matters

The financial results include the results for the quarter ended March 31, 2024 being the balancing figure between the audited figures in respect of the full financial year and the published unaudited year to date figures up to December 31, 2023 being the date of the end of the third quarter of the current financial year, which were subject to limited review by us, as required under Listing Regulations.

For Talati & Talati LLP

Chartered Accountants

(Fim Reg No: 110758W/W100377)

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Place of Signature: Ahmedabad

Date: 29/05/2024

Umesh Talati

Partner

Membership Number: 034834 UDIN: 24034834BKALIG4214



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May 29, 2024

To To

BSE Limited National Stock Exchange of India Ltd.

Mumbai Mumbai

BSE Security Code: <u>524598</u> NSE Trading Symbol: <u>AKSHARCHEM</u>

SUB: DECLARATION AS PER REGULATION 33(3)(d) OF THE SEBI (LISTING OBLIGATIONS AND DISCLOSURE REQUIREMENTS) REGULATIONS, 2015

Dear Sir/Madam,

This is with reference to the Standalone Audited Financial Results of Aksharchem (India) Limited for the quarter and financial year ended 31st March, 2024, which have been reviewed by the Audit Committee and upon their recommendation, approved by the Board of directors of the Company at its meeting held on 29th May, 2024.

In this regard, we do hereby declare that the Auditor's report on Standalone Audited Financial Results of the Company for the quarter and financial year ended 31st March, 2024, issued by M/s. Talati & Talati LLP, Chartered Accounts, Ahmedabad, Statutory Auditors of the Company, is with Unmodified opinion.

This declaration given pursuant to the provisions of Regulation 33(3)(d) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended vide SEBI Notification No. SEBI/LAD-NRO/GN/2016-17/001 dated 25th May, 2016 and SEBI Circular No. CIR/CFD/CMD/56/2016 dated 27th May, 2016.

We request you to take above information on your records.

Thanking you,
Yours faithfully,
For, Aksharchem (India) Limited

Munjal M. Jaykrishna Joint Managing Director & CEO DIN: 00671693

