

May 29, 2024

To, National Stock Exchange of India Limited Exchange Plaza, Bandra Kurla Complex Bandra (E) Mumbai -400 051 Trading Symbol: "SOLARINDS" Through NEAPS

To, BSE Limited Floor no. 25, PJ Towers Dalal Street Mumbai - 400 001 Scrip Code: 532725 Through BSE Listing Center

### Subject: Submission of Annual Secretarial Compliance Report for the FY 2023-24.

Dear Sir/Madam,

This is to inform you that, pursuant to SEBI Circular dated February 8, 2019, and Regulation 24A of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, Please find attached herewith the Annual Secretarial Compliance Report of Solar Industries India Limited issued by Shri Anant Khamankar of M/s Anant B Khamankar & Co., Practising Company Secretaries, for the Financial Year 2023-24.

This is for your information and records.

Kindly acknowledge the receipt of the same.

Yours truly,

For Solar Industries India Limited

Khushboo Pasari Company Secretary & Compliance Officer

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#### SECRETARIAL COMPLIANCE REPORT

OF

SOLAR INDUSTRIES INDIA LIMITED CIN: L74999MH1995PLC085878 FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2024

We have conducted the review of the compliance of the applicable statutory provisions and the adherence to good corporate practices by **Solar Industries India Limited** (hereinafter referred as '**the Listed Entity**'), having its Registered Office at "Solar House" 14, Kachimet, Amravati Road, Nagpur – 440023. Secretarial Review was conducted in a manner that provided us a reasonable basis for evaluating the corporate conducts/statutory compliances and expressing our opinion 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 in our opinion, the listed entity has, during the review period covering the financial year ended on March 31, 2024, complied with the statutory provisions listed hereunder and also that the listed entity has proper Board processes and compliance mechanism in place to the extent, in the manner and subject to the reporting made hereinafter:

#### We, M/s Anant B Khamankar & Co., Company Secretaries have examined:

- (a) All the documents and records made available to us and explanation provided by
  - Solar Industries India Limited ("the Listed Entity").
- (b) The fillings/ submissions made by the Listed Entity to the stock exchanges,

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- (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 year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2024 ("Review Period") in respect of compliance with the provisions of:
  - the Securities and Exchange Board of India Act, 1992 ("SEBI Act") and the Regulations, circulars, guidelines issued thereunder; and
  - 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");

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 Listing Regulations) as amended;
- (b) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018; (not applicable to the Company for the period under review)
- (c) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011 as amended;
- (d) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Buyback of Securities) Regulations, 2018;(not applicable to the Company for the period under review)
- (e) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Share Based Employee Benefits and Sweat Equity) Regulations, 2021; (not applicable to the Company for the period under review)



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- (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
- (h) Any other regulation as applicable: Not Applicable

We hereby report that, during the Review Period:

- a) The listed entity has maintained proper records under the provisions of the above Regulations and Circulars/Guidelines issued thereunder in so far as it appears from our examination of those records.
- b) The listed entity has complied with the provisions of the above Regulations and Circulars/Guidelines issued thereunder, except in respect of matter specified in Annexure A to the report.
- c) The listed entity has taken the following actions to comply with the observations made in previous reports as appended as **Annexure B** to the report.
- d) In terms of the NSE Circular Ref No: NSE/CML/2023/30 dated 10<sup>th</sup> April, 2023 and the BSE Circular No: 20230410-41 dated 10<sup>th</sup> April, 2023 and amendments therein, our affirmations, is appended as below:

Sr. No.	Particulars	Compliance Status (Yes/No/NA)	Observations / Remarks by PCS
1.	Secretarial Standards: 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), as notified by the Central Government under section 118(10) of the Companies Act, 2013 and mandatorily applicable and in accordance with the Auditing Standards issued by ICSI, namely CSAS-1 to CSAS-3.	Yes	None

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2.	Adoption and timely updation of the Policies:		
	<ul> <li>All applicable policies under SEBI Regulations are adopted with the approval of board of directors of the listed entities</li> </ul>	Yes	None
	<ul> <li>All the policies are in conformity with SEBI Regulations and has been reviewed &amp; timely</li> <li>updated as per the regulations/ circulars/</li> </ul>	Yes	None
	guidelines issued by SEBI		-
3.	<ul> <li>Maintenance and disclosures on Website:</li> <li>The Listed Entity is maintaining a functional website</li> </ul>	Yes	None
	<ul> <li>Timely dissemination of the documents/ information under a separate section on the website</li> </ul>	Yes	None
	<ul> <li>Web-links provided in annual corporate governance reports under Regulation 27(2) are accurate and specific which re-directs to the relevant document(s)/section of the website</li> </ul>	Yes	None
4.	Disqualification of Director: None of the Director(s) of the Company are disqualified under Section 164 of the 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.:		
	(a) Identification of material subsidiary companies	Yes	None
	(b) Disclosure requirement of material as well as other subsidiaries	Yes	None

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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	Yes	None
	Documents and Archival policy prescribed under SEBI		
	LODR Regulations, 2015		
7.	Performance Evaluation:		
	The Listed Entity has conducted performance		
	evaluation of the Board, Independent Directors and		
	the Committees at the start of every financial	Yes	None
	year/during the financial year as prescribed in SEBI		12
	Regulations.		
8.	Related Party Transactions:		
	(a) The Listed Entity has obtained prior approval		
	of Audit Committee for all related party	Yes	None
	transactions; or		
	(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.		
9.	Disclosure of events or information:		
	The Listed Entity has provided all the required		
	disclosure(s) under Regulation 30 along with Schedule	Yes	None
	III of SEBI LODR Regulations, 2015 within the time		
	limits prescribed thereunder.		
10.	Prohibition of Insider Trading:		
	The Listed Entity is in compliance with Regulation 3(5)	Yes	None
	& 3(6) SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading)	105	None
	Regulations, 2015		
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11.	Actions taken by SEBI or Stock Exchange(s), if any:		
	No Action(s) has been taken against the Listed Entity/		2
	its promoters/ directors/ subsidiaries either by SEBI	No	Refer below **
	or by Stock Exchanges (including under the Standard		
	Operating Procedures issued by SEBI through various		
-	circulars) under SEBI Regulations and circulars/		
	guidelines issued thereunder.		
	** There was an instance of delay by 1 (One) day ir	submission of not	ice of Record Date under
	Regulation 60(2) of SEBI (LODR) Regulations 2015. The	Company has paid	the Fine of ₹10,000 to the
	Bombay Stock Exchange (BSE) along with the necess	sary clarification. Th	ne non-compliance was a
	result of an interpretation error of the regulation whil	e calculating the wo	orking days and was not a
	willful or intentional non-compliance. The Company h	as included the date	e of intimation and day of
	record date while calculating the working days. The	Company has imple	mented and taken all the
	necessary steps to ensure that there will be no delays i	n the future.	
12.	Additional Non-compliances, if any:		No additional non-
	No additional non-compliance observed for any SEBI	Yes	compliances observed
	regulation/circular/guidance note etc.		during the review
			period.

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.	Particulars	Compliance	Observations / Remarks	
No.		Status (Yes/No/NA)	by PCS	
1.	Compliances with the following conditions w	iting an auditor		
	<ul> <li>If the auditor has resigned within 45 data</li> <li>the end of a quarter of a financial year</li> <li>auditor before such resignation, has iss</li> </ul>	, the NA	No Such Case Observed During the Year	
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		the limited review/ audit report for such				
		quarter; or				
	ii.	If the auditor has resigned after 45 days from	NA	No Such Case Observed		
		the end of a quarter of a financial year, the		During the Year		
		auditor before such resignation, has issued				
		the limited review/ audit report for such		-		
		quarter as well as the next quarter; or				
		If the auditor has signed the limited review/				
		audit report for the first three quarters of a	NA	No Such Case Observed		
		financial year, the auditor before such		During the Year		
		resignation has issued the limited review/	(M)	1.8		
		audit report for the last quarter of such				
		financial year as well as the audit report for				
		such financial year.				
2.	Other	conditions relating to resignation of Statutory a	uditor			
	i.	Reporting of concerns by Auditor with respect to the listed entity/its material subsidiary to the Audit Committee:				
		a. In case of any concern with the				
		management of the listed	NA	No Such Case Observed		
		entity/material subsidiary such as non-	1.07 1	During the Year		
	-	availability of information / non-		During the real		
	× <sup>1</sup>	cooperation by the management				
		which has hampered the audit				
		process, the auditor has approached				
		the Chairman of the Audit Committee				
		of the listed entity and the Audit				
		Committee shall receive such concern				
		directly and immediately without				
		specifically waiting for the quarterly				
		Audit Committee meetings.				

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	b.	In case the auditor proposes to resign,		
		all concerns with respect to the		
		proposed resignation, along with	NA	No Such Case Observed
		relevant documents has been brought		During the Year
		to the notice of the Audit Committee.		
		In cases where the proposed		•n
		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	181	2
		not provided by the management, as		
		applicable.		
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	С.	The Audit Committee / Board of		
		Directors, as the case may be,		
		deliberated on the matter on receipt	NA	No Such Case Observed
		of such information from the auditor		During the Year
		relating to the proposal to resign as		
		mentioned above and communicate its		
		views to the management and the		
		auditor.		
н.	inform	mer in case of non-receipt of ation: uditor has provided an appropriate		
		mer in its audit report, which is in		
		ance with the Standards of Auditing as	NA	No Such Case Observed
		ed by ICAI / NFRA, in case where the		During the Year
		entity/ its material subsidiary has not		
		ed information as required by the		
	auditor			

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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 18th October, 2019.	NA	No Such Case Observed During the Year
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### Annexure A

The Listed Entity has complied with the provisions of the above Regulations and circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder, <u>except</u> in respect of matter specified below: -

SR.	Compliance	Regula	Devi	Action	Type of	Detai	Fine	Observations/	Manag	Remar
No	Requirement	tion/Ci	ation	Taken	Action	ls of	Am	Remarks of the	ement	ks
	(Regulations/	rcular	S	by	Eg: Fine,	Viola	oun	Practicing	Respo	
	circulars/	No.			Warnin	tion	t	Company	nse	
	guidelines				g, SCN			Secretary		
	including				etc.					
	specific									
	clause)						1.1279			
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### Annexure B

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The Listed Entity has taken the following actions to comply with the observations made in the previous reports:

SR.	Compliance	Regula	Dev	Actio	Type of	Details of	Fine	Observations	Mana	Re
No	Requirement	tion/Ci	iati	n	Action	Violation	Amou	/ Remarks of	geme	mar
	(Regulations/	rcular	ons	Taken	E.g.:		nt	the	nt	ks
	circulars/	No.		by	Advisory,			Practicing	Resp	
	guidelines				Fine,			Company	onse	
	including				Warning,			Secretary		
	specific				SCN etc.					
	clause)									······
1	Regulation	Regula	-	BSE &	Clarificati	The	₹1,26,	The	Refer	-
	18(1) of SEBI	tion		NSE	on & Fine	Compositio	000	Company has	**	
	(LODR)	18(1)				n of Audit	(BSE)	taken an		
	Regulations,					Committee	&	appropriate		
	2015				3	was not in	₹1,26,	action to pay		
						line with	000 .	the fine and		
						the norms	(NSE)	has also filed		
						for the		waiver/refun		
						period		d application		
						between		with		
	Ś					January 29,		necessary		
	Ē					2022 to		clarifications.		
	- 					March 31,				
						2022.				

\*\*As per the Communications from the Stock Exchanges, the Composition of the Audit Committee was not in line with the norms for the period between January 29, 2022 to March 31, 2022. The Company has submitted the clarification regarding the same that how the Composition met with the requirement of Regulation 18(1) of SEBI (LODR) Regulation, 2015.

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The Company has paid the Fine imposed and also filed a waiver application to the Stock Exchanges along with the necessary clarifications. The Waiver application is currently pending before the Stock Exchanges.

### 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 certify 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 efficiency or effectiveness with which the management has conducted the affairs of the listed entity.

FOR ANANT B KHAMANKAR & CO. COMPANY SECRETARIES

ANANT B. KHAMANKAR PROPRIETOR

FCS No. - 3198 CP No. - 1860

UDIN: F003198F000315532 PR NO: 1283/2021

DATE: MAY 06, 2024 PLACE: MUMBAI

