

V.B. Desai Financial Services Limited

Category I Merchant Banker - SEBI Registration No. INM 000002731

May 21, 2024

The Corporate Relations Department
BSE Limited
P.J. Towers, Dalal Street,
Mumbai – 400 001

Dear Sirs,

Sub: Audited financial results for the quarter and year ended 31st March 2024

Ref: Company Code No. 511110

This is to inform you that the Board of Directors of the Company at their meeting held on 21st May 2024, has approved the Audited Standalone Financial Results for the quarter and year ended on 31st March 2024. The audited financial results and Auditors' Report thereon as submitted by the Auditors of the Company are enclosed herewith.

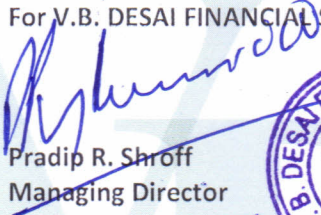
Further, in terms of Regulation 33(3)(d) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, the Auditors have given an unmodified opinion on the audited standalone financial results for the year ended March 31, 2024.

The Board meeting started at 11.30 am and ended at 12.20 noon.

Kindly take the same on your record.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,
For V.B. DESAI FINANCIAL SERVICES LIMITED


Pradip R. Shroff
Managing Director



Encl: as above

V. B. DESAI FINANCIAL SERVICES LIMITED

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

(Rs. In lakhs)

	Quarter ended					Year ended	
	31st March 2024	31st December 2023	31st March 2023	31st March 2024	31st March 2023		
	Audited	Unaudited	Audited	Audited	Audited	Audited	Audited
1	Revenue from operations	103.50	77.48	55.68	311.97	248.53	
2	Other Income (net)	4.40	5.22	4.51	18.16	28.39	
3	Total Income (1+2)	107.90	82.70	60.19	330.13	276.92	
4	Expenses						
	a. Employee benefit expenses	13.83	14.26	13.00	47.19	46.18	
	b. Finance costs	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
	c. Depreciation and amortisation expenses	0.03	0.03	0.34	0.13	0.82	
	d. Other expenses	67.82	57.67	36.93	220.88	185.51	
	Total Expenses	81.68	71.96	50.27	268.20	232.51	
5	Profit before tax (3-4)	26.22	10.74	9.92	61.93	44.41	
6	Tax Expense						
	a. Current Tax	7.55	2.71	0.60	16.50	9.30	
	b. Deferred Tax	(0.57)	0.00	2.32	(0.57)	2.32	
	b. Prior Period Tax	0.00	(0.72)	0.65	(0.72)	1.82	
	Total tax expense	6.98	1.99	3.57	15.21	13.44	
7	Net profit for the period (5-6)	19.24	8.75	6.35	46.72	30.97	
8	Other Comprehensive Income/ (Loss)						
	a. Items not to be reclassified to profit or loss in subsequent periods, net of tax	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
	b. Other comprehensive Income/ (Loss) for the period net of tax	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
	Total Comprehensive Income for the period (7+8) (comprising profit/ (loss) and other comprehensive income)	19.24	8.75	6.35	46.72	30.97	
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10	Paid-up equity share capital (Face Value of Rs. 10 each)	453.81	453.81	453.81	453.81	453.81	
	Other Equity				694.99	648.27	
11	Earning per share (of Rs. 10 each) (not annualised)						
	Basic (Rs. Rs.)	0.42	0.19	0.13	1.03	0.68	
	Diluted (in Rs.)	0.42	0.19	0.13	1.03	0.68	

Notes:

- The Company has only one segment i.e Financial Services, therefore segmentwise reporting is not applicable.
- The above results have been reviewed by the Audit Committee and approved by the Board of Directors at their meeting held on 21st May 2024
- The Financial Results have been prepared in accordance with Indian Accounting Standards (INS - AS) as prescribed under section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013, read with Rule 3 of the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015 and relevant amendment thereafter.
- The figures for the last quarter ended 31st March, 2024 and 31st March, 2023 are derived after taking into account the unaudited financial information for the period of nine months ended 31st December, 2023 and 31st December, 2022, respectively.
- The figures of the previous period have been regrouped / reclassified / restated wherever necessary.

For V.B. DESAI FINANCIAL SERVICES LIMITED

Pradip R. Shroff
Managing Director

Place: Mumbai
Date: 21st May 2024



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BALANCE SHEET AT AT 31ST MARCH 2024

	(Rupees in Lakhs)	
	As At	As At
	31.03.2024	31.03.2023
A ASSETS		
1 Non-Current Assets		
a. Property Plant and Equipment	0.29	0.42
b. Capital Work-in -Progress	-	-
Total Property Plant and Equipments	0.29	0.42
c. Financial Assets		
i. Investments	867.40	867.09
ii. Loans	177.04	177.51
III. Other Financial Assets	21.42	5.80
d. Deferred Tax Assets (net)	9.56	8.99
e. Other Non-Current Assets	13.79	13.23
Total Non Current Assets	1,089.50	1,073.04
2 Current Assets		
a. Securities for Trade	1.49	1.06
b. Financial assets		
i. Trade Receivables	43.23	37.94
ii. Cash and Cash Equivalents	20.20	7.14
iii Bank balances other than (ii) above.	20.20	0.90
iv. Other Financial Assets	39.58	30.41
c. Other Current Assets	4.55	7.54
Total Current Assets	129.25	84.99
Total Assets (1+2)	1,218.75	1,158.03
B. EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		
1 Equity		
a. Equity Share Capital	453.81	453.81
b. Other Equity	694.99	648.27
Total Equity	1,148.80	1,102.08
2 Liabilities		
Non-Current Liabilities		
Financial Liabilities		
a. Borrowings	-	-
b. Long Term Provisions	-	3.02
Total Non-Current Liabilities	-	3.02
Current liabilities		
Financial Liabilities		
a. Borrowings	-	-
b. Trade Payables	31.52	21.44
c. Other current liabilities	5.29	4.40
d. Provisions	33.14	27.09
Total Current Liabilities	69.95	52.93
Total Equity and Liabilities (1+2+3)	1,218.75	1,158.03

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Cash Flow Statement for the year ended 31st March, 2024

	For the year ended 31st March, 2024		For the year ended 31st March, 2023	
	(Rs. In lakhs)	(Rs. In Lakhs)	(Rs. In Lakhs)	(Rs. In Lakhs)
A Cash Flow from Operating Activities				
Net Profit before Tax		61.93		44.41
Adjustments for :				
Depreciation	0.13		0.82	
Interest Income on Income Tax Refund	(0.56)		(1.18)	
Dividend Income	(0.02)		(0.01)	
Change in fair value of Investment carried through Profit and Loss Account	(0.74)		(5.24)	
Profit on Sale of Investments	-		(7.97)	
		<u>(1.19)</u>		<u>(13.58)</u>
Operating Profit before Working Capital Changes		60.74		30.83
Adjustments for :				
(Increase)/Decrease in Trade Receivables	(5.29)		(11.23)	
(Increase)/Decrease in Loans and Advances & Other Current and Non-Current Assets	(21.34)		(25.41)	
Increase/(Decrease) in Liabilities & Provisions	14.01		(3.07)	
		<u>(12.62)</u>		<u>(39.71)</u>
		48.12		(8.88)
Income Tax Paid (net of refunds)		<u>(15.78)</u>		<u>(3.87)</u>
Net Cash flow from Operating Activities (A)		<u>32.34</u>		<u>(12.75)</u>
B Cash Flow from Investing Activities				
Purchase of Investments/Securities for trade		-		(541.70)
Purchase of Property, Plant & Equipment		-		(0.42)
Dividend Income	0.02			0.01
Sale of Investments		-		541.70
Net Cash flow from Investing Activities (B)		<u>0.02</u>		<u>(0.41)</u>
C Cash Flow from Financing Activities				
Interest paid		-		-
Net Cash flow from Financing Activities (C)		<u>-</u>		<u>-</u>
Net Increase/(Decrease) in Cash & Cash Equivalents (A+B+C)		<u>32.36</u>		<u>-13.16</u>
Cash & Cash Equivalents at the beginning of the year		8.04		21.20
Cash & Cash Equivalents at the end of the year		40.40		8.04






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Independent Auditor's Report On Annual Financial Result of V. B. Desai Financial Services Limited
Pursuant to the Regulation 33 and Regulation 52 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure
Requirements) Regulations, 2015

TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF
V. B. Desai Financial Services Limited

Opinion

We have audited the accompanying financial results of **V. B. Desai Financial Services Limited** ('the Company') for the three months and year ended 31st March, 2024, attached herewith, being submitted by the Company pursuant to the requirement of Regulation 33 and Regulation 52 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India ('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, the aforesaid financial results:

- i. are presented in accordance with the requirements of Regulation 33 of the Listing Regulations in this regard; and
- ii. give a true and fair view in conformity with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in the applicable Indian Accounting Standards and other accounting principles generally accepted in India, of the net profit and other comprehensive income and other financial information for the three months and year ended 31st March, 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 together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial results under the provisions of the Act and the Rules thereunder, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the Code of Ethics. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion on the financial results.



Management's and Board of Directors' Responsibilities for the Financial Results

These financial results have been prepared on the basis of the audited 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 profit 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 in 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 of 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 annual 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 the Board of Directors are 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 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 are also responsible for overseeing the Company's financial reporting process.

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 control 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 with reference to financial statements 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 in the financial results made by the Management and Board of Directors.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the Management and Board of Directors' 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 exist, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial results 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

Attention is drawn to the fact that the figures for the last quarter ended 31st March, 2024 and the corresponding quarter ended in the previous year as reported in these annual financial results are the balancing figures between audited figures in respect of full financial year and the published year to date figures upto the end of third quarter of the current and previous financial year respectively. Also, the figures up to the end of third quarter for the current year and previous year had only been reviewed and not subjected to audit.

For N. S. Shetty & Co
Chartered Accountants
FRN: 110101W

R.S. Shetty

Rohit Shetty
Partner

Membership No.:135463

Place: Mumbai

Date: 21st May 2024

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