

April 27, 2018

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Dear Sirs,

# Sub: Intimation on the outcome of the Board Meeting held on April 27, 2018 and Disclosure under Regulation 30 of SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015

Kindly refer to our letter dated April 16, 2018 intimating you of the convening of the Meeting of the Board of Directors inter alia to consider and approve Standalone and Consolidated Audited Financial results of the Company for the Quarter and financial year ended March 31, 2018.

In this regard, we wish to inform you that the Board of Directors at their Meeting held today have approved the following:

# 1. Audited Financial Results (Standalone and Consolidated) for the Quarter and financial year ended March 31, 2018.

We enclose the following as prescribed under Regulation 33 of SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015:

- a) The detailed format of Audited financial results (Standalone and Consolidated) for the Quarter and financial year ended March 31, 2018.
- b) Audit Report from the Statutory Auditors M/s. S R Batliboi & Assoicates, LLP
- c) Declaration under Regulation 33(3)(d) of the SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015

### 2. Resignation of Director:

The resignation of Mr. M S Raghavan, Independent Director from the Board of the Company with effect from April 27, 2018 which was taken note of by the Board.



The Meeting of Board of Directors commenced at 2.45 p.m and concluded at 4.45 p.m

This is for your information and record.

Thanking you,

Yours Faithfully, for **Equitas Holdings Limited** 

Jayashree S Iyer Company Secretary



### **EQUITAS HOLDINGS LIMITED**

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### Statement of Standalone and Consolidated Audited Financial Results for the Three Months and Year Ended 31 March 2018

₹ in Lakh

		Standalone				Consolidated					
1	/	Three Months Ended		Year Ended		Three Months Ended			Year Ended		
SI. No.	Particulars	31 March 2018	31 December 2017	31 March 2017	31 March 2018	31 March 2017	31 March 2018	31 December 2017	31 March 2017	31 March 2018	31 March 2017
		Unaudited [Refer Note 8]	Unaudited	Unaudited [Refer Note 8]	Audited	Audited	Unaudited [Refer Note 8]	Unaudited	Unaudited [Refer Note 8]	Audited	Audited
1	(a) Revenue from Operations	335.58	346.79	323.71	1,357.21	1,229.59	48,560.32	42,985.71	37,105.03	178,601.08	152,775.65
11	(b) Other Operating Income	-	-	5.94	-	5.94	(1,194.85)	501.59	2,769.55	140.11	2,879.59
111	Total Revenue (I + II)	335.58	346.79	329.65	1,357.21	1,235.53	47,365.47	43,487.30	39,874.58	178,741.19	155,655.24
IV	Expenses										
	(i) Employees Benefits Expense	26.23	31.92	46.09	134.39	131.54	12,182.58	13,286.94	11,706.64	51,999.33	39,608.92
	(ii) Finance Costs	-	-	-		-	19,470.98	16,176.90	15,680.39	67,362.27	57,600.66
	(iii) Depreciation / Amortisation Expense	18.04	17.92	(47.67)	69.73	57.17	2,327.44	2,253.23	1,442.08	8,913.48	3,747.48
100000000000000000000000000000000000000	(iv) Provisions & Write-Offs	-	-	-	48.68	-	1,391.16	8,685.28	3,595.96	17,191.51	10,291.24
	(v) Other Expenses	94.72	47.19	77.49	262.35	296.52	6,630.52	7,610.12	6,354.12	28,158.19	18,143.53
	Total Expenses	138.99	97.03	75.91	515.15	485.23	42,002.68	48,012.47	38,779.19	173,624.78	129,391.83
V	Profit before Exceptional and Extraordinary Items and tax (III - IV)	196.59	249.76	253.74	842.06	750.30	5,362.79	(4,525.17)	1,095.39	5,116.41	26,263.41
VI	Exceptional Items		-	-		-					1,107.32
VII	Profit before Extraordinary Items and tax (V - VI)	196.59	249.76	253.74	842.06	750.30	5,362.79	(4,525.17)	1,095.39	5,116.41	25,156.09
VIII	Extraordinary Items		-			-					
IX	Profit before tax (VII - VIII)	196.59	249.76	253.74	842.06	750.30	5,362.79	(4,525.17)	1,095.39	5,116.41	25,156.09
X	Tax Expense										
	(i) Current Tax	50.42	94.33	75.49	313.31	279.11	(575.07)	340.67	454.80	3,900.16	9,855.09
	(ii) Deferred Tax	5.77	(1.21)	(2.76)	(14.69)	3.02	2,448.91	(1,860.99)	(50.01)	(1,919.01)	(635.57
	Total Tax Expense	56.19	93.12	72.73	298.62	282.13	1,873.84	(1,520.32)	404.79	1,981.15	9,219.52
XI	Net Profit for the Period / Year (IX - X)	140.40	156.64	181.01	543.44	468.17	3,488.95	(3,004.85)	690.60	3,135.26	15,936.57
XII	Earnings Per Share (EPS) (for three months not annualised)										
	Basic ₹	0.04	0.05	0.05	0.16	0.14	1.03	(0.89)	0.20	0.92	4.79
	Diluted₹	0.04	0.05	0.05	0.16	0.14	1.02	(0.89)	0.20	0.91	4.69





### 1. Statement of Standalone and Consolidated Assets and Liabilities as at 31 March 2018 is given below:

₹ in Lakh

		Standa	lone	Consolidated		
SI.	Particulars	Audited	Audited	Audited	Audited	
No.	Turculus	As at	As at	As at	As at	
		31 March 2018	31 March 2017	31 March 2018	31 March 2017	
A	EQUITY AND LIABILITIES					
1	Shareholders' Funds					
	(a) Share Capital	34,043.00	33,781.37	34,043.00	33,781.37	
	(b) Reserves and Surplus  Sub-total-Shareholders' Funds	135,436.11 169,479.11	133,728.36 167,509.73	193,586.12 227,629.12	189,279.00 223,060.37	
				227,629.12	223,060.37	
2	Share Application Money Pending Allotment	66.67 26.90		66.67	26.90	
3	Minority Interest			2.05	-	
4	Non Current Liabilities					
	(a) Long-Term Borrowings			365,392.65	343,902.51	
	(b) Other Long-Term Liabilities			-	-	
	(c) Long-Term Provisions	13.29	14.32	5,244.01	5,056.57	
	Sub-total-Non Current Liabilities	13.29	14.32	370,636.66	348,959.08	
5	Current Liabilities					
	(a) Short-Term Borrowings	-		623,260.22	156,107.39	
	(b) Current Maturities of Long-Term Borrowings			-	-	
	(c) Trade Payables	20.04	29.87	7,735.52	7,464.63	
	(d) Other Current Liabilities	88.03	45.76	107,871.54	196,118.33	
	(e) Short-Term Provisions	72.23	17.40	12,283.98	12,603.65	
	Sub-total - Current Liabilities	180.30	93.03	751,151.26	372,294.00	
_	TOTAL - EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	169,739.37	167,643.98	1,349,485.76	944,340.35	
В	ASSETS					
1	Non-Current Assets					
	(a) Fixed Assets	4,919.40	3,954.73	33,044.04	32,879.07	
	(b) Goodwill on Consolidation	-	-	-	32,073.07	
	(c) Non-Current Investments	146,685.89	146,185.89	95,721.21	60,242.31	
	(d) Deferred Tax Asset (Net)	26.82	12.13	6,300.10	4,381.09	
	(e) Long-Term Receivables Under Financing Activities			442,367.03	292,361.33	
	(f) Long-Term Loans and Advances	656.28	12,673.97	5,105.87	6,732.6	
	(g) Other Non Current Assets	585.00	3,150.00	432.56	4,656.4	
	Sub-total Non-Current Assets	152,873.39	165,976.72	582,970.81	401,252.88	
2	Current Assets					
	(a) Current Investments			289,972.54	129,351.15	
	(b) Short-Term Receivables Under Financing Activities	-	-	337,646.95	290,529.99	
	(c) Cash and Cash Equivalents	4,661.83	1,340.77	119,212.15	106,505.61	
	(d) Short-Term Loans and Advances	12,171.08	300.00	5,993.06	4,382.75	
	(e) Other Current Assets	33.07	26.49	13,690.24	12,317.97	
	Sub-total Current Assets	16,865.98	1,667.26	766,514.94	543,087.47	
	TOTAL - ASSETS	169,739.37	167,643.98	1,349,485.76	944,340.3	







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### Consolidated Segment-wise Revenue, Results, Assets and Liabilities for the Three months and Year Ended 31 March 2018

₹ in Lakh

			Three Months Ended	Year Ended			
Sl. No.	Particulars	31 March 2018	31 December 2017	31 March 2017	31 March 2018	31 March 2017	
		Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited	Audited	Audited	
1	Segment Revenue						
	a. Finance	48,894.14	43,236.80	37,391.40	179,678.00	153,981.46	
/	b. Others	0.99	79.63	20.36	249.72	83.29	
	c. Unallocated		-	-	-	-	
	Total	48,895.13	43,316.43	37,411.76	179,927.72	154,064.75	
	Less: Inter Segment Revenue	334.81	330.72	306.73	1,326.64	1,289.10	
	Income From Operations	48,560.32	42,985.71	37,105.03	178,601.08	152,775.65	
2	Segment Results: Profit before tax and interest						
	a. Finance	5,634.16	(4,278.90)	840.41	6,178.13	25,915.27	
	b. Others	(132.74)	(165.31)	(181.90)	(625.41)	(710.26)	
	c. Unallocated		-	-	-	-	
	Total	5,501.42	(4,444.21)	658.51	5,552.72	25,205.01	
	Less:						
i) Un	i) Unallocable Expenses net off unallocable Income	138.63	80.96	(436.88)	436.31	48.92	
	Total Profit before tax	5,362.79	(4,525.17)	1,095.39	5,116.41	25,156.09	
3	Segment Assets						
	a. Finance	1,337,120.52	1,120,209.11	933,319.36	1,337,120.52	933,319.36	
	b. Others	481.91	676.52	641.06	481.91	641.06	
	c. Unallocated	11,883.33	14,306.83	10,379.93	11,883.33	10,379.93	
	Total	1,349,485.76	1,135,192.46	944,340.35	1,349,485.76	944,340.35	
4	Segment Liabilities						
	a. Finance	1,121,533.92	910,388.14	721,050.30	1,121,533.92	721,050.30	
	b. Others	53.17	114.84	96.53	53.17	96.53	
	c. Unallocated	200.83	839.17	106.25	200.83	106.25	
	Total	1,121,787.92	911,342.15	721,253.08	1,121,787.92	721,253.08	

#### Notes

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Finance includes Small Finance Bank operations [Refer Note 5] Refer accompanying notes to the audited Financial Results

Place: Chennai Date : April 27, 2018



On behalf of the Board of Directors

S Bhaskar

Executive Director and CEO



## Equitas Holdings Limited ("EHL" or the "Company") Notes

- 3 The above Statement of Audited Standalone and Consolidated Financial Results for the three months and year ended March 31, 2018 was reviewed by the Audit and Risk Management Committee at their meeting held on April 27, 2018 and upon their recommendations, approved by the Board of Directors at their meeting held on April 27, 2018.
- 4 The above consolidated financial results includes the results of the two subsidiaries, Equitas Small Finance Bank Limited [ESFBL] and Equitas Technologies Private Limited [ETPL].
- <sup>5</sup> Provision for Non-Performing Assets (NPA) for ESBFL comprises (a) minimum provision in accordance with the requirements of Income Recognition and Asset Classification Norms issued by RBI and (b) specific provision on substandard or stressed assets based on the nature of product, delinquency levels etc.

As at March 31, 2018, ESFBL has total provision against NPA of ₹ 8,102.87 lakh (March 31,2017 - ₹ 10,152.52 lakh). The accounting policy of the Bank with regard to provisioning on micro finance loan portfolio has been aligned during the year ended March 31, 2018 with the relevant requirements of RBI with effect from April 1, 2017. Consequent to this change, the accounting estimate has been revised resulting in the aggregate provision for NPA being lower by ₹ 1,053.36 lakh and net results of the year ended March 31, 2018, after considering related tax effects, being higher by ₹ 688.81 lakh.

- Ouring FY 2016-17, pursuant to a Scheme of Amalgamation, Equitas Micro Finance Limited ("EMFL") and Equitas Housing Finance Limited ("EHFL"), the erstwhile Subsidiaries of the Company, were amalgamated with Equitas Finance Limited ("EFL"), effective September 2, 2016. Upon receipt of the banking licence, EFL converted to a Bank on September 2, 2016, changed its name to Equitas Small Finance Bank Limited and commenced operations as a Bank on September 5, 2016. As a result of the Scheme, the businesses of EMFL and EHFL merged into, and are being carried on by, ESFBL (formerly, EFL). Further, the Bank had aligned the accounting policies of the amalgamating entities, and also applied the relevant regulatory requirements as applicable to a bank, in respect of various matters such as revenue recognition for certain elements of income, identification and provisioning for NPA etc. On account of the foregoing, the figures for the three months and year ended March 31, 2017 of the consolidated financial statements included in the above statement are not strictly comparable with those of the current period.
- 7 The Company is primarily engaged in Core Investment operations. All the activities of the Company revolve around the main business in India. As such there are no separate reportable segments as per Accounting Standard (AS) 17 "Segment Reporting" in respect of the Company, as related to the standalone financial results. The Segment Reporting in respect of the Consolidated Financial Results is published in the above results, based on business segments as the Primary Segment. Consequent to the merger of EMFL and EHFL with EFL and subsequent conversion into a Small Finance Bank in FY 2016-17, the segments identified by the management are Finance and Others. Others include the business of freight facilitation-cum-aggregation. Accordingly, the segment disclosures for the comparative periods have also been realigned.
- The figures of the three months ended March 31, 2018 and March 31, 2017 have been derived as balancing figures between the amounts as per the annual audited accounts for the years then ended and the unaudited results for the nine months ended December 31, 2017 and December 31, 2016, being the nine months period of the respective financial years, which were subject to limited review, respectively.
- 9 Previous period / year figures have been reclassified / regrouped, wherever necessary, to conform with the current period / year classification / grouping.

On behalf of the Board of Directors

S Bhaskar

Executive Director and CEO

Place: Chennai Date: April 27, 2018







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### Statement of Standalone and Consolidated Audited Financial Results for the Three Months and Year Ended 31 March 2018

₹ in Lakh

Particulars	Standalone				Consolidated			
	Three Months Ended Year Ended		led	Three Months Ended	Three Months Ended	Year Ended		Three Months Ended
	31 March 2018	31 March 2018	31 March 2017	31 March 2017	31 March 2018	31 March 2018	31 March 2017	31 March 2017
	Unaudited	Audited	Audited	Unaudited	Unaudited	Audited	Audited	Unaudited
m Operations	335.58	1,357.21	1,235.53	329.65	47,365.47	178,741.19	155,655.24	39,874.58
Period / Year Before Tax, or Extraordinary items	196.59	842.06	750.30	253.74	5,362.79	5,116.41	26,263.41	1,095.39
Period / Year Before Tax after or Extraordinary items	196.59	842.06	750.30	253.74	5,362.79	5,116.41	25,156.09	1,095.39
Period / Year After Tax after or Extraordinary items	140.40	543.44	468.17	181.01	3,488.95	3,135.26	15,936.57	690.60
tal	34,043.00	34,043.00	33,781.37	33,781.37	34,043.00	34,043.00	33,781.37	33,781.37
ng Revaluation Reserves (as per Previous Accounting Year)			133,728.36				189,279.00	
Share (EPS) for continuing and cration, s ended not annualised)								
	0.04	0.16	0.14	0.05	1.03	0.92	4.79	0.20
	0.04	0.16	0.14	0.05	1.02	0.91	4.69	0.20
		0.04	0.04 0.16	0.04 0.16 0.14	0.04 0.16 0.14 0.05	0.04 0.16 0.14 0.05 1.02	0.04 0.16 0.14 0.05 1.02 0.91	0.04   0.16   0.14   0.05   1.02   0.91   4.69

#### Notes

The above is an extract of the detailed format of the three months / year ended Financial Results filed with the Stock Exchanges under Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulation, 2015. The full format of the three months / year ended Financial Results are available on the websites of the Stock Exchanges viz., www.nseindia.com and www.bseindia.com and also on the Company's website www.equitas.in.

Place: Chennai Date : April 27, 2018



On behalf of the Board of Directors

S Bhaskar

**Executive Director and CEO** 



## S.R. BATLIBOI & ASSOCIATES LLP

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Auditor's Report on Quarterly and Year to Date Standalone and Consolidated Financial Results of the Company Pursuant to the Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements)

Regulations, 2015

### To Board of Directors of Equitas Holdings Limited

- 1. We have audited the accompanying statement of quarterly standalone and consolidated financial results of Equitas Holdings Limited ('the Company') comprising its subsidiaries (together, 'the Group') for the quarter ended March 31, 2018 and the standalone and consolidated financial results for the year ended March 31, 2018 (hereinafter referred to as the 'Statement'), attached herewith, being submitted by the Company pursuant to the requirement of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, read with SEBI Circular No. CIR/CFD/FAC/62/2016 dated July 5, 2016 (herein referred to as the 'Applicable Regulations'). The quarterly standalone and consolidated financial results are the derived figures between the audited figures in respect of the year ended March 31, 2018 and the published year-to-date figures up to December 31, 2017, being the date of the end of the third quarter of the current financial year, which were subject to limited review. The standalone and consolidated financial results for the quarter ended March 31, 2018 and year ended March 31, 2018 have been prepared on the basis of the standalone and consolidated financial results, respectively, for the nine-month period ended December 31, 2017, the audited annual standalone and consolidated financial statements as at and for the year ended March 31, 2018, and the relevant requirements of the Applicable Regulations, which are the responsibility of the Company's management and have been approved by the Board of Directors of the Company.
- 2. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these standalone and consolidated financial results based on our review of the standalone and consolidated financial results for the nine-month period ended December 31, 2017 which was prepared in accordance with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in Accounting Standard (AS) 25, Interim Financial Reporting, specified under Section 133 of the Companies Act 2013 read with relevant rules issued thereunder and other accounting principles generally accepted in India; our audit of the annual standalone and consolidated financial statements as at and for the year ended March 31, 2018; and the relevant requirements of the Applicable Regulations.
- 3. We conducted our audits referred to above in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in India. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial results are free of material misstatement(s). An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts disclosed as financial results. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.
- 4. In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us:
  - The Consolidated financial results includes the quarterly and year to date financial results of the following subsidiaries: Equitas Small Finance Bank Limited and Equitas Technologies Private Limited.
  - ii. The Statement is presented in accordance with the requirements of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 read with SEBI Circular No. CIR/CFD/FAC/62/2016 dated July 5, 2016, in this regard; and
  - iii. The statement gives a true and fair view of the net profit and other financial information for the quarter ended March 31, 2018 and for the year ended March 31, 2018.



## S.R. BATLIBOI & ASSOCIATES LLP

**Chartered Accountants** 

5. Further, read with Paragraph 1 above, we report that the figures for the quarter ended March 31, 2018 represent the derived figures between the audited figures in respect of the financial year ended March 31, 2018 and the published year-to-date figures up to December 31, 2017, being the date of the end of the third quarter of the current financial year, which were subjected to a limited review as stated in paragraph 1 above, as required under Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 read with SEBI Circular No. CIR/CFD/FAC/62/2016 dated July 5, 2016.

For S.R. BATLIBOI & ASSOCIATES LLP

Chartered Accountants

ICAI Firm Registration Number: 101049W/E300004

per Aniruddh Sankaran

Partner

Membership No.: 211107

Place: Chennai Date: April 27, 2018



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Dear Sirs,

## Sub: Declaration under Regulation 33(3)(d) of SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015

In terms of SEBI Circular CIR/CFD/CMD/56/2016 dated May 27, 2016, we hereby declare and confirm that the Statutory Auditors of the Company, M/s. S R Batliboi & Associates LLP, Chartered Accountants, have issued an audit report with unmodified opinion on Standalone and Consolidated Financial results of the Company for the financial year ended 31st March, 2018.

Kindly take the above information on record.

Thanking you,

Yours truly,

for Equitas Holdings Limited

Jayashree S Iyer **Company Secretary** 

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