

26th April 2024

Department of Corporate Services BSE Limited 1st floor, New Trading Ring Rotunda Building, P J Towers Dalal Street, Fort Mumbai - 400 001 Scrip Code: 500710

The Listing Department National Stock Exchange of India Ltd. Exchange Plaza, 5th floor, Bandra-Kurla Complex Bandra (E) Mumbai – 400051 Symbol: AKZOINDIA

Dear Sir/Madam,

## Sub: Update on pending litigation under Regulation 30 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015

With reference to our earlier disclosure on 29<sup>th</sup> December 2023, this is to inform that further to the Notice (dated 28<sup>th</sup> December 2023) from the Assam GST Department, an order dated 25<sup>th</sup> April 2024 has been received by us on 25<sup>th</sup> April 2024.

Accordingly, pursuant to Regulation 30 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 read with SEBI circular SEBI/HO/CFD/CFDPoD-1/P/CIR/2023/123 dated 13<sup>th</sup> July 2023, a further update on the pending litigation, disclosed earlier on 29<sup>th</sup> December 2023, is enclosed as "Annexure-1".

Kindly take the aforesaid on record.

Thanking you.

Yours truly, For Akzo Nobel India Limited

Rajiv L Jha Company Secretary & Compliance Officer Membership No. F5948

Encl: as above

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## Annexure-1

| "Re        | "Regularly check in until the litigation is concluded or the dispute is resolved."   |  |  |
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| SI.<br>No. | Particulars  | Details  |  |
| 1.         | The details of any change in<br>the status and / or any<br>development in relation to<br>such proceedings;   | A Show Cause Notice (SCN) was received by<br>the Company from the Assam GST Department<br>on 28 <sup>th</sup> December 2023 for the Financial Year<br>2018-2019 mentioning disallowance of ITC for<br>an amount aggregating to INR 21.79 Lakhs plus<br>interest and penalty.   |  |
|            |  | To that, we responded to the notice along with<br>the supporting documents within the given time<br>limit. The Commissioner (State), Jorhat, Assam<br>GST Department reviewed our reply and issued<br>an Order dated 25 <sup>th</sup> April 2024. The demand<br>amount as per the said Order is Rs. 45,91,694/-<br>(comprising Tax: Rs.21,79,780/-, Interest:<br>Rs.21,84,318/- and Penalty: Rs.2,27,596/-). |  |
|            |  | This Order is open for further submissions<br>before the relevant authorities, and we are in the<br>process of responding within the stipulated time<br>as mentioned in the said Order.  |  |
|            | In the case of litigation against<br>key management personnel<br>or its promoter or ultimate<br>person in control, regularly<br>provide details of any change<br>in the status and / or any<br>development in relation to<br>such proceedings<br>in the event of settlement of | Not Applicable   |  |
|            | the proceedings, details of<br>such settlement including -<br>terms of the settlement,<br>compensation/ penalty paid (if<br>any) and impact of such<br>settlement on the financial<br>position of the listed entity.   |  |  |