## **DETERMINATION OF MATERIALITY OF EVENTS OR INFORMATION**

[Under Regulation 30 of SEBI (Listing Obligation and Disclosure Requirement) Regulations, 2015]

#### 1. PREFACE

The purpose of this document is to present a Policy of the Company regarding Policy for determination of materiality of events or information in accordance with Regulation 30 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

This policy shall come into effect from July 16, 2021.

#### 2. PURPOSE

The objective of this Policy is to serve as a guiding charter to the management to ensure that timely and adequate disclosure of events or information are made to the investor community by the Company under the Listing Regulations, to enable them to take well informed investment decisions with regard to the securities of the Company.

#### 3. LEGAL FRAMEWORK

This Policy for determination of materiality of events or information is aimed at providing guidelines to the management of the Company, to determine the materiality of events or information, which could affect investment decisions and ensure timely and adequate dissemination of information to the Stock Exchange(s). This Policy has been formulated in accordance with the current guidelines set out by SEBI under Regulation 30 of the Listing Regulations, with respect to disclosure of events and information.

## 4. DEFINATION

- "Act" means the Companies Act, 2013 (and the Rules) and the Companies Act, 1956 to the extent applicable.
- "Board of Directors" means the Board of Directors of the Company.
- "Key Managerial Personnel" means key managerial personnel as defined under sub-section (51) of section 2 of the Companies Act, 2013.
- "Listing Regulations" means the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended.
- "Policy" means this policy, as amended from time to time.
- "SEBI" means the Securities and Exchange Board of India.
- "Rules" means the rules made under the Companies Act, 2013.
- "Stock Exchange(s)" means BSE Limited and the National Stock Exchange of India Limited, where the equity shares of the Company will be listed.

#### 5. EVENTS WHICH ARE DEEMED MATERIAL

The Company shall disclose all such events which are specified in Para A of Part A of Schedule III of the Listing Regulations (as applicable from time to time) without any application of the guidelines for materiality as specified in sub-regulation (2) of Regulation 30 of the Listing Regulations.

#### 6. EVENTS WHICH ARE DEPENDENT ON APPLICATION OF GUIDELINES FOR MATERIALITY

The Company shall disclose all such material events pertaining to itself, specified in Para B of Part A of Schedule III of the Listing Regulations subject to application of guidelines for materiality.

#### **GUIDELINES FOR DETERMINING MATERIALITY OF EVENTS OR INFORMATION:**

Quantitative criteria would be calculated based on audited financial statements of the last audited financial year, and would mean event/ information where the value involved or the impact:

- (a) exceeds 2.5 per cent of the standalone turnover, or
- (b) exceeds 2 per cent of the standalone net worth; whichever is lower.

Qualitative criteria would mean an event/information:

- (a) the omission of an event or information, which is likely to result in discontinuity or alteration of event or information already available publicly; or
- (b) the omission of an event or information is likely to result in significant market reaction if the said omission came to light at a later date; or
- (c) any other event/information may be treated as being material if in the opinion of the Board of Directors of Company, the event / information is considered material.

#### 7. ANY OTHER EVENT/INFORMATION WHICH IS TO BE DISCLOSED BY THE COMPANY

The Company shall disclose major developments that are likely to affect business, e.g. emergence of new technologies, expiry of patents, any change of accounting policy that may have a significant impact on the accounts, etc. and brief details thereof and any other information which is exclusively known to the Company which may be necessary to enable the holders of securities of the Company to appraise its position and to avoid the establishment of a false market in such securities

## 8. GUIDELINES ON OCCURANCE OF EVENT/INFORMATION

The occurrence of material event/information would be either by the Company's own accord or not in the hands of the Company. It can be categorized as under:

- (a) depends upon the stage of discussion, negotiation or approval; and
- (b) in case of natural calamities, disruptions etc., it would depend upon the timing when the company became aware of the event/information.

In respect of the events under (a), the events/information can be said to have occurred upon receipt of approval of Board of Directors, e.g. further issue of capital by rights issuance and in certain events/information after receipt of approval of both i.e. Board of Directors and shareholders.

However, considering the price sensitivity involved, for certain events e.g. decision on declaration of dividends etc., disclosure shall be made on receipt of approval of the event by the Board of Directors, pending shareholder's approval.

In respect of the events under (b), the events/information can be said to have occurred when the Company becomes aware of the events/information, or as soon as, an officer of the entity has, or ought to have reasonably come into possession of the information in the course of the performance of his duties. The term 'officer' shall have the same meaning as defined under the Act and shall also include Promoter of the Company.

# 9. AUTHORISED PERSONS FOR THE PURPOSE OF DETERMINING MATERIALITY OF AN EVENT OR INFORMATION FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING DISCLOSURES TO STOCK EXCHANGES

The following authorised persons are hereby severally authorized by Board of Directors for the purpose of determining materiality of an event or information and for the purpose of making disclosures to Stock Exchange(s) ("Authorized Person(s)"):

- a. Mr. Vijay Ananth K;
- b. Mr. V Venkata Subramanian; and
- c. Ms. Manvi Bhasin.

The materiality of events outlined above are indicative in nature. There may be a likelihood of some unforeseen events emerging due to the prevailing business scenario from time to time. Hence, the relevant Authorized Person should exercise his/her own judgement while assessing the materiality of events associated with the Company. In case the relevant Authorized Person perceives any doubt regarding materiality he/she may consult Chairman and Managing Director or any other Director before disclosing the information to the Stock Exchange(s).

Names of above authorised persons shall also be displayed on Company's website.

#### **10. AMENDMENTS**

The Board may subject to the applicable laws amend any provision(s) or substitute any of the provision(s) with the new provision(s) or replace the Policy entirely with a new Policy. However, no such amendment or modification shall be inconsistent with the applicable provisions of any law for the time being in force.

## 11. SCOPE AND LIMITATION

In the event of any conflict between the provisions of this Policy and the Act or Listing Regulations or any other statutory enactments or rules, the provisions of Listing Regulations / Act or statutory enactments, rules shall prevail over this Policy and the part(s) so repugnant shall be deemed to severed from the Policy and the rest of the Policy shall remain in force.

# 12. DISSEMINATION OF POLICY

This Policy shall be hosted on the website of the Company.