

May 28, 2024

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<u>Sub</u>: Annual Secretarial Compliance Report obtained by Hindalco Industries Limited ('the Company') for the year ended March 31, 2024

Ref:

- a. Regulation 24A of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ('Listing Regulations') and
- b. ISIN: INE038A01020

Pursuant to the Listing Regulations, please find enclosed the Annual Secretarial Compliance Report of the Company issued by M/s Dilip Bharadiya & Associates, Practicing Company Secretaries for the year ended March 31, 2024.

This is for your information and records.

This will also be made available on the website of the Company www.hindalco.com

for Hindalco Industries Limited

Geetika Anand Company Secretary & Compliance Officer

Encl: a/a

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SECRETARIAL COMPLIANCE REPORT OF HINDALCO INDUSTRIES LIMITED FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH, 2024

To,
The Board of Directors,
HINDALCO INDUSTRIES LIMITED
21st Floor, One Unity Center,
Senapati Bapat Marg,
Prabhadevi, Mumbai 400013

We have conducted the Annual Secretarial Compliance Audit of HINDALCO INDUSTRIES LIMITED (hereinafter referred to as "the Company"/ "listed entity") in terms of compliance with Regulation 24A of Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

We have examined:

- (a) all the documents and records made available to us and explanation provided by the listed entity,
- (b) the filings/ submissions made by the listed entity with Securities and Exchange Board of India ("SEBI") and the Stock Exchanges,
- (c) content on the website of the listed entity,
- (d) other relevant document/ filings,

for the year ended 31st March 2024 ("Review Period") in respect of compliance with the provisions of:

- a. 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 SEBI;

The specific Regulations, whose provisions and the circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder, have been examined, include: -

- (a) SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015;
- (b) SEBI (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011;
- (c) SEBI (Share Based Employee Benefits and Sweat Equity) Regulations, 2021;
- (d) SEBI (Issue and Listing of Non-Convertible Securities) Regulations, 2021
- (e) SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015;
- (f) SEBI (Depositories and Participants) Regulation, 2018;
- (g) SEBI (Registrars to an Issue and Share Transfer Agents) Regulation, 1993 regarding the Act and dealing with the client.
- (h) SEBI (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018; (Not Applicable to the listed entity during the Review Period)
- (i) SEBI (Buyback of Securities) Regulations, 2018; (Not Applicable to the listed entity during the Review Period)

and circulars guidelines issued thereunder.

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And based on the above examination, we hereby report that, during the Review Period:

a) The listed entity has complied with the provisions of the above Regulations and circulars/guidelines issued thereunder except in respect of matters specified below:

Sr. No	Compliance Requirement(Regulations/circulars/guidelinesincludingspecific	Regul ation/ Circul ar No.	Deviati ons	Action Taken By	Type of Action	Details Of Violation	Fine Am ount	Observations / Remarks of the Practicing Company Secretary	Manag ement Respons e	Rem arks
	clause)				NA			,		

b) The listed entity has taken the following actions to comply with the observations made in previous reports:

Sr.	Compliance	Regul	Deviati	Action	Type	Details	Fine	Observations	Manag	Rem
No	Requiremen	ation/	ons	Taken	of	Of	Am	/	ement	arks
	t(Regulation	Circul		By	Action	Violation	ount	Remarks of	Respons	
	s/circulars/	ar No.						the	e	
	guidelines							Practicing		
	including							Company		
	specific							Secretary		
	clause)									
					NA					

We hereby report that, during the Review Period the compliance status of the listed entity 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 India (ICSI), as notified by the Central Government under section 118(10) of the Companies Act, 2013 and	Yes	Complied
ARA	mandatorily applicable.		l .

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2.	 Adoption and timely updation of the Policies: All applicable policies under SEBI Regulations are adopted with the approval of board of directors of the listed entities All the policies are in conformity with SEBI Regulations and have been reviewed & updated on time, as per the regulations/circulars/guidelines issued by SEBI 	Yes	Complied
3.	Maintenance and disclosures on Website: The Listed entity is maintaining a functional website Timely dissemination of the documents/ informationunder a separate section on the website Web-links provided in annual corporate governance reports under Regulation 27(2) are accurate and specific which redirects to the relevant document(s)/ section of the website	Yes	Complied
4.	Disqualification of Director: None of the Director(s) of the Company is / are disqualified under Section 164 of Companies Act, 2013 as confirmed by the listed entity.	Yes	Complied
5.	Details related to Subsidiaries of listed entities have been examined w.r.t.: (a) Identification of material subsidiary companies (b) Disclosure requirement of material as well as other subsidiaries	Yes	Complied
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 Documents and Archival policy prescribed under SEBI LODR	Yes	Complied

	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 year/during the financial year as prescribed in SEBI Regulations.	Yes	Complied
8.	Related Party Transactions: (a) The listed entity has obtained prior approval of Audit Committee for all related party 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.	Yes	Complied
9.	Disclosure of events or information: The listed entity has provided all the required disclosure(s) under Regulation 30 along with Schedule III of SEBI LODR Regulations, 2015 within the time limits prescribed thereunder.	Yes	Complied
10.	Prohibition of Insider Trading: The listed entity is in compliance with Regulation 3(5) & 3(6) SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015.	Yes	Complied
11.	Actions taken by SEBI or Stock Exchange(s), if any: No action(s) has been taken against the listed entity/its promoters/ directors/ subsidiaries either by SEBI or by Stock Exchanges (including under the Standard Operating Procedures issued by SEBI through various circulars) under SEBI Regulations and primal standard of the standard	NA	No such instance found during the review period

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	as provided underseparate paragraph herein (**).		
12.	Additional Non-compliances, if any: No additional non-compliance observed for any SEBI regulation/ circular/guidance note etc.	NA	No such additional non- compliance observed 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^{th} October, 2019:

Sr. No.	Particulars	Compliance Status (Yes/No/NA)	Observations /Remarks by PCS
1.	Compliances with the following conditions auditor	while appointing/	re-appointing an
	i. If the auditor has resigned within 45 days from the end of a quarter of a financial year, the auditorbefore such resignation, has issued the limited review/ audit report for such quarter; or	NA	None
*	ii. If the auditor has resigned after 45 days from theend of a quarter of a financial year, the auditor before such resignation, has issued the limited review/ audit report for such quarter as well as the next quarter; or		
	iii.If the auditor has signed the limited review/ audit report for the first three quarters of a financial year, the auditor before such resignation, has issued the limited review/ audit report for the last quarter of such financial year as well as the auditreport for such financial year.		
2.	Other conditions relating to resignation of s	tatutory auditor	2

 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 entity/material subsidiary such as non-availability ofinformation / non-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. 	NA	None
b. In case the auditor proposes to resign, all concerns with respect to the proposed resignation, along with relevant documentshas been brought to the notice of the Audit Committee. In cases where the proposed 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 not provided by the management, as applicable.	NA	None
 c. The Audit Committee / Board of Directors, as the case may be, deliberated on the matter on receipt of such information from the auditor relating to the proposal to resign as mentioned above and communicate itsviews to the management and the auditor. ii. Disclaimer in case of non-receipt of information: 		
	respect to the listed entity/its material subsidiary to the Audit Committee: a. In case of any concern with the management of the listed entity/material subsidiary such as non-availability ofinformation / non-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. b. In case the auditor proposes to resign, all concerns with respect to the proposed resignation, along with relevant documentshas been brought to the notice of the Audit Committee. In cases where the proposed 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 not provided by the management, as applicable. c. The Audit Committee / Board of Directors, as the case may be, deliberated on the matter on receipt of such information from the auditor relating to the proposal to resign as mentioned above and communicate itsviews to the management and the auditor. ii. Disclaimer in case of non-receipt of	respect to the listed entity/its material subsidiary to the Audit Committee: a. In case of any concern with the management of the listed entity/material subsidiary such as non-availability ofinformation / non-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. b. In case the auditor proposes to resign, all concerns with respect to the proposed resignation, along with relevant documentshas been brought to the notice of the Audit Committee. In cases where the proposed 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 not provided by the management, as applicable. c. The Audit Committee / Board of Directors, as the case may be, deliberated on the matter on receipt of such information from the auditor relating to the proposal to resign as mentioned above and communicate itsviews to the management and the auditor. ii. Disclaimer in case of non-receipt of

	The auditor has provided an appropriate disclaimer in its audit report, which is inaccordance with the Standards of Auditing as specified by ICAI / NFRA, in case where the listed entity/ its material subsidiary has not provided information as required by the auditor.		
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	None

Assumptions and Limitation of scope and review:

Compliance of the applicable laws and ensuring the authenticity of documents and information furnished are the responsibilities of the management of the Company. Our responsibility is to express an opinion based upon our examination of relevant documents and information. This is neither an audit nor an expression of opinion. We have not verified the correctness and appropriateness of financial records and books of accounts of the Company. This Report is neither an assurance as to the future viability of the Company nor of the efficacy or effectiveness with which the management has conducted the affairs of the Company.

For DILIP BHARADIYA & ASSOCIATES

DILIP BHARADIYA

Partner

FCS No.: 7956, CP No.: 6740 UDIN: F007956F000441048

Peer Review Number: 2268/2022

Place: Mumbai Date: May 24, 2024

