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Date: 13th May 2023

To. The Secretary **BSE** Limited Phiroze Jeejebhov Towers, Dalal Street, Mumbai - 400 001 Scrip Code No.526179

Sub: Outcome of Board Meeting held on 13th May, 2024

## Ref: Regulation 30, 33(3) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirement) Regulations, 2015

Dear Sir,

The Board of Directors in its meeting held today, decided, interalia as under:

- 1. The Board of Directors did not recommend payment of dividend for the financial year ended 31st March 2024.
- 2. The Board of Directors approved the Audited Financial Statement for the quarter & year ended 31st March 2024 which is attached herewith along with the Auditors Report thereon.

The meeting commenced at 11:00 a.m. and concluded at 04:30 p.m.

Kindly take the above on record.

Thanking you,

For Ludlow Jute & Specialities Limited

**Company Secretary** 

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### **Chartered Accountants**

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Independent Auditor's Report on Audited Annual Financial Results of Ludlow Jute & Specialities Limited pursuant to the Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (as amended)

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT
TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF LUDLOW JUTE & SPECIALITIES LIMITED
Report on the audit of the Annual Financial Results

#### Opinion

We have audited the accompanying annual financial results of **M/s. Ludlow Jute & Specialities Limited** (hereinafter referred to as the "Company") for the year ended March 31, 2024 (the "Statement"), and the Statement of Assets and Liabilities and the Statement of Cash Flows as at and for the year ended on that date, attached herewith, being submitted by the Company pursuant to the requirement of Regulation 33 of the 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 annual financial results:

- a) are presented in accordance with the requirements of Regulation 33 of the Listing Regulations in this regard; and
- b) 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 year ended March 31, 2024 and the Statement of Assets and Liabilities and Statement of Cash Flows as at and for the year ended on that date.

### **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 SAs are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Annual 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 statements under the provisions of the Act, and the Rules there under, 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 annual financial results.

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

These annual financial results have been prepared on the basis of the annual financial statements. The Company's Management and the Board of Directors are responsible for the preparation and presentation of these annual financial results that give a true and fair view of the net profit/loss and other comprehensive income and other financial information in accordance with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in Indian Accounting Standards prescribed under Section 133 of the Act and other accounting principles generally accepted in India and in compliance with Regulation 33 of the Listing Regulations. The Board of Directors are responsible for 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 the design,

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implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls, that were operating effectively for ensuring accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, relevant to the preparation and presentation of the annual financial results that give a true and fair view and are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, which have been used for the purpose of preparation of the annual financial results by the Directors of the Company, as aforesaid.

In preparing the annual 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 responsible for overseeing the Company's financial reporting process.

### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Annual Financial Results

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the annual 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 annual financial results.

As part of an audit in accordance with SAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- a) Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the annual 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.
- b) 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 through a separate report on the complete set of financial statements on whether the company has adequate internal financial controls with reference to financial statements in place and the operating effectiveness of such controls.
- c) 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.
- d) 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 appropriateness of this assumption. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the annual 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.
- e) Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the annual financial results, including the disclosures, and whether the annual financial results represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

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Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the Financial Results of the Company to express an opinion on the Financial Results,

Materiality is the magnitude of misstatements in the financial results that, individually or in aggregate, makes it probable that the economic decisions of a reasonably knowledgeable user of the standalone financials results may be influenced. We consider qualitative materiality and qualitative factors in (i) planning the scope of our audit work and in evaluating the results of our work; and (ii) to evaluate the effect of any identified misstatements in the financial results.

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

The figures for the quarter ended March 31, 2024 and the corresponding quarter ended in the previous year as reported in the Statement are the balancing figures between audited figures in respect of the full financial year ended on March 31, 2024/March 31, 2023 and the published year to date figures up to the end of the third quarter of the current and financial year respectively. Also, the figures up to the end of the third quarter had only been reviewed by us required under the Listing regulations and not subjected to audit.

The annual financial results dealt with by this report have been prepared for the express purpose of filing with stock exchanges. These results are based on the audited financial statements of the Company for the year ended March 31, 2024 on which we issued an unmodified opinion vide our report dated May 13, 2024.

For J K V S & CO Chartered Accountants

Firm Registration No.: 318086E

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Membership No.: 306932

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Place: Kolkata

Date: the 13th day of May, 2024

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## STATEMENT OF AUDITED FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR THE QUARTER AND YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH, 2024

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	Particulars	Standalone				
SI. No.		Quarter Ended (Unaudited)			Year Ended (Audited)	
		31.03.2024	31.12.2023	31.03.2023	31.03.2024	31.03.2023
1,7	Income					
	(a) Revenue from Operations	12,753	9,970	13,462	47,552	54,657
	(b) Other Income	14		3 4	66	
	Total Income	12,767	9,996	13,451	47,618	54,751
2.	Expenses					
	(a) Cost of Materials consumed	6,786		· ·	27,786	33,054
	(b) Changes in inventories of finished goods,	654	(676)	454	(102)	(561)
	work-in-progress and stock-in-trade					
	(c) Employees benefits expense	2,594	2,463	2,543	10,026	10,070
	(d) Finance Costs	274	221	171	989	739
	(e) Depreciation and amortisation expense	242	218	228	888	843
	(f) Other expenses	3,053	2,105	2,476	9,817	10,395
	Total Expenses	13,603	10,331	13,493	49,404	54,540
3.	Profit /(loss) before exceptional items and tax (1-2)	(836)	(335)	(42)	(1,786)	211
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	Exceptional Items Profit/(loss) before tax (3+4)	(920)	(225)	(42)	(1.700)	211
5. 6.		(836)	(335)	(42)	(1,786)	211
0.	Tax expense:					
	(a) Current tax		-	(46)	=	23
	(b) Deferred tax	(293)	(84)	55	(532)	55
	(c) Tax for earlier years	-	-	(1)		(1)
	Total tax expense	(293)	(84)	8	(532)	77
7.	Profit / (loss) for the period (5-6)	(543)	(251)	(50)	(1,254)	134
8.	Other Comprehensive Income (OCI)					
	(a) Items that will not be reclassfied subsequently to profit or loss	46	58	94	220	212
	(Net of Tax)					
	(b) Items that will be reclassfied subsequently to profit or loss  Total Other Comprehensive Income (net of tax)	46	58	94	220	212
9.	Total Comprehensive Income for the period (Net of Tax)	(497)	(193)	44	(1,034)	346
10.	Paid-up Equity Share Capital (Face value per share ₹ 10/-)	1,080	1,080	1,080	1,080	1,080
11.	Other Equity			4	15,435	16,630
12.	Earnings per equity share (of ₹ 10/- each) (₹) (not annualised)					
	(a) Basic	(5.03)	(2.32)	(0.46)	(11.61)	1.24
	(b) Diluted	(5.03)	(2.32)	(0.46)	(11.61)	

For LUDLOW JUTE & SPECIALITIES LTD.

ASHISH CHANDRAKANT AGRAWAL

## **Audited Statement of Assets and Liabilities**

		As at	Standalone	
SI.	Particulars		As at	
No.		31.03.2024		
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A. ASSETS				
Non-Current Assets				
a) Property, Plant and Equipm	ent	18,931	17,9	
b) Capital Work-in-Progress		287	1,2	
c) Right to Use Assets		31		
d) Other Intangible Assets		3		
e) Financial Assets				
i) Investments		15		
ii) Other Financial Asse	ts	29		
e) Deferred TaxAssets		175		
f) Other Non-Current Assets		90	É	
h) Non-Current Tax Assets		67		
Total Non-Current Assets		19,628	19,	
Current Assets				
a) Inventories		12,405	13,	
b) Financial assets				
<ol> <li>Trade receivable</li> </ol>		3,409	2,	
ii) Cash and Cash equiva	lents	41		
iii) Bank Balances (other	than (ii) above)	44		
iv) Other Financial Assets		249		
c) Other Current Assets		774		
Total Current Assets		16,922	17,	
TOTAL ASSETS		36,550	36,	
<b>EQUITY AND LIABILITIES</b>			3.83	
Equity				
a) Equity Share capital		1,080	1,	
b) Other Equity		15,435	16,	
Total Equity		16,515	17,	
LIABILITIES		10,515	,	
Non-Current Liabilities				
a) Financial Liabilities				
i) Borrowings		1,598	- 20	
ii) Lease Liabilities		1,390	3,	
		205		
b) Long Term Provisions		295		
c) Deferred Tax Liabilities (Ne				
d) Other Non-Current Liabilitie	S	85		
Total Non-Current Liabilities		1,978	3,	
Current Liabilities				
a) Financial Liabilities		10.004		
i) Borrowings		10,384	8,	
ii) Lease Liabilities		33		
iii) Trade payables				
	micro enterprises and small enterprises	1		
	creditors other than micro enterprises and small enterprises	6,051	4,	
iv) Other Financial Liabili	ies	993		
b) Other Current Liabilities		439	:	
c) Provisions		156		
d) Current Tax Liabilities (Net)				
Total Current Liabilities		18,057	15,	
TOTAL LIABILITIES		20,035	19,	
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABI	ITIES	36,550	36,	



For LUDLOW JUTE & SPECIALITIES LTD.

ASHISH CHANDRAKANT AGRAWAL Managing Director

### Notes:

- The audited financial results of the Company were reviewed by the Audit Committee and approved at the meeting of the Board of Directors held on 13th May, 2024.
- The Company is engaged in single segment product i.e.manufacturing and sale of Jute Goods, therefore, Ind As 108 regarding 'Segment reporting' stands complied.
- The figures for the quarter ended 31st March 2024 and 31st March 2023 are the balancing figures between audited figures in respect of the full financial year ended 31st March 2024 and 31st March 2023 and the published year to date figures up to the third quarter ended 31st December 2023 and 31st December 2022 respectively.
- 4 Previous period's figures have been regrouped/rearranged wherever considered necessary to conform to the current period's classification.

For LUDLOW JUTE & SPECIALITIES LTD.

For and on behalf of the Board

Ashish Chandrakant Agrawal **Managing Director** DIN 10198821

Date: 13th May 2024

Place: Kolkata



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Cash Flow Statement for the Year ended March 31, 2024

Particulars	For the year ended 31-March-24 (Audited)	For the year ended 31-March-23 (Audited)	
Cash Flow From Operating Activities			
Net Profit Before Taxes as per Statement of Profit and Loss	-1,786	21	
Adjustments For :			
Depreciation / Amortisation (Net)	888	84	
Finance Cost	989	73	
(Profit)/Loss on Disposal of Property, Plant & Equipment	-1		
Interest Income	-2		
Income on Government Grant	-34	-3	
Net (gain)/loss on fair value changes on equity instrument	-5		
Dividend received on non current investments	-0		
Excess Liability Written Back	,		
Operating Profit Before Working Capital Changes	49	1,73	
Movements in Working Capital:			
Decrease / (Increase) in Inventories	850	-3,43	
Decrease / (Increase) in Trade receivables	-966	1,16	
Decrease / (Increase) in Other receivables and prepayments	565	41	
(Decrease)/Increase in Trade and Other payable	1,434	1,1:	
(Decrease) / Increase in provisions	-25	2	
Cash generated from Operating Activities	1,907	1,30	
Direct Taxes paid ( net of refunds)	-13	-9	
Net Cash generated/(used) from Operating Activities	1,894	1,21	
Cash Flow From Investing Activities			
Purchase of PPE including CWIP and Capital Advances	-835	-2,52	
Grant / Subsidy Received			
Amount deposited as margin money / security	25	4	
Proceeds from Sale of Property, Plant & Equipment			
Interest Received	2		
Dividend Received	0		
Net Cash generated/(used) in Investing Activities	-808	(2,46)	
Cash Flow From Financing Activities			
(Repayment) from Long term borrowings	-1,443	1,29	
Proceeds / (Repayment)from short term borrowings (Net)	1,392	1,02	
Dividend Paid	-166	(213	
Interest paid	-989	(73)	
Changes in Lease Liabilities	4	.(3:	
Net Cash generated/(used) from Financing Activities	-1,210	1,33	
Net Increase / (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents (A+B+C)	-124	90	
Cash and Cash Equivalents as at the beginning of the year	165	7:	
Cash and Cash Equivalents as at the end of the year	41	165	
Particulars	For the year ended 31-March-24	For the year ended 31-March-23	

Particulars	For the year ended 31-March-24	For the year ended 31-March-23	
1 Components of cash and cash equivalents Balance with Banks:			
In Current Accounts	37	155	
Cash on hand	4	10	
Cash and Cash Equivalents	41	165	



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Date: 13th May 2024

To, The Secretary BSE Limited Phiroze Jeejebhoy Towers, Dalal Street, Mumbai - 400 001 Scrip Code No.526179

Dear Sir.

Sub: Declaration pursuant to Regulation 33(3)(d) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 in respect of Audit Report with unmodified opinion(s) for the financial year ended 31st March, 2024

Pursuant to Regulation 33(3)(d) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 we hereby declare that with regards to the Audited Financial Results of the Company for the financial year ended 31st March. 2024 which have been approved by the Board of Directors of the Company at the meeting held today, the Statutory Auditors have not expressed any modified opinion(s) in their Audit Report.

This is for your record.

Thanking you,

Yours's Sincerely,

For Ludlow Jute & Specialities Limited

Rajesh Kumar Gupta **Chief Financial Officer** 

