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Dear Sir,

Sub: Secretarial Compliance Report – F.Y. 2023-24

With reference to the captioned subject, please find enclosed herewith the Secretarial Compliance Report for the F.Y. 2023-24, under Regulation 24A of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

You are requested to take the same on records.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully, For Sarda Energy & Minerals Ltd.

Company Secretary

Encl: As above



## SECRETARIAL COMPLIANCE REPORT OF M/S SARDA ENERGY & MINERALS LIMITED FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2024

TO,

M/S SARDA ENERGY & MINERALS LIMITED, CIN: L27100MH1973PLC016617 73-A, CENTRAL AVENUE, NAGPUR- 440018 (MH)

I, Kamlesh Ojha, Partner of M/s S.G. Kankani & Associates, Company Secretaries, Raipur (Chhattisgarh), have conducted the review of the compliance of the applicable statutory provisions and the adherence to good corporate practices by **M/s Sarda Energy & Minerals Limited** (hereinafter referred as 'the listed entity'), having its Registered Office at 73-A, Central Avenue, Nagpur- 440018 (MH). Secretarial Review was conducted in a manner that provided us a reasonable basis for evaluating the corporate conducts/statutory compliances and to provide my observations thereon.

Based on my verification of the listed entity's books, papers, minutes books, forms and returns filed and other records maintained by the listed entity and also the information provided by the listed entity, its officers, agents and authorized representatives during the conduct of Secretarial Review, we hereby report that the listed entity has, during the review period covering the financial year ended on 31st March, 2024 complied with the statutory provisions listed hereunder in the manner and subject to the reporting made hereinafter:

#### I have examined:

- a) all the documents and records made available to us and explanation provided by M/s Sarda Energy & Minerals Limited (hereinafter referred to as "the listed entity"),
- b) the filings/submissions made by the listed entity to the stock exchanges,
- c) website of the listed entity,
- d) any other document/filing, as may be relevant, which has been relied upon to make this report,

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
- (b) the Securities Contracts (Regulation) Act, 1956 ("SCRA"), rules made thereunder and the Regulations, circulars, guidelines issued thereunder by the Securities and Exchange Board of India ("SEBI");

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

- a) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015;
- b) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018; (Not Applicable to the listed entity during the Review Period)

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- c) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011;
- d) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Buyback of Securities) Regulations, 2018; (Not Applicable to the listed entity during the Review Period)
- e) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Share Based Employee Benefits and Sweat Equity) Regulations, 2021; (Not Applicable to the listed entity during the Review Period)
- f) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Non-Convertible Securities) Regulations, 2021; (Not Applicable to the listed entity during the Review Period)
- g) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015;
- h) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Depositories and Participant) Regulation 2018;

and circulars/guidelines issued thereunder and based on the above examination, I 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/ guidelines including specific clause)	Regula -tion/ Circula r No.	Devi at- ions	Actio n Take n by	Type of Actio n	Details of Violati on	Fine Amo unt	Our Observ at- ions/ Remar ks	Manage -ment Respons e	Remar ks
NA										

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

Sr. No	Observations/ Remarks Of the Practicing Company Secretary in the previous reports) (PCS)	Observations made in the secretarial compliance report for the year ended 2023	Compliance Requirement (Regulations / circulars/ guidelines including specific clause)	Details of violation / deviations and actions taken / penalty imposed, if any, on the listed entity	Remedial actions, if any, taken by the listed entity	Comments of the PCS on the actions taken by the listed entity	
NA							



**I.** I hereby report that, during the review period the compliance status of the listed entity with the following requirements:

Sr. No.	Particulars	Compliance Status (Yes/No/NA)	Our Observations/ Remarks
	Secretarial Standards:		
1.	The compliances of the listed entity are in accordance with the applicable Secretarial Standards (SS) issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India (ICSI).	Yes	None
	Adoption and timely updation of the Policies:		
2.	<ul> <li>All applicable policies under SEBI Regulations are adopted with the approval of board of directors of the listed entities.</li> <li>All the policies are in conformity with SEBI Regulations and have been reviewed &amp; updated on time, as per the regulations/circulars/guidelines issued by SEBI.</li> </ul>	Yes	None
	Maintenance and disclosures on Website:		
3.	<ul> <li>The Listed entity is maintaining a functional website.</li> <li>Timely dissemination of the documents/ information under a separate section on the website.</li> <li>Web-links provided in annual corporate governance reports under Regulation 27(2) are accurate and specific which re-directs to the relevant document(s)/ section of the website.</li> </ul>	Yes	None
	Disqualification of Director:		
4.	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	None
	Details related to Subsidiaries of listed entities		
5.	have been examined w.r.t.:  (a) Identification of material subsidiary companies (b) Disclosure requirement of material as well as other subsidiaries	Yes	None
	Preservation of Documents:		
6.	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	Yes	None

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	SEBI LODR 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	None	
	Related Party Transactions:  (a) The listed entity has obtained prior approval of Audit Committee for all related party transactions; or	Yes	The Company has obtained prior	
8.	(b) In case no prior approval has been obtained, the listed entity has provided detailed reasons along with confirmation whether the transactions were subsequently approved/ ratified/rejected by the audit Committee.	NA	approval of the audit committee for all related party transactions.	
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	None	
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	None	
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 circulars/ guidelines issued there under (or)  The actions taken against the listed entity/ its promoters/ directors/subsidiaries either by SEBI or by Stock Exchanges are specified in the last column.	Yes	None	



12.	Resignation of Statutory auditors from the listed entity or its material subsidiaries:  In case of resignation of statutory auditor from the listed entity or any of its material subsidiaries during the financial year, the listed entity and / or its material subsidiary(ies) has /have complied with paragraph 6.1 and 6.2 of section V-D of chapter V of the Master Circular on compliance with the provisions of the LODR Regulations by listed entities.	NA	There was no resignation of statutory auditors from the listed entity or its material subsidiaries during the financial year under review.
13.	Additional Non-compliances, if any:  No additional non-compliance observed for any SEBI regulation/circular/guidance note etc.	Yes	None

#### Assumptions & Limitation of scope and Review:

- 1. Compliance of the applicable laws and ensuring the authenticity of documents and information furnished, are the responsibilities of the management of the listed entity.
- 2. Our responsibility is to report based upon our examination of relevant documents and information. This is neither an audit nor an expression of opinion.
- 3. We have not verified the correctness and appropriateness of financial Records and Books of Accounts of the listed entity.
- 4. This Report is solely for the intended purpose of compliance in terms of Regulation 24A (2) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and is neither an assurance as to the future viability of the listed entity nor of the efficacy or effectiveness with which the management has conducted the affairs of the listed entity.

PLACE: RAIPUR (C.G.) DATE: 28.05.2024 FOR, S.G. KANKANI & ASSOCIATES COMPANY SECRETARIES FRN: P1998CG012600 PR: 1396/2021

(CS KAMLESH OJHA)
PARTNER
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