SIKKO INDUSTRIES LIMITED

CIN: L51909GJ2000PLC037329

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Date: May 27, 2023

To, Listing Compliance Department

National Stock Exchange of India Limited

Exchange Plaza, Bandra Kurla Complex Bandra East, Mumbai - 400051.

Dear Sir,

Sub: Submission of Annual Secretarial Compliance Report for the year ended March 31, 2023.

Ref: SIKKO INDUSTRIES LIMITED (SYMBOL: SIKKO)

Pursuant to SEBI Circular CIR/CFD/CMD1/27/2019 dated February 8, 2019, we are submitting herewith Annual Secretarial Compliance Report of the Company for the year ended March 31, 2023, issued by CS Anand Lavingia, Practicing Company Secretary.

Kindly take the same on your record and disseminate the same on your website and oblige us.

Thanking You,

Yours faithfully,

For, Sikko Industires Limited

Jayantibhai Kumbhani Managing Director DIN: 00587807

Place: Ratlam



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SECRETARIAL COMPLIANCE REPORT OF SIKKO INDUSTRIES LIMITED

FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2023

I, Anand Sureshbhai Lavingia, have conducted the review of the compliance of the applicable statutory provisions and the adherence to good corporate practices by Sikko Industries Limited (hereinafter referred as 'the listed entity' or 'the Company'), having its Registered Office at 508, Iscon Elegance, Nr. Jain Temple, Nr. Prahladnagar Pick up Stand, Vejalpur, Ahmedabad – 380 051. Secretarial Review was conducted in a manner that provided me 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, I hereby report that the listed entity has, during the review period covering the financial year ended on March 31, 2023 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 me and explanation provided by Sikko Industries Limited ("the listed entity" or "the Company"),
- (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 March 31, 2023 ("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) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015;
- (b) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018;
- (c) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011;
- (d) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Buyback of Securities) Regulations, 2018;
- (e) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Share Based Employee Benefits and Sweat Equity Regulations, 2021;
- (f) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Non-Convertible Regulations, 2021;

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- (g) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015;
- (h) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Depositories and Participants) Regulations, 2018; and circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder;

and based on the above examination, I hereby report that, during the Review Period:

I. (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.	1		
Compliance Requirement (Regulations / circulars /guidelines including specific clause)	An issuer, announcing a bonus issue requiring the shareholders' approval for capitalisation of profits or reserves for making the bonus issue, the bonus issue shall be implemented within two months from the date of the meeting of its board of directors wherein the decision to announce the bonus issue was taken subject to shareholders' approval.		
	For the purpose of a bonus issue to be considered as 'implemented' the date of commencement of trading shall be considered.		
Regulation / Circular No.	Regulation 295 of SEBI (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018.		
Deviations The Board of Directors of the Company had announced the Bonus September 9, 2022. Since, the Bonus Issue was required to be approve Shareholders of the Company, the Company should have completed the Issue by November 8, 2022 i.e. Trading Approval must have been issued date. However, the Trading Approval was issued on November 1 Accordingly, there was delay of three days for completions of Bonus Issued Company.			
Action Taken by National Stock Exchange of India Limited			
Type of Action	Penalty		
Details of Violation The Board of Directors of the Company had announced the Bonus September 9, 2022. Since, the Bonus Issue was required to be approximately Shareholders of the Company, the Company should have completed Issue by November 8, 2022 i.e. Trading Approval must have been issued ate. However, the Trading Approval was issued on November Accordingly, there was delay of three days for completions of Bonus thereby violating Regulation 295 of SEBI (Issue of Capital and Requirements) Regulations, 2018.			
Fine Amount	Rupees 70,800/- (including GST)		
Observations / Remarks of the Practicing The Board of Directors of the Company had announced the Bonus September 9, 2022. Since, the Bonus Issue was required to be approved by			



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Company Secretary	Shareholders of the Company, the Company should have completed the Bonus Issue by November 8, 2022 i.e. Trading Approval must have been issued by that date. However, the Trading Approval was issued on November 11, 2022. Accordingly, there was delay of three days for completions of Bonus Issue and thereby violating Regulation 295 of SEBI (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018.		
Management Response	The delay in Trading Approval occurred due to improper communication between the RTA and NSE regarding DNR for Corporate Action. Management is taking due care for such instances and ensures that no such miscommunication happens in future.		
Remarks	N.A.		

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

Sr. No.	N.A.
Compliance Requirement (Regulations / circulars / guidelines including specific clause)	N.A.
Regulation / Circular No.	N.A.
Deviations	N.A.
Action Taken by	N.A.
Type of Action	N.A.
Details of Violation	N.A.
Fine Amount	N.A.
Observations / Remarks of the Practicing Company Secretary	N.A.
Management Response	N.A.
Remarks	N.A.

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II. Compliances related to resignation of statutory auditors from listed entities and their material subsidiaries as per SEBI Circular CIR/CFD/CMD1/114/2019 dated 18th October, 2019:

Sr. No.	Particulars	Compliance Status (Yes/No/NA)	Observations / Remarks by PCS*
2.	Compliances with the following conditions while appointing/re-appointing an auditor	As under	
	 If the auditor has resigned within 45 days from the end of a quarter of a financial year, the auditor before such resignation, has issued the limited review/ audit report for such quarter; or 	NA	No such instances took place.
	ii. If the auditor has resigned after 45 days from the end 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	NA	No such instances took place.
	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 audit report for such financial year.	NA	No such instances took place.
	Other conditions relating to resignation of statutory auditor		
	Reporting of concerns by Auditor with respect to the listed entity/its material subsidiary to the Audit Committee:	As under	
	a. In case of any concern with the management of the listed entity/material subsidiary such as non-availability of information / noncooperation 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.		No such instances took place.
	b. In case the auditor proposes to resign, all concerns with respect to the proposed resignation, along with relevant documents		No such instances took place.

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Sr. No.	Particulars	Compliance Status (Yes/No/NA)	Observations / Remarks by PCS*
	has 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 its views to the management and the auditor.	NA	No such instances took place.
	ii. Disclaimer in case of non-receipt of information: The auditor has provided an appropriate disclaimer in its audit report, which is in accordance 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.		No such instances took place.
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.		No such instances took place

III. I 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:	Yes	Nil
	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 mandatorily applicable.		AHMEDABAD OF THE PROPERTY OF T



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Sr. No.	Particulars	Compliance Status (Yes/No/NA)	Observations / Remarks by PCS
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 	Yes	Nil
	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	Nil
3.	Maintenance and disclosures on Website:		
	The Listed entity is maintaining a functional website	Yes	Nil
	Timely dissemination of the documents/ information under a separate section on the website	Yes	Nil
	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	Yes	Nil
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	We have relied on the Declarations submitted by each of the Directors regarding non-disqualification under Section 164 of the Companies Act, 2013.
5.	Details related to Subsidiaries of listed entities have been examined w.r.t.:		
	(a) Identification of material subsidiary companies	NA	The Company does not have any Material Subsidiary.
	(b) Disclosure requirement of material as well as other subsidiaries	NA	The Company does not have any other Subsidiary

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Sr. No.	Particulars	Compliance Status (Yes/No/NA)	Observations / Remarks by PCS
6.	Preservation of Documents: The listed entity is preserving and maintaining	Yes	Nil
	records as prescribed under SEBI Regulations and disposal of records as per Policy of Preservation of Documents and Archival policy prescribed under SEBI LODR Regulations, 2015.		
7.	Performance Evaluation:	Yes	Nil
	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.		
8.	Related Party Transactions:		ì
	(a) The listed entity has obtained prior approval of Audit Committee for all related party transactions; or	Yes	Nil
	(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.	NA	The Company has obtained prior approval of 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.		Nil
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	Nil
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		As informed to us, no action(s) has been taker against the listed entire promoters/



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Sr. No.	Particulars	Compliance Status (Yes/No/NA)	Observations / Remarks by PCS
	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 thereunder except as provided underseparate paragraph herein.		subsidiaries either by SEBI or by Stock Exchanges etc.
12.	Additional Non-compliances, if any: No additional non-compliance observed for any SEBI regulation / circular / guidance note etc.	Yes	No additional non- compliance observed for any SEBI regulation / circular / guidance note etc.
13.	Compliance with the requirement of SDD by the listed entities	Yes	The Company has complied with the maintenance of SDD.

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.

Date: 27-05-2023 Place: Ahmedabad ANAND SURESHBHAI LAVINGIA
PRACTICING COMPANY SECRETARY

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