

SEFL/SECT/NB/23-24/40 September 19, 2023

The Secretary BSE Limited Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers Dalal Street Mumbai – 400 001 The Secretary National Stock Exchange of India Limited Exchange Plaza, 5th Floor, Plot no. C/1, G Block Bandra - Kurla Complex Bandra (E), Mumbai – 400 051

Sub: <u>Intimation under Regulation 51 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India</u> (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015

Dear Sir/Madam,

- 1. With reference to the above, this disclosure is being made pursuant to Part B of Schedule III under Regulation 51(2) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 issued by the Securities and Exchange Board of India. This is in furtherance to our earlier intimation to the stock exchanges dated October 21, 2022.
- 2. As intimated earlier, the Administrator of Srei Equipment Finance Limited ("the Company"), appointed under the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016 ("the Code"), to carry out the duties under Code, obtained assistance from a reputed professional agency, BDO India LLP ("BDO" or "Transaction Auditor") to conduct investigation of the affairs of the Company in respect of transactions qualified under sections 43 to 51, and sections 65 and 66 of the Code.
- 3. Accordingly, the Administrator of the Company received a report from the Transaction Auditor, indicating that there are certain transactions which are fraudulent in nature, as per Section 66 of the Code. Basis the investigation and observations of the Transaction Auditor, the Administrator has filed an application in respect of disbursements made to Royal Infrasoft Private Limited ("**Royal Infra**") before the Kolkata bench of the National Company Law Tribunal ("**NCLT**") under Section 60(5) and Section 66 of the Code on September 2, 2022 against Royal Infra, Mr. Hemant Kanoria, and Mr. Sunil Kanoria ("**Application**"). It is to be noted that this is a filing based on the report submitted by the Transaction Auditor and further filings may be undertaken, in due course.

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4. In relation to the above, it is hereby informed that an inadvertent error was noticed in the amounts mentioned in the intimation dated October 21, 2022. Please refer to **Annexure A** below with the revised details.

Kindly take the above on record and acknowledge receipt.

Yours sincerely, For **Srei Equipment Finance Limited**

Sumit Kumar Surana Company Secretary ACS: 19243

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ANNEXURE A

- (a) **Nature of the fraud:** The Application *inter alia* impugns certain loan disbursements made to Royal Infra by the Company under the erstwhile management, which is subject to adjudication by the NCLT.
- (b) **Estimated impact on the listed entity**: As per the transaction auditor report shared with the Administrator, the monetary impact of the above transactions covered under the Application amounts to:
 - (i) INR 69.40 Crores, being the gross outstanding amount including principal and interest recoverable from the customer, as on September 30, 2021, on account of the suspect disbursement of loans.
 - (ii) INR 2.31 Crores being amount in respect of the interest accrued arising from the loan transactions.

Thus, the total impact of the transaction (excluding interest payment calculations) amounts to approximately INR 69.40 Crores.

- (c) **Time of occurrence**: As per the report prepared by the transaction auditor, the concerned transactions occurred during Financial Year 2018—2019 to 2020 -2021.
- (d) **Person(s) involved**: The Application has been filed against Royal Infra, Mr. Hemant Kanoria, and Mr. Sunil Kanoria and the same is subject to adjudication by the NCLT.
- (e) **Estimate amount involved**: The preliminary estimation included in the Application places the monetary impact of the concerned transactions at approximately (i) INR 69.40 Crores, on account of the gross outstanding amount including both principal and interest recoverable from the customer, as on September 30, 2021; and (ii) INR 2.31 Crores being the interest accrued arising from the loan transactions, subject to the adjudication by the NCLT.
- (f) **Reporting to authorities**: The Application has been filed before the NCLT under Section 60(5) and Section 66 of the Code on September 2, 2022. All relevant details regarding these proceedings have been included in the application filed before the National Company Law Tribunal, Kolkata and is presently pending consideration.