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## PRACTICING COMPANY SECRETARY

#### FORM No. MR-3



#### SECRETARIAL AUDIT REPORT

## FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 2015

(Pursuant to Section 204 (1) of the Companies Act, 2013 and rule No.9 of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014)

To, The Members, P K Leasing & Finance Limited P-36, India Exchange Place Kolkata-700001

I have conducted the secretarial audit of the compliance of applicable statutory provisions and the adherence to good corporate practices by P K Leasing & Finance Limited (hereinafter called the Company). Secretarial Audit was conducted in a manner that provided us a reasonable basis for evaluating the corporate conducts / statutory compliances and expressing our opinion thereon.

Based on our verification of the P K Leasing & Finance Limited's books, papers, minute books, forms and returns filed and other records maintained by the company and also the information provided by the company, its officers, agents and authorised representatives during the conduct of secretarial audit and as per the explanations given to us and the representations made by the Management, I hereby report that in our opinion, the Company has, during the audit period covering the financial year ended on 31st March, 2015 generally complied with the statutory provisions listed hereunder and also that the Company has proper Board processes and compliance mechanism in place to the extent, in the manner and subject to the reporting made hereinafter:

I have examined the books, papers, minute books, forms and returns filed and other records made available to us and maintained by P K Leasing & Finance Limited for the financial year ended on 31st March, 2015 according to the applicable provisions of:

- i. The Companies Act, 1956 and the Companies Act, 2013 ('the Act') and the rules made there under, as applicable;
- ii. The Securities Contract (Regulation) Act, 1956 ('SCRA') and the rules made there under;
- Iii. The Depositories Act, 1996 and the Regulations and Bye-laws framed there under:
- Iv. Foreign Exchange Management Act, 1999 and the rules and regulations made there under (Not Applicable to the Company during the Audit Period);
- v. The following Regulations and Guidelines prescribed under the Securities and Exchange Board of India Act, 1992 ('SEBI Act'):
- a. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Takeovers) Regulations, 2011;
- b. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) 1992;

- c. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2009; (Not Applicable to the Company during the Audit Period); and
- d. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Employee Stock Option Scheme and Employee Stock Purchase Scheme) Guidelines, 1999; (Not Applicable to the Company during the Audit Period); and
- e. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Debt Securities) Regulations, 2008. (Not Applicable to the Company during the Audit Period);
- f. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Registrars to an Issue and Share Transfer Agents)Regulations, 1993 regarding the Companies Act and dealing with client;
- g. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Delisting of Equity Shares) Regulations, 2009; (Not Applicable to the Company during the Audit Period); and
- h. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Buyback of Securities) Regulations, 1998; (Not Applicable to the Company during the Audit Period);
- VI. Other laws applicable specifically to the Company namely:
  - a) The Reserve bank Of India Act 1934
  - b) Non Banking Financial companies Acceptance of public deposits (Reserve bank) Directions, 1998
  - c) Non Banking financial Companies Auditor's Report (Reserve Bank) Directions, 2008
  - d) Guidelines on corporate Governance issued by Reserve bank of India for NBFC

I have also examined compliance with the applicable clauses of the Listing Agreements entered into by the Company entered into with CSE Limited, Metropolitan Stock Exchange of India Limited; and I have not examined compliance by the Company with

- a. the Secretarial Standards issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India as they had not been notified by the Central Government up to March 31, 2015.
- b. Applicable financial laws, like direct and indirect tax laws, since the same have been subject to review by statutory financial audit and other designated professionals.

During the period under review, the Company has complied with the provisions of the Act, Rules, Regulations, Guidelines, etc. mentioned above.

# I further report that:

The Board of Directors of the Company is duly constituted with proper balance of Executive Directors, Non-Executive Directors and Independent Directors. The changes in the composition of the Board of Directors that took place during the period under review is carried out in compliance with the provisions of the Act. But board failed to comply with Mandatory requirement of Appointment of Company Secretary in Whole time employment as per Section 203 of Companies Act 2013 read with Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, which is a violation of the said section. Also the company is not paying any sitting fees to its directors for attending the meeting of the boards.

Adequate notice was given to all Directors at least seven days in advance to schedule the Board Meetings. Agenda and detailed notes on agenda are sent in advance, and a system exists for seeking and obtaining further information and clarifications on the agenda items before the meeting and for meaningful participation at the meeting.

Decisions at the Board Meetings, as represented by the management, are taken unanimously.

I further report that as per the explanations given to us and the representations made by the Management and relied upon by us there are adequate systems and processes in the Company commensurate with the size and operations of the Company to monitor and ensure compliance with applicable laws, rules, regulations and guidelines.

I further report that during the audit period, there were no instances of:

- (i) Public/Rights/Preferential issue of shares/debentures/sweat equity.
- (ii) Redemption/buy-back of Securities.
- (iii) Merger/amalgamation/reconstruction etc.
- (iv) Foreign technical collaboration.



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This Report is to be read with our letter of even date which is annexed as Annexure 'A' and forms an integral part of this report.

# ANNEXURE 'A' to Secretarial Audit Report

To,
The Members,
P K Leasing & Finance Limited
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P-36, India Exchange Place
Kolkata-700001

Our report of even date is to be read along with this letter.

- 1. Maintenance of Secretarial record is the responsibility of the management of the Company. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these secretarial records based on our audit.
- 2. I have followed the audit practices and process as were appropriate to obtain reasonable assurance about the correctness of the contents of the Secretarial records. The verification was done on test basis to ensure that correct facts are reflected in Secretarial records. I believe that the process and practices, I followed provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.
- 3. I have not verified the correctness and appropriateness of financial records and Books of Accounts of the Company.
- 4. Where ever required, I have obtained the Management representation about the Compliance of laws, rules and regulations and happening of events etc.
- 5. The Compliance of the provisions of Corporate and other applicable laws, rules, regulations, standards is the responsibility of management. Our examination was limited to the verification of procedure on test basis.

6. The Secretarial Audit 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.

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August 28, 2015