

## PARAS DEFENCE & SPACE TECHNOLOGIES LIMITED

#### Corporate & Registered Office :

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May 29, 2023

**BSE Limited** Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers, Dalal Street, Fort, Mumbai – 400 001 National Stock Exchange of India Limited Exchange Plaza, Plot C/1, G Block, Bandra – Kurla Complex, Bandra – (East), Mumbai – 400 051

Scrip Code: 543367

Trading Symbol: PARAS

Dear Sirs,

#### Sub.: Annual Secretarial Compliance Report for the financial year ended March 31, 2023 as per Regulation 24A of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("Listing Regulations")

Pursuant to the Regulation 24(A) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, please find enclosed the Annual Secretarial Compliance Report for the financial year ended March 31, 2023 duly issued by M/s. DM & Associates Company Secretaries LLP, Mumbai.

Kindly take the same on record.

Thanking you,

For Paras Defence and Space Technologies Limited

Hemalkumar Hiranbhai Sagalia Company Secretary & Compliance Officer

Encl.: as above

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#### Pursuant to Regulation 24A of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015

Secretarial Compliance report of PARAS DEFENCE AND SPACE TECHNOLOGIES LIMITED for the year ended MARCH 31, 2023

We have examined:

- (a) all the documents and records made available to us and explanation provided by PARAS DEFENCE AND SPACE TECHNOLOGIES LIMITED ("the company / 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 certification,

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 there under, 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;
- (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**;
- (e) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Share Based Employee Benefits and Sweat Equity) Regulations, 2021;
- (f) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Non-Convertible Securities) Regulations, 2021 **Not Applicable**;
- (g) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015;
- (h) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Depositories and Participants) Regulations, 2018;

and circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder;

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

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(a) The listed entity has complied with the provisions of the above Regulations and circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder.

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(b) The listed entity has taken the following actions to comply with the observations made in previous reports: There was no observation made in previous reports

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**We further report that** during the review period, there was no event of appointment / re-appointment / resignation of statutory auditor of the Company and the Company has complied with Para 6(A) and 6(B) of CIR/CFD/CMD1/114/2019 dated 18<sup>th</sup> October, 2019:

Sr. No.	Particulars	Compliance Status (Yes/No/ NA)	Observations/ Remarks by PCS*
1.	Compliances with the following conditions whil	e appointing/re-appo	pinting an auditor
	<ul> <li>i. 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</li> <li>ii. If the auditor has resigned after 45 days from</li> </ul>		None

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	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	None
	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	None
2.	Other conditions relating to resignation of statu	itory auditor	
	<ul> <li>Reporting of concerns by Auditor with respect to the listed entity/its material subsidiary to the Audit Committee:</li> </ul>		
	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.	NA	None
	b. In case the auditor proposes to resign, all concerns with respect to the proposed resignation, along with relevant documents 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	NA	None
	<ul> <li>management, as applicable.</li> <li>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.</li> </ul>	NA	None
	<ul> <li>ii. Disclaimer in case of non-receipt of information:</li> <li>The auditor has provided an appropriate disclaimer in its audit report, which is in</li> </ul>		

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	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.		
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 18 <sup>th</sup> October, 2019.	NA	None

**We further report that**, in terms of the circulars issued by BSE Limited and National Stock Exchange of India Limited on March 16, 2023 respectively, during the Review Period, the compliance status of the Company is appended as below:

Sr. No.	Particulars	Compliance Status (Yes/No/NA)	Observation s /Remarks by PCS*
1.	<b>Secretarial Standards:</b> 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.	Yes	None
2.	<ul> <li>Adoption and timely Updation of the Policies:</li> <li>All applicable policies under SEBI Regulations are adopted with the approval of board of directors</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
3.	<ul> <li>Maintenance and disclosures on Website:</li> <li>The Company 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 redirects to the relevant document(s)/section of the website</li> </ul>	Yes	None
4.	Disqualification of Director: None of the Director(s) of the listed entity are disqualified under Section 164 of Companies Act, 2013 as confirmed by the Company.	Yes	None

# DM & ASSOCIATES COMPANY SECRETARIES LLP

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5.	To examine details related to Subsidiaries of listed entity		
	(a) Identification of material subsidiary companies	Yes	None
	(b) Disclosure requirement of material as well as other subsidiaries		
6.	<b>Preservation of Documents:</b> The listed entity is preserving and maintaining records as prescribed under SEBI Regulations and disposal of records as per Policy of Preservation of Documentsand Archival policy prescribed under SEBI LODR Regulations, 2015.	Yes	None
7.	Performance Evaluation: The listed entity has conducted performance evaluation of the Board, Independent Directors and the Committees during the financial year as prescribed in SEBI Regulations.	Yes	None
8.	<ul> <li><u>Related Party Transactions:</u> <ul> <li>(a) The listed entity has obtained prior approval of Audit Committee for all related party transactions; or</li> <li>(b) The listed entity has provided detailed reasons along with confirmation whether the transactionswere subsequently approved/ratified/rejected by the Audit Committee, in case no prior approval has been obtained.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Yes	None
9.	<b>Disclosure of events or information:</b> 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 thereunder.	Yes	None
12.	Additional Non-compliances, if any: No additional non-compliance observed for any SEBI regulation/circular/guidance note etc.	Yes	None

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#### 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 certify 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.

#### For DM & Associates Company Secretaries LLP Company Secretaries ICSI Unique Code L2017MH003500

Dinesh Kumar Deora Partner FCS NO 5683 C P NO 4119 UDIN: F005683E000403872

Place: Mumbai Date: May 29, 2023