

## IOT Utkal Energy Services Limited

Regd. Office: Plot No. 188/183, Zero Point, Udayabata, Paradeep, Jagatsinghpur Odisha, India, 754141

CIN: U452080R2009PLC011389

2025, 21st May

To BSE Limited Floor 25, P J Towers, Dalal Street, Mumbai – 400 001

Ref: Scrip Code: 950132.

Sub: Annual Secretarial Compliance Report for the financial year ended 31st March, 2025

Dear Sir/Madam,

Pursuant to SEBI Circular No CIR/CFD/CMD1/27/2019 dated 8th February, 2019 please find enclosed herewith Annual Secretarial Compliance Report for the financial year ended 31st March, 2025 issued by CS Deepak Rane, Practising Company Secretary. You are requested to take the same on your record.

For IOT Utkal Energy Services Limited

Girjesh Shrivastava Company Secretary ACS - 19083



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## SECRETARIAL COMPLIANCE REPORT OF IOT UTKAL ENERGY SERVICES LIMITED FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31<sup>ST</sup> MARCH, 2025

To
The Board of Directors
IOT UTKAL ENERGY SERVICES LIMITED
Plot no 188/183, Zero Point, Udayabata,
Paradeep Paradeep Jagatsinghpur, Odisha - 754141

I have conducted the review of the compliance of the applicable statutory provisions and the adherence to good corporate practices by IOT Utkal Energy Services Limited, having its Registered office at Plot no 188/183, Zero Point, Udayabata, Paradeep Paradeep Jagatsinghpur, Odisha - 754141. Secretarial Review was conducted in a manner that provided me a reasonable basis for evaluating the corporate conducts/statutory compliances and expressing our opinion 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 in my opinion, the listed entity has, during the review period covering the financial year ended on March 31, 2025, complied with the statutory provisions listed hereunder and also that the listed entity 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:

- a) all the documents and records made available to me and explanation provided by IOT Utkal Energy Services Limited ("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 certification,

For the financial year ended 31st March, 2025 ("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 and Listing of Debt Securities) Regulations, 2008;
- c) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018;
- d) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011;
- e) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Buyback of Securities) Regulations, 2018;
- f) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Share Based Employee Benefits) Regulations, 2014;
- g) Securities and Exchange Board of India(Issue and Listing of Non- Convertible and Redeemable Preference Shares) Regulations, 2013;
- h) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015;

and circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder;

I hereby report that, during the Review Period the compliance status of the listed entity is appended as below:

Sr. No	Particulars	Compliance Status	Observations/ Remarks by PCS*
		(Yes/No/NA)	
1.	Secretarial Standards:		
		Yes	NA
	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.		
	mandatorny applicable.		
2.	Adoption and timely updation of the Policies:		
	<ul> <li>All applicable policies under SEBI</li> </ul>	Voc	NT A
	Regulations are adopted with the	Yes	NA
	approval of board of directors of the		//E
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	listed entities		1 1 / AL

	<ul> <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	NA
3.	Maintenance and disclosures on Website:		
	The Listed entity is maintaining a functional website	Yes	NA
	Timely dissemination of the documents/ information under a separate section on the website	Yes	NA
	Web-links provided in annual corporate governance reports under Regulation 27(2) are accurate and	Yes	NA
	specific which re- directs to the relevant document(s)/section of the website		
4.	Disqualification of Director:		
	None of the Director(s) of the Company is/ are disqualified under Section 164 of Companies Act, 2013as confirmed by the listed entity.	Yes	NA
5.	Details related to Subsidiaries of listed entities have been examined w.r.t.:		
	<ul> <li>a) Identification of material subsidiary companies</li> <li>b) Disclosure requirement of material as well as other subsidiaries</li> </ul>	N.A	NA
6.	Preservation of Documents:		
	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 SEBI LODR Regulations, 2015.	Yes	NA
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	NA

8.	Related Party Transactions:		
	<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 transactions were subsequently approved/ratified/rejected by the Audit Committee, in case no prior approval has been obtained.</li> </ul>	Yes NA	NA NA
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.	NA	NA
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	NA
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	NA
12.	Additional Non-compliances, if any:		
	No additional non-compliance observed for any SEBI regulation/circular/guidance note etc.	NA	NA



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	Observations / Remarks by
		(Yes/No/NA)	PCS*
1	Compliances with the following conditions whauditor		-appointing an
	<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 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</li> <li>iii. If the auditor has signed the limited review/</li> </ul>	NA	No such event has been occurred during the period under 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.		
2	Other conditions relating to resignation of statuto	ry auditor	
	<ul> <li>i. Reporting of concerns by Auditor with respect to the listed entity/its material subsidiary to the Audit Committee:</li> <li>a) In case of any concern with the management of the listed entity/material subsidiary such as non-availability of information / non- cooperation 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.</li> </ul>	NA	No such event has been occurred during the period under review.
	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		ACS

	the company, the auditor has informed the Audit Committee the details of information/ explanation sought and not provided by the management, as applicable.		
	<ul> <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> <li>ii. Disclaimer in case of non-receipt of information:</li> </ul>		
	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.		
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.	NA	No such resignation



(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 Require- ment (Regu- lations/ circulars/ guide- lines including specific clause)	Regulation/ Circular No.	Deviations	Action Taken	Type of Action	Details of Vio-lation	Fine Amount	Obser - vatio ns/ Re- marks of the Prac- ticing Comp any Sec- retary	Man- age- ment Re- sponse	Re- marks
1.	Approval of shareholders for appointment of a director within 3 months from date of appointment	Regulation 17(1C) of SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015	Shareholder approval was obtained after 3 months from the appointment date	Appointment was approved in the Annual General Meeting held on 09th August 2024	Reporting in ASCR and Secretarial Audit	Delay in obtaining shareholder approval as required under Regulation 17(1C)	NIL (no fine imposed as on reporting date)	The delay was noted and report ed in the Secret arial Audit Report; expla natio n provi ded by the Company	The Company explained that the regulation is applicable on a 'comply or explain' basis and approval was obtained at the AGM	Matter noted for future compli ance

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

Not Applicable	Sr. No.	Compliance Require- ment (Regulations/ circulars/ guide- lines including specific clause)	Regulation/ Circula r No.	Devi atio ns	Act ion Ta ke n	Typ e of Acti on	Detail s of Vio- lation	Fine Amo unt	Observations / Remarks of the Practicing Compa - ny Secretary	Man- age- ment Re- spons e	Re- ma rks
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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. My responsibility is to certify based upon my examination of relevant documents and information. This is neither an audit nor an expression of opinion
- 3. I 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: Mumbai Date: May 21, 2025

Deepak Rane Practicing Co

Practicing Company Secretary

ACS No. 24110 CP No. 8717

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