

an entertainment company

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26th May, 2025

To,	То,
BSE Limited	National Stock Exchange of India Limited
Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers,	Exchange Plaza, Bandra Kurla Complex,
Dalal Street, Mumbai – 400001	Bandra (East), Mumbai – 400051
Scrip Code: 532357 - EQ	Symbol: MUKTAARTS - EQ

Kind Attn: Corporate Relations Department

Dear Sir/Madam,

# SUB: SUBMISSION OF ANNUAL SECRETARIAL COMPLIANCE REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 2025

In compliance with Regulation 24A of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, please find enclosed Annual Secretarial Compliance Report for the year ended 31st March, 2025 issued by M/s. KDA & Associates, Company Secretaries.

Kindly take the above information on your records.

Thanking you.

Yours faithfully, For **Mukta Arts Limited** 

Rahul Puri Managing Director (DIN: 09125045)

Encl.: as above

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# ANNUAL SECRETARIAL COMPLIANCE REPORT OF MUKTA ARTS LIMITED

#### FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 2025

- I, Kaushal Dalal partner of M/s KDA & Associates have examined:
  - a) All the documents and records made available to us and explanation provided by Mukta Arts Limited ("the listed entity"),
  - b) the filings/submission 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 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') and the rules made thereunder and 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 of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018: **Not Applicable during the period under review**;
- 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 during the period under review**.
- e. Securities and Exchange Board of India (Share Based Employee Benefits and Sweat Equity) Regulations, 2021 **Not Applicable during the period under review**
- f. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Non-Convertible Securities) Regulations, 2021- **Not Applicable during the period under review.**
- 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
- i. Securities and Exchange Board of India (Registrars to an Issue and Share Transfer Agents) Regulations, 1993
- j. Securities and Exchange Board of India (Delisting of Equity Shares) Regulations, 2021 (Not applicable during the period under review).
  - and circulars/guidelines issued thereunder;
  - And based on the above explanation, we 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:

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Sr. Compliance No. Requirement (Regulations/ circulars/ guidelines including specific clause)	Regulation/ Circular No.	Deviations	Action Taken by	Type of Action	Details of Violation	Fine Amount	Observations/Remarks of the Practicing Company Secretary	Management Response	Remarks
Regulation 17(1) SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirement) 20 Non-compliance with the requirements pertaining to the composition of tl Board including failure to appoin woman director the quarter ender 30th September, 2024.	17(1) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirement) 2015	Where the listed entity does not have a regular non - executive chairperson, at least half of the board of directors shall comprise of independent directors.  The Board of directors of the top 2000 listed entities shall comprise of not less than six directors	BSE Limited and The National Stock Exchange of India Limited	Fine	Where the listed entity does not have a regular non - executive chairperson, at least half of the board of directors shall comprise of independent directors. The Board of directors of the top 2000 listed entities shall comprise of not less than six directors	BSE- Rs. 20,000/- plus GST NSE- Rs. 20,000/- plus GST	The Company has duly paid the fines imposed by BSE and NSE on 03rd December, 2024	Since the completion of tenure of Mr. Kewal Handa as an Independent Director on 26th September, 2024. The Company had initiated an extensive search for a qualified Independent Director who possesses the right experience, skills, and understanding of the company's operations. Due to the need to ensure that the individual meets our governance standards, the process took longer than expected.  Further the Company has appointed Mr. Chandrashekhar Rentala as an Independent Director and also re-constituted the Nomination and Remuneration Committee with effect from 22nd October, 2024.	

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2	Reg 19 of	Reg 19 of	The Board of	BSE Limited	Fine	The Board of	BSE- Rs.	The Company has duly	The Company has re-	
	SEBI (Listing	SEBI (Listing	Directors shall	and The		Directors shall	8,000/- plus	paid the fines imposed	constituted the Nomination	
	Obligations and	Obligations	constitute the	National		constitute the	GST	by BSE and NSE on 3rd	and Remuneration	
	Disclosure	and	nomination and	Stock		nomination	NSE- Rs.	December, 2024	Committee with effect from	
	Requirement) 2015	Disclosure	remuneration	Exchange of		and	8,000/- plus		22nd October, 2024.	
	Non-compliance	Requirement)	committee and it	India		remuneration	GST			
	with the	2015	shall comprise at	Limited		committee and				
	requirements		least three			it shall				
	pertaining to the		directors			comprise at				
	composition of the					least three				
	nomination and					directors				
	remuneration									
	committee for the									
	quarter ended 30th									
	September, 2024.									
3	Regulation 17(1) of	Regulation	Where the listed	BSE Limited	Fine	Where the	BSE- Rs.	The Company	Since the completion of	
	SEBI (Listing	17(1) of SEBI	entity does not	and The		listed entity	105000/-	has filed the	tenure of Mr. Kewal Handa	
	Obligations and	(Listing	have	National		does not have	plus GST	waiver	as an Independent Director	
	Disclosure	Obligations	a regular non	Stock		a regular non	NSE- Rs.	application with	on 26th September, 2024.	
	Requirement) 2015	and	-	Exchange of		-	105000/-	both the	The Company had initiated	
	Non-compliance	Disclosure	executive	India		executive	plus GST	exchanges on	an extensive search for a	
	with the	Requirement)	chairperson,	Limited		chairperson,		19th March, 2025	qualified Independent	
	requirements	2015	at least half of			at least half of		The Company	Director who possesses the	
	pertaining to the		the board of			the board of		is awaiting the	right experience, skills, and	
	composition of the		directors shall			directors shall		response from	understanding of the	
	Board including		comprise of			comprise of		the exchanges.	company's operations. Due	
	failure to appoint		independent			independent			to the need to ensure that	
	woman director for		directors.			directors.			the individual meets our	
	the quarter ended		The Board of			The board of			governance standards, the	
	31st December, 2024.		directors of the			directors of			process took longer than	
			top 2000 listed			the top 2000			expected.	
			entities			listed entities				
			shall comprise			shall comprise			Further the Company has	
			of not less than			of not less			appointed Mr.	
			six directors			than six			Chandrashekhar Rentala as	
						directors			an Independent Director	
									and also re-constituted the	
									Nomination and	
									Remuneration Committee	

## KDA & ASSOCIATES COMPANY SECRETARIES

4	Reg 19 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirement) 2015	Reg 19 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure	The Board of Directors shall constitute the nomination and remuneration	BSE Limited and The National Stock Exchange of	Fine	The Board of Directors shall constitute the nomination and	BSE- Rs. 42,000/- plus GST NSE- Rs. 42,000/-	The Company has filed the waiver application with both the	with effect from 22nd October, 2024.  The Company has reconstituted the Nomination and Remuneration Committee with effect from 22nd October, 2024.	
	Non-compliance with the requirements pertaining to the composition of the nomination and remuneration committee for the quarter ended 31st December, 2024.	Requirement) 2015	committee and it shall comprise at least three directors	India Limited		remuneration committee and it shall comprise at least three directors	plus GST	exchanges on 19th March, 2025 The Company is awaiting the response from the exchanges		
5	Reg 30 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirement) 2015	Reg 30 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirement) 2015	The Company has failed to intimate the stock exchanges (BSE Limited and The National Stock Exchange of India Limited) regarding the additional investment made in its subsidiary company			The Company has failed to intimate the stock exchanges (BSE Limited and The National Stock Exchange of India Limited) regarding the additional investment made in its subsidiary company		The Company has failed to intimate the stock exchanges (BSE Limited and The National Stock Exchange of India Limited) regarding the additional investment made in its subsidiary company	The Company has inadvertently missed to file the same. However, the Company will be careful in future.	

# I b. The listed entity has taken the following actions to comply with the observations made in previous reports:

Sr.	Observations/	Observations	Compliance	Details of violation / deviations and actions taken / penalty imposed, if	Remedial	Comments of the PCS on the
No.	Remarks of the	made in the	Requirement	any, on the listed entity	actions, if any,	actions taken by the listed
	Practicing Company	secretarial	(Regulations/		taken by the	entity
	Secretary in the	compliance report	circulars/		listed entity	
	previous reports	for the year ended	guidelines			
	(PCS)		including			
			specific			
			clause)			
NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

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II. We 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:  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	-
2.	<ul> <li>Adoption and timely updation of the Policies:         <ul> <li>All the applicable policies under SEBI regulation are adopted with the approval of board of directors of the listed entities</li> <li>All the policies are in conformity with the SEBI Regulations and have been reviewed &amp; updated on time, as per the regulations/circulars /guideline issued by SEBI.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	YES	-
3.	Maintenance and disclosures on  Website:  The Listed entity is maintaining a functional website  Timely dissemination of the documents/ information under a separate section on the website	YES YES	-

4.	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  Disqualification of Director:	YES	-
	None of the Director of the Company are disqualified under Section 164 of Companies Act, 2013	YES	-
5.	To examine details related to		
	Subsidiaries of listed entities:		
	(a)Identification of material subsidiary companies	YES	-
	(b)Requirements with respect to disclosure of material as well as other subsidiaries	YES	-
6.	Preservation of Documents:		
	The listed entity is preserving and maintaining records as prescribed under SEBI Regulations and disposal of records is as per Policy of Preservation of Documents and Archival policy prescribed under SEBI LODR Regulations, 2015.	YES	-
7.	Performance Evaluation:		
	The listed entity has conducted performance evaluation of the Board, Independent Directors and the Committees at the end of every financials year as prescribed in SEBI Regulations.	YES	-
8.	Related Party Transactions:		

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	(a) The listed entity has obtained prior approval of Audit Committee for all Related party transactions	YES	-
	(b) In case no prior approval obtained, the listed entity shall provide detailed reasons along with confirmation whether the transactions were subsequently approved/ratified/rejected by the Audit Committee	NA	No such event during the review period
9.	Disclosure of events or information:	No	The
			Company has
	The listed entity has provided all the		failed to
	required disclosure(s) under Regulation 30 along with Schedule III of SEBI		intimate regarding the
	(LODR) Regulations, 2015 within the		funds of the
	time limits prescribed thereunder		Company
	•		invested in
			Mukta A2
			Multiplex
			W.L.L,
			subsidiary Company to
			the stock
			exchanges
			under Reg 30
			of SEBI
			(LODR)
			Regulations,
1.0			2015
10.	Prohibition of Insider Trading:		The
	The listed entity is in compliance with	NO	Company has
	The listed entity is in compliance with Regulation 3(5) & 3(6) SEBI (Prohibition	NU	necessary software to
	of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015		maintain
	of Holder Hading, Regulations, 2015		structured
			digital
			database and
			such database

11.	Actions taken by SEBI or Stock Exchange(s), if any:		is being maintained internally with adequate internal controls and checks. However, during the review period, one (1) UPSI entry/event has been entered delayed in the software.
	No Actions 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  a) The Company has received a Notice from BSE Limited and The National Stock Exchange of India Limited for levy of fine total of Rs. 28,000/- plus GST each for alleged Non-Compliance regarding Reg 17(1) and Reg 19 of the SEBI LODR for the quarter ended 30th September, 2024  b) The Company has received a Notice	No	The Company has paid the fines imposed by BSE and NSE for the quarter ended 30th September, 2024 on 03rd December, 2024.

	from BSE Limited and The National Stock Exchange of India Limited for levy of fine total of Rs. 1,47,000/-plus GST each for alleged Non-Compliance regarding Reg 17(1) and Reg 19 of the SEBI LODR for the quarter ended 31st December, 2024		has filed the waiver application with both the exchanges on 19th March, 2025. The Company is awaiting the response from the exchanges
12.	Resignation of statutory auditors from the listed entity or its material subsidiaries:  In case of resignation of statutory auditor from the listed entity or any of its material subsidiaries during the financial year, the listed entity and / or its material subsidiary(ies) has / have complied with paragraph 6.1 and 6.2 of section V-D of chapter V of the Master Circular  No SEBI/HO/CFD/PoD2/CIR/P/2023/120 dated 11th July,2023 on compliance with the provisions of the SEBI LODR Regulations by listed entities.	NA	No such event during the period under review
13.	Additional non-compliances, if any:No any additional non-complianceobserved for all SEBIregulation/circular/guidance etc.	No	

Observations/Remarks by PCS are mandatory if the compliance status is provided as 'No' or 'NA'

We further, report that the listed entity is in compliance/not in compliance with the disclosure requirements of Employee Benefit Scheme Documents in terms of regulation 46(2) (za) of the LODR Regulations. - **Not Applicable** 

#### 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.
- 5. It is the responsibility of the Company's management to maintain records and establish appropriate systems for ensuring compliance with applicable SEBI Regulations, circulars, and guidelines issued from time to time and to ensure the adequacy and operational effectiveness of such systems.
- 6. The audit was conducted in accordance with the Guidance Note on Annual Secretarial Compliance Report issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India (ICSI), involving such examinations and verifications as deemed necessary and adequate for the purpose.

For KDA & Associates (Formerly known as KDT & Associates) Practicing Company Secretaries

> Kaushal Dalal Partner M. No: 7141 CP No: 7512

Peer Review No. 6748/2025 UDIN: F007141G000443313

Date: 26<sup>th</sup> May, 2025 Place: Mumbai