## Statement of Compliance with Listed Companies (Code of Corporate Governance) Regulations, 2019

Name of the Company: Year Ended: Atlas Battery Limited June 30, 2023

The Company has complied with the requirements of the Listed Companies (Code of Corporate Governance) Regulations, 2019 (the Regulations) in the following manner:

- 1. The total number of directors are 7 as per the following:
- (a)Male6(b)Female1
- 2. The composition of Board is as follows:

(a)	Independent Directors	2
(b)	Non-Executive Directors	4
(C)	Executive Director	1

3. The Company encourages representation of independent non-executive directors and directors representing minority interests on its Board. At present, the Board includes:

Sr. No.	Name of Directors	Category		
SI. NO.		Independent (2)	Non-Executive (4)	Executive (1)
1.	Mr. Aamir H. Shirazi		$\checkmark$	
2.	Mr. Bashir Makki		$\checkmark$	
З.	Mr. Fahd K. Chinoy		$\checkmark$	
4.	Ms. Mehreen Amin	$\checkmark$		
5.	Mr. Sanaullah Qureshi	$\checkmark$		
6.	Mr. Toru Furuya		$\checkmark$	
7.	Mr. Ali H. Shirazi			$\checkmark$

Fraction (0.33) related to the requirement for number of independent directors is less than 0.5 and therefore, has not rounded up as one.

- 4. The directors have confirmed that none of them is serving as a director on more than seven listed companies, including this Company;
- 5. The Company has prepared a "Code of Conduct" and has ensured that appropriate steps have been taken to disseminate it throughout the Company along with its supporting policies and procedures;

- 6. The Board has developed a Vision and Mission statement, overall corporate strategy and significant policies of the Company. The Board has ensured that complete record of particulars of the significant policies along with their date of approval or updating is maintained by the Company;
- All the powers of the Board have been duly exercised and decisions on relevant matters have been taken by the Board / shareholders as empowered by the relevant provision of the Companies Act, 2017 (the Act) and the Regulations;
- 8. The meetings of the Board were presided over by the Chairman and in his absence, by a director elected by the Board for this purpose. The Board has complied with the requirements of the Act and the Regulations with respect to frequency, recording and circulating minutes of meeting of Board;
- 9. The Board has a formal policy and transparent procedure for remuneration of directors in accordance with the Act and the Regulations;
- 10. Five directors are Certified Director and two directors meet the criteria of exemption and are accordingly exempted from directors' training program;
- 11. The Board has approved appointment of Chief Financial Officer, Company Secretary and Head of Internal Audit, including their remuneration and terms and conditions of employment and complied with relevant requirements of the Regulations;
- 12. Chief Financial Officer and Chief Executive Officer duly endorsed the financial statements before approval of the Board;
- 13. The Board has formed Committees comprising of members given below:

## (a) Audit Committee

•	Mr. Sanaullah Qureshi	Chairman
•	Mr. Bashir Makki	Member
•	Mr. Fahd K. Chinoy	Member

(b) Human Resource and Remuneration Committee

•	Ms. Mehreen Amin	Chairperson
•	Mr. Ali H. Shirazi	Member
•	Mr. Bashir Makki	Member

- 14. The terms of reference of the aforesaid Committees have been formed, documented and advised to the Committee for compliance;
- 15. The frequency of meetings of the Committee were as per following:

(a)	Audit Committee	quarterly
(b)	Human Resource and Remuneration Committee	on required basis

16. The Board has set-up an effective internal audit function;

- 17. The statutory auditors of the Company have confirmed that they have been given a satisfactory rating under the Quality Control Review program of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Pakistan (ICAP) and registered with Audit Oversight Board of Pakistan, that they and all their partners are in compliance with International Federation of Accountants (IFAC) guidelines on code of ethics as adopted by the ICAP and that they and the partners of the firm involved in the audit are not a close relative (spouse, parent, dependent and nondependent children) of the Chief Executive Officer, Chief Financial Officer, Head of Internal Audit, Company Secretary or Director of the Company;
- 18. The statutory auditors or the persons associated with them have not been appointed to provide other services except in accordance with the Act and the Regulations or any other regulatory requirement and the auditors have confirmed that they have observed IFAC guidelines in this regard.
- 19. We confirm that all other requirement of the Regulations 3, 6, 7, 8, 27, 32, 33 and 36 have been complied with.

For and on behalf of the BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Aamir H. Shirazi Chairman

Karachi: August 28, 2023



## Independent Auditor's Review Report to the Members of Atlas Battery Limited

## Review Report on the Statement of Compliance Contained in Listed Companies (Code of Corporate Governance) Regulations, 2019

We have reviewed the enclosed Statement of Compliance with Listed Companies (Code of Corporate Governance) Regulations, 2019 (the Regulations) prepared by the Board of Directors of Atlas Battery Limited (the Company) for the year ended June 30, 2023, in accordance with the requirements of regulation 36 of the Regulations.

The responsibility for compliance with the Regulations is that of the Board of Directors of the Company. Our responsibility is to review whether the Statement of Compliance reflects the status of the Company's compliance with the provisions of the Regulations and report if it does not and to highlight any non-compliance with the requirements of the Regulations. A review is limited primarily to inquiries of the Company's personnel and review of various documents prepared by the Company to comply with the Regulations.

As a part of our audit of the financial statements we are required to obtain an understanding of the accounting and internal control systems sufficient to plan the audit and develop an effective audit approach. We are not required to consider whether the Board of Directors' statement on internal control covers all risks and controls or to form an opinion on the effectiveness of such internal controls, the Company's corporate governance procedures and risks.

The Regulations requires the Company to place before the Audit Committee, and upon recommendation of the Audit Committee, place before the Board of Directors for their review and approval, its related party transactions. We are only required and have ensured compliance of this requirement to the extent of the approval of the related party transactions by the Board of Directors upon recommendation of the Audit Committee.

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention which causes us to believe that the Statement of Compliance does not appropriately reflect the Company's compliance, in all material respects, with the requirements contained in the Regulations as applicable to the Company for the year ended June 30, 2023.

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SHINEWING HAMEED CHAUDHRI & CO. CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS KARACHI; 28 AUG 2023

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