

STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE WITH LISTED COMPANIES (CODE OF CORPORATE GOVERNANCE) REGULATIONS, 2019

Name of Company: Ellicot Spinning Mills Limited

Year ended: June 30, 2023

The Company has complied with the requirements of the Regulations in the following manner:

1. The total number of directors are ten as per the following:
 - a) Male: Nine
 - b) Female: One
2. The composition of the Board of Directors is as follows:

Category	Names
i. Independent Director	Mr. Mohammad Babar Monnoo Mr. Imran Motiwala Mrs. Faaria Rehman Salahuddin
ii. Non-Executive Directors	Mr. Shahzada Ellahi Shaikh Mr. Jamal Nasim (NIT) Mr. Shaukat Ellahi Shaikh Mr. Raza Ellahi Shaikh Mr. Amin Ellahi Shaikh
iii. Executive Directors	Mr. Shafqat Ellahi Shaikh Mr. Haroon Shahzada Ellahi Shaikh
iv. Female Directors	Mrs. Faaria Rehman Salahuddin

3. The Directors have confirmed that none of them is serving as a director on more than seven listed companies, including this company.
4. 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.
5. The Board has developed a vision/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.
6. 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 provisions of the Companies Act, 2017 ("the Act") and Listed Companies (Code of Corporate Governance) Regulations, 2019 ("the Regulations").
7. 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 the Board.
8. The Board have a formal policy and transparent procedures for remuneration of directors in accordance with the Act and these Regulations.
9. The Board remained fully compliant with the provision with regards to their Directors' Training Program (DTP). Out of total ten directors, eight directors have obtained certification under DTP.
10. 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.
11. Chief Financial Officer and Chief Executive Officer duly endorsed the financial statements before approval of the Board.

12. The Board has formed committees comprising of members given below:-

a. Audit Committee

Mr. Mohammad Babar Monnoo, Chairman
Mr. Shaukat Ellahi Shaikh, Member
Mr. Raza Ellahi Shaikh, Member

b. Human Resource and Remuneration (HR & R) Committee

Mr. Mohammad Babar Monnoo, Chairman
Mr. Raza Ellahi Shaikh, Member
Mr. Haroon Shahzada Ellahi Shaikh, Member

13. The terms of reference of the aforesaid committees have been formed, documented and advised to the committee for compliance.

14. The frequency of meetings of the aforesaid committees were as per following:

- a) Audit Committee: Four quarterly meetings were held during the financial year ended June 30, 2023.
b) HR and Remuneration Committee: One meeting was held during the financial year ended June 30, 2023.

15. The Board has set up an effective internal audit function which is considered suitably qualified and experienced for the purpose and are conversant with the policies and procedures of the Company.

16. 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 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 Institute of Chartered Accountants of Pakistan and that they and the partners of the firm involved in the audit are not a close relative (spouse, parent, dependent and non-dependent children) of the Chief Executive Officer, Chief Financial Officer, Head of Internal Audit, Company Secretary or Director of the Company.

17. The statutory auditors or the persons associated with them have not been appointed to provide other services except in accordance with the Act, these Regulations or any other regulatory requirement and the auditors have confirmed that they have observed IFAC guidelines in this regard.

18. We confirm that all requirements of the regulations 3, 6, 7, 8, 27, 32, 33 and 36 of the Regulations have been complied with.

Explanation as required under the Regulations is mentioned below:

The Company has three independent directors out of ten directors. Fractional requirement for Independent directors have not been rounded up as all independent directors have requisite competencies, skills, knowledge and experience to discharge and execute their duties competently as per laws and regulations under which hereby fulfill the necessary requirements; therefore, not warrant the appointment of a fourth independent director.

On behalf of the Board



Haroon Shahzada Ellahi Shaikh
Chief Executive Officer



Shahzada Ellahi Shaikh
Chairman

Lahore: September 25, 2023

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REVIEW REPORT

To the members of ELLCOT SPINNING MILLS 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 the Listed Companies (Code of Corporate Governance) Regulations, 2019 [the Regulations] prepared by the Board of Directors of **ELLCOT SPINNING MILLS LIMITED** [the Company] for the year ended **30 June 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 require 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. 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 **30 June 2023**.


RAHMAN SARFARAZ RAHIM IQBAL RAFIQ
Chartered Accountants

Lahore | 25 September 2023

UDIN: CR202310704nWQMvswRL

