

Secretarial Compliance Report of Kotak Infrastructure Debt Fund Limited for the year ended March 31, 2023

To, Kotak Infrastructure Debt Fund Limited 27BKC, C 27, G Block, Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra (E), Mumbai – 400 051

The provisions of Regulations 15 to 27 of Chapter IV of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 shall be applicable to a listed entity which has listed its non-convertible debt securities and has an outstanding value of listed non-convertible debt securities of Rupees Five Hundred crore and above. The criteria of High Value Debt Listed Entity has become applicable to **Kotak Infrastructure Debt Fund Limited** ("the listed entity/Company") with effect from March 21, 2023. As the specified threshold of Rupees Five Hundred crore has triggered on March 21, 2023, as represented by the Company, the Company shall ensure compliance with the aforementioned provisions within the statutorily prescribed time period from the date of trigger. Accordingly, we Parikh & Associates have examined:

- a) all the documents and records to the extent made available to us and explanations and representations provided by 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 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 (including amendments, modifications from time to time), whose provisions and the circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder, have been examined, include:

- a) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015;
- b) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018; (Not applicable to the company during the review period)
- c) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011;

- d) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Buyback of Securities) Regulations, 2018; (Not applicable to the company during the review period)
- e) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Share Based Employee Benefits and Sweat Equity) Regulations, 2021; (Not applicable to the company during the review period)
- f) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Non-Convertible Securities) Regulations, 2021;
- g) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015;
- h) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Depositories and Participant) Regulations, 2018;

and circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder;

and based on the above examination and considering the relaxations granted by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs and SEBI warranted due to the spread of the COVID-19 pandemic, we hereby report that, during the Review Period:

a) The listed entity has complied with the provisions of the above Regulations and circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder, <u>except</u> in respect of matters specified below:-

Sr	. Compliance	Regulation/	Deviations	Action	Type of	Details	Fine	Observations/	Management	Remarks
N	.Requirement	Circular		Taken	Action	of	Amount	Remarks of	Response	
	(Regulations/	No.		by	(Advisory/	Violation		the Practicing		
	circulars/			-	Clarification/			Company		
	guielines				Fine /Show			Secretary		
	including				Cause			_		
	specific				Notice/					
	clause)				Warning,					
					etc.)					
		Nil							-	

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

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No	Requirement	Circular No.		Taken	Action	of	Amount	Remarks of the	Response	
	(Regulations/			by	(Advisory/	Violation		Practicing	_	
	circulars/			-	Clarification			Company		
	guidelines				Fine			Secretary		
	including				/Show Cause			-		
	specific				Notice/					
	clause)				Warning,					
					etc.)					
		Not Applicable								

Continuation Sheet

Additional affirmations by Practicing Company Secretaries (PCS) in Annual Secretarial Compliance Report (ASCR):

Sr.	Particulars	Compliance status (Yes/No/NA)	Observations /Remarks by PCS*
1.	Secretarial Standards	Yes	
	The compliances of the listed entity are in accordance with the applicable Secretarial Standards (SS) issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India (ICSI)		
2.	Adoption and timely updation of the Policies:	Yes	
	 All applicable policies under SEBI Regulations are adopted with the approval of Board of Directors of the listed entities All the policies are in conformity with SEBI Regulations and has been reviewed &timely updated as per the regulations / circulars / guidelines issued by SEBI 		
3.	Maintenance and disclosures on Website:	Yes	
	 The Listed entity is maintaining a functional website Timely dissemination of the documents/ information under a separate section on the website Web-links provided in annual corporate governance reports under Regulation 27(2) are accurate and specific which re- directs to the relevant document(s)/ section of the website 		
4.	Disqualification of Directors:	Yes	
	None of the Directors of the Company are disqualified under Section 164 of Companies Act, 2013		
5.	To examine details related to Subsidiaries of listed entities:	NA	The Company does not have any Subsidiary Company
	(a) Identification of material subsidiary companies(b)Requirements with respect to disclosure of material as well as other subsidiaries		

6.	Preservation of Documents:	Yes	
	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.		
7.	Performance Evaluation:	Yes	
	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		
8.	Related Party Transactions:	Yes	
	(a) The listed entity has obtained prior approval of Audit Committee for all Related party transactions 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		
9.	Disclosure of events or information:	Yes	
	The listed entity has provided all the required disclosure(s) under Regulation 51 alongwith Schedule III of SEBI LODR Regulations, 2015 within the time limits prescribed thereunder.		
10.	Prohibition of Insider Trading:	Yes	
	The listed entity is in compliance with Regulation 3(5) & 3(6) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015		
11.	Actions taken by SEBI or Stock Exchange(s), if any:	Yes	
	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		

12.	Additional Non-compliances, if any:	Yes	
	No any additional non-compliance observed for all SEBI regulation/circular/guidance note etc.		

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

Assumptions and 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 Securities and Exchange Board of India (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 Parikh & Associates Company Secretaries

Place: Mumbai Date: May 30, 2023

Signature: Name of the Practicing Company Secretary: Jeenal Jain ACS No.: 43855 C P No.: 21246 UDIN: A043855E000427471 PR No.: 1129/2021