

## **BALAJI TELEFILMS LIMITED**

## **POLICY ON DETERMINATION OF MATERIALITY OF EVENTS**

## **Background:**

In view of Regulation 30 of Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("Listing Regulations") which were notified on September 02, 2015 and came into effect from December 01, 2015, the policy has been framed by the Board of Directors ("Board") of Balaji Telefilms Limited ("Company") at its meeting held on March 05, 2016 with the objective of determining materiality of events.

## **Type of Information:**

Events or Information that is deemed to be material and are to be disclosed without any application of guidelines for materiality, are as specified under Para A of Part A of Schedule III of the Listing Regulations, as amended from time-to-time, and are specified in **Annexure I** to this Policy.

Events or Information that is to be disclosed based on materiality principle are specified under Para B of Part A of Schedule III of the Listing Regulations, as amended from time-to-time, and are specified in **Annexure II** to this Policy.

## Materiality Thresholds:

Materiality must be determined on a case-to-case basis depending on specific facts and circumstances relating to the Information/Event, basis the following criteria(s).

a) The following *qualitative criteria* will be applicable for determining materiality of Event or Information:

The omission of an event or information which is likely to:

- Result in discontinuity or alteration of an event or information already available publicly; or
- Result in significant market reaction if the said omission came to light at a later date;
- b) The following *quantitative criteria* will be applicable for determining materiality of Event or Information specified in Para B of Part A of Schedule III and set out in Annexure II to this Policy:
  - If the impact of the event, if measured exceeds 10% of the consolidated income or consolidated net worth, whichever is higher.
  - For Frauds/ defaults, etc. by directors (other than key managerial personnel) or employees of the Company involving financial impact of Rs. 5 crore or more.

• For giving of guarantees or indemnity or becoming a surety for any third party in excess 10% of the consolidated net worth of the Company.

The above thresholds shall be determined based on the latest audited consolidated financial statements of the Company.

c) *General criteria*: If in the opinion of the Board of Directors, the event/information ought to be disclosed, despite there being no statutory requirement.

# **Key Managerial Personnel (KMP) responsible for Disclosure:**

The Board of the Company has authorized following KMP's to determine the materiality of an event or information and to make timely disclosures:

- 1. Mrs. Shobha Kapoor- Managing Director
- 2. Group Chief Executive Officer
- 3. Group Chief Financial Officer
- 4. Company Secretary

Following are the powers and responsibilities of KMP's for determining the material event/information:

- Review & assess an event/information that may qualify as material, and which requires disclosure on the basis of facts and circumstances prevailing at a given point of time.
- Determine the appropriate time at which the disclosures are to be made to the Stock Exchanges based on actual time of occurrence of an event or information.
- Disclose developments that are material in nature on regular basis.

### **Amendments:**

The Board reserves its right to amend or modify this Policy in whole or in part, at any time without assigning any reason whatsoever. However, no such amendment or modification shall be inconsistent with the applicable provisions of the Listing Regulations, Act or any law for the time being in force. In case of any amendment(s), clarification(s), circular(s) etc. issued by the relevant authorities, not being consistent with the provisions laid down under this policy, then such amendment(s), clarification(s), circular(s), etc. shall prevail upon the provisions hereunder and this policy shall stand amended accordingly from the effective date as laid down under such amendment(s), clarification(s), etc.

Note: This Policy was last updated on February 11, 2022

#### PART A: DISCLOSURES OF EVENTS OR INFORMATION: SPECIFIED SECURITIES

- A. Events which shall be disclosed without any application of the guidelines for materiality as specified in sub-regulation (4) of Regulation (30):
- 1. Acquisition(s) (including agreement to acquire), Scheme of Arrangement (amalgamation/ merger/demerger/restructuring), or sale or disposal of any unit(s), division(s) or subsidiary of the listed entity or any other restructuring.

Explanation- For the purpose of this sub-para, the word 'acquisition' shall mean, -

- (i) acquiring control, whether directly or indirectly; or,
- (ii) acquiring or agreeing to acquire shares or voting rights in, a company, whether directly or indirectly, such that -
  - the listed entity holds shares or voting rights aggregating to five per cent or more of the shares or voting rights in the said company, or;
  - there has been a change in holding from the last disclosure made under sub-clause (a) of clause (ii) of the Explanation to this sub-para and such change exceeds two per cent of the total shareholding or voting rights in the said company.
- 2. Issuance or forfeiture of securities, split or consolidation of shares, buyback of securities, any restriction on transferability of securities or alteration in terms or structure of existing securities including forfeiture, reissue of forfeited securities, alteration of calls, redemption of securities etc.
- 3. Revision in Rating(s).
- 4. Outcome of Meetings of the board of directors: The listed entity shall disclose to the Exchange(s), within 30 minutes of the closure of the meeting, held to consider the following:
  - a) dividends and/or cash bonuses recommended or declared or the decision to pass any dividend and the date on which dividend shall be paid/dispatched;
  - b) any cancellation of dividend with reasons thereof;
  - c) the decision on buyback of securities;
  - d) the decision with respect to fund raising proposed to be undertaken;
  - e) increase in capital by issue of bonus shares through capitalization including the date on which such bonus shares shall be credited/dispatched;
  - f) short particulars of any other alterations of capital, including calls;
  - g) financial results;
  - h) decision on voluntary delisting by the listed entity from stock exchange(s).

    In case of board meetings being held for more than one day, the financial results shall be disclosed within thirty minutes of end of the meeting for the day on which it has been considered.

- 5. Agreements (viz. shareholder agreement(s), joint venture agreement(s), family settlement agreement(s) (to the extent that it impacts management and control of the listed entity), agreement(s)/treaty (ies)/contract(s) with media companies which are binding and not in normal course of business, revision(s) or amendment(s) and termination(s) thereof.
- 6. Fraud/defaults by promoter or key managerial personnel or by listed entity or arrest of key managerial personnel or promoter.
- 7. Change in directors, key managerial personnel (Managing Director, Chief Executive Officer, Chief Financial Officer, Company Secretary etc.), Auditor and Compliance Officer.
- 8. Resignation of Auditor with detailed reasons thereof.
- 9. Resignation of Independent Director with detailed reasons thereof.

In case of resignation of an Independent Director, within 7 days, the following disclosures shall be made to the Stock Exchanges:

- i. The letter of resignation along with detailed reasons for the resignation of director as given by the said director.
- ii. Names of listed entities in which the resigning director holds directorships, indicating the category of directorship and membership of board committees, if any.
- iii. The independent director shall, along with the detailed reasons, also provide a confirmation that there is no other material reasons other than those provided.
- iv. The confirmation as provided by the independent director above shall also be disclosed by tothe stock exchanges along with the detailed reasons as specified above
- 10. Appointment or discontinuation of share transfer agent.
- 11. Resolution plan/ Restructuring in relation to loans/borrowings from banks/financial institutions including the following details:
  - (i) Decision to initiate resolution of loans/borrowings;
  - (ii) Signing of Inter-Creditors Agreement (ICA) by lenders;
  - (iii) Finalization of Resolution Plan;
  - (iv) Implementation of Resolution Plan;
  - (v) Salient features, not involving commercial secrets, of the resolution/ restructuring plan as decided by lenders
- 12. One-time settlement with a bank.
- 13. Reference to BIFR and winding-up petition filed by any party/creditors.
- 14.Issuance of Notices, call letters, resolutions and circulars sent to shareholders, debenture holders or creditors or any class of them or advertised in the media by the listed entity.
- 15. Proceedings of Annual and Extraordinary General Meetings of the listed entity.
- 16. Amendments to Memorandum and Articles of Association of listed entity, in brief.
- 17.(a) Schedule of analysts or institutional investors' meet and presentations made by the listed entity to analysts or institutional investors.

- (b) Audio or video recordings and transcripts of post earnings/quarterly calls, by whatever name called, conducted physically or through digital means, simultaneously with submission to the recognized stock exchange(s), in the following manner:
  - (i) the presentation and the audio/video recordings shall be promptly made available on the website and in any case, before the next trading day or within 24 hours from the conclusion of such calls, whichever is earlier;
  - (ii) the transcripts of such calls shall be made available on the website within 5 working days of the conclusion of such calls:
- 18. The following events in relation to the corporate insolvency resolution process (CIRP) of a listed corporate debtor under the Insolvency Code:
  - a)Filing of application by the corporate applicant for initiation of CIRP, also specifying the amount of default;
  - b) Filing of application by financial creditors for initiation of CIRP against the corporate debtor, also specifying the amount of default;
  - c) Admission of application by the Tribunal, along with amount of default or rejection or withdrawal, as applicable
  - d) Public announcement made pursuant to order passed by the Tribunal under section 13 of Insolvency Code;
  - e) List of creditors as required to be displayed by the corporate debtor under regulation 13(2)(c) of the IBBI (Insolvency Resolution Process for Corporate Persons) Regulations, 2016;
  - f) Appointment/ Replacement of the Resolution Professional;
  - g) Prior or post-facto intimation of the meetings of Committee of Creditors;
  - h) Brief particulars of invitation of resolution plans under section 25(2)(h) of Insolvency Code in the Form specified under regulation 36A (5) of the IBBI (Insolvency Resolution Process for Corporate Persons) Regulations, 2016;
  - i) Number of resolution plans received by Resolution Professional;
  - j) Filing of resolution plan with the Tribunal;
  - k) Approval of resolution plan by the Tribunal or rejection, if applicable;
  - l) Specific features and details of the resolution plan as approved by the Adjudicating Authority under the Insolvency Code, not involving commercial secrets, including details as mentioned in Listing Regulations
  - m) Any other material information not involving commercial secrets.
  - n) Proposed steps to be taken by the incoming investor/acquirer for achieving the MPS;
  - o) Quarterly disclosure of the status of achieving the MPS;
  - p) The details as to the delisting plans, if any approved in the resolution plan.
- 19. In case of initiation of forensic audit, the following disclosures shall be made by the Company to the stock exchanges:
  - a) The fact of initiation of forensic audit along-with name of entity initiating the audit and reasons for the same, if available;
  - b) Final forensic audit report (other than for forensic audit initiated by regulatory / enforcement agencies) on receipt by the Company along with comments of the management, if any.

## (SAME AS PARA B OF PART A OF SCHEDULE III OF LISTING REGULATIONS)

# B: Events which shall be disclosed upon application of materiality thresholds as set out in the Policy:

- 1. Commencement or any postponement in the date of commencement of commercial production or commercial operations of any unit/division.
- 2. Change in the general character or nature of business brought about by arrangements for strategic, technical, manufacturing, or marketing tie-up, adoption of new lines of business or closure of operations of any unit/division (entirety or piecemeal).
- 3. Capacity addition or product launch.
- 4. Awarding, bagging/ receiving, amendment or termination of awarded/bagged orders/contracts not in the normal course of business.
- 5. Agreements (viz. loan agreement(s) (as a borrower) or any other agreement(s) which are binding and not in normal course of business) and revision(s) or amendment(s) or termination(s) thereof.
- 6. Disruption of operations of any one or more units or division of the Company due to natural calamity (earthquake, flood, fire, etc.), force majeure or events such as strikes, lockouts, etc.
- 7. Effect(s) arising out of change in the regulatory framework applicable to the Company.
- 8. Litigation(s) / dispute(s) / regulatory action(s) with impact.
- 9. Fraud/defaults etc., by directors (other than key managerial personnel) or employees of the Company.
- 10. Options to purchase securities including any ESOP/ESPS Scheme.
- 11. Giving of guarantees or indemnity or becoming a surety for any third party.
- 12. Granting, withdrawal, surrender, cancellation or suspension of key licenses or regulatory approvals.