

# POLICY FOR DETERMINATION OF MATERIALITY OF EVENTS OR INFORMATION

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# 1. Background

EPPS Infotech Limited (Formerly known as EPPS Infotech Private Limited) (hereinafter referred to as the "Company") is committed to being open and transparent with all stakeholders and in disseminating information in a fair and timely manner. The Company will comply with the continuous disclosure obligations as mandated by the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (the "Listing Regulations"), as amended from time to time.

This Policy on determination of materiality of events or information that warrant disclosure to investors has been framed in compliance with the requirements of the Listing Regulations (the "Policy").

The words and expressions used but not defined in this Policy, but defined in the SEBI At 1992, Companies Act, 2013, the Securities Contracts (Regulation) Act, 1956, the Depositories Act, 1996 and other applicable laws, and/or the rules and regulations made there under shall have the same meaning as respectively assigned to them in such Acts or rules or regulations or any statutory modification or re-enactment thereto, as the case may be.

### 2. Preamble

The Company has adopted the following Policy and procedures with regard to determination of Materiality of events or information which are required to be disclosed to the Stock Exchanges in terms of Regulation 30 of the Listing Regulations. This Policy has been formulated in accordance with Clause (ii) of sub-regulation (4) of Regulation 30 of the Listing Regulations.

### 3. **Objectives of the Policy**

The objectives of this Policy are as follows:

- a) To ensure that the Company complies with the disclosure obligations to which it is subject as a publicly-traded company as laid down by the Listing Regulations, various securities laws and any other legislations.
- b) To ensure that the information disclosed by the Company is timely and transparent.
- c) To ensure that corporate documents and public statements are accurate and do not contain any misrepresentation.
- d) To protect the confidentiality of material/price sensitive information within the context of the Company's disclosure obligations.
- e) To provide a framework that supports and fosters confidence in the quality and integrity of information released by the Company.
- f) To ensure uniformity in the Company's approach to disclosures, raise awarenessand reduce the risk of selective disclosures.



### 4. **Purpose of the Policy**

The purpose of this Policy is to determine materiality of events and information based on criteria specified under Clause (i) of sub-regulation (4) of Regulation 30 of the Listing Regulations and to ensure that the Company shall make disclosure of events/ information specified in para A and B of Part A of Schedule III of the Listing Regulations to the Stock Exchanges and to provide guidance to Company and its Officers to make disclosures that are appropriate and would be consistent with the facts of each event.

### 5. EVENTS WHICH ARE DEPENDENT ON APPLICATION OF **GUIDELINES FOR MATERIALITY**

The Company shall consider the criteria as specified in Clause (i) of Sub-regulation 4 of Regulation 30 of the Listing Regulations for determination of materiality of events/ information as under:

- a) the omission of an event or information, which is likely to result in discontinuity or alteration of event or information already available publicly; or
- b) the omission of an event or information is likely to result in significant market reaction if the said omission came to light at a later date;
- c) \*\*\*the omission of an event or information, whose value or the expected impact in terms of value, exceeds the lower of the following:
  - (1) two percent of turnover, as per the last audited consolidated financial statements of the listed entity:
  - (2) two percent of net worth, as per the last audited consolidated financial statements of the listed entity, except in case the arithmetic value of the net worth is negative;
  - (3) five percent of the average of absolute value of profit or loss after tax, as per the last three audited consolidated financial statements of the listed entity;]

Absolute Value of Profit shall be derived by disregarding the 'sign' (positive or negative) in the value of Profit

d) In case where the criteria specified in sub-clauses (a) and (b) are not applicable, an event/information may be treated as being material if in the opinion of the Managing Director or Whole time Director & CFO of the Company, the event /information is considered material.

### \*\*\*ANY OTHER INFORMATION / EVENT WHICH IS TO BE DISCLOSED 6. BY THE COMPANY:

In addition to the above point 5 & 6, Paras C and D of Part A of Schedule III to the Listing Regulations mandate disclosure of the following major developments that are likely to affect business, e.g.,

· emergence of new technologies,

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•expiry of patents,

•any change of accounting policy that may have a significant impact on the accounts, etc. and brief details thereof and any other information which is exclusively known to the Company which may be necessary to enable the holders of securities of the Company to appraise its position and to avoid the establishment of a false market in such securities and any other disclosures as may be specified by SEBI from time to time.

# 7. \*\*\*GUIDELINES FOR DETERMINING MATERIALITY OF EVENTS OR INFORMATION:

The events/information as set out in Part A of Schedule III to the Listing Regulations, will be disclosed to the relevant stock exchange, as soon as reasonably possible, but not later than the following from the occurrence of such event/information, after assessing the estimated impact of such event/information:

- i.\*The Company shall disclose the decision relating to the event or information within thirty minutes from the conclusion of the meeting of the Board of Directors at which such decision was taken; provided that, if the meeting concludes after normal trading hours but more than three hours prior to the commencement of the next trading day, the disclosure shall be made within three hours from the conclusion of the meeting; and provided further that, in cases where the Board meeting extends over more than one day, the financial results shall be disclosed within thirty minutes or three hours, as applicable, from the conclusion of the meeting on the day such financial results are considered.
  - twelve hours from the occurrence of the event or information, in case the event or information is emanating from within the listed entity;
- ii.twenty-four hours from the occurrence of the event or information, in case the event or information is not emanating from within the listed entity;
- \*Provided that if all relevant information relating to claims—excluding tax-related matters made against the listed entity, as referred to in sub-paragraph 8 of paragraph B of Part A of Schedule III, is maintained in the structured digital database in compliance with the SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015, then disclosure of such claims shall be made to the stock exchange(s) within seventy-two hours from the receipt of the notice by the listed entity.
- >Quantitative criteria would be calculated based on audited consolidated financial statements of the last audited financial year, and would mean event/ information where the value involved or the impact:
  - (a) two percent of turnover, as per the last audited consolidated financial statements of the listed entity;
  - (b) two percent of net worth, as per the last audited consolidated financial statements of the listed entity, except in case the arithmetic value of the net worth is negative;
  - (c) five percent of the average of absolute value of profit or loss after tax, as per the last three audited consolidated financial statements of the listed entity; whichever is lower.



- ➤ Qualitative criteria would mean an event/information:
- (a) the omission of an event or information, which is likely to result in discontinuity or alteration of event or information already available publicly; or
- (b) the omission of an event or information is likely to result in significant market reaction if the said omission came to light at a later date; or
- (c) any other event/information may be treated as being material if in the opinion of the Board of Directors of Company, the event / information is considered material.

## 8. \*\*\*GUIDELINES ON OCCURRENCE OF AN EVENT / INFORMATION:

The occurrence of material event/information would be either by the Company's own accord or not in the hands of the Company. It can be categorized as under:

- (a) depends upon the stage of discussion, negotiation or approval; and
- (b) in case of natural calamities, disruptions etc., it would depend upon the timing when the company became aware of the event/information.

Some events/information can be said to have occurred upon receipt of approval of Board of Directors, e.g., further issue of capital by rights issuance and in certain events/information after receipt of approval of both i.e., Board of Directors and shareholders.

However, considering the price sensitivity involved, for certain events e.g., decision on declaration of dividends etc., disclosure shall be made on receipt of approval of the event by the Board of Directors, pending shareholder's approval.

Some events/information can be said to have occurred when the Company becomes aware of the events/information, or as soon as, an officer of the entity has, or ought to have reasonably come into possession of the information in the course of the performance of his duties.

\*\*\*\*with effect from December 13, 2024 as per Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) (Third Amendment) Regulations, 2024

The term 'officer' shall have the same meaning as defined under the Act and shall also include Promoter of the Company.

#### 9. REQUIREMENTS FOR CERTAIN **TYPES** OF DISCLOSURE AGREEMENTS BINDING COMPANY

All the shareholders, promoters, promoter group entities, related parties, directors, key managerial personnel and employees of a Company or of its holding, subsidiary and associate company, who are parties to the agreements specified in clause 5A of para A of part A of schedule III to these regulations, shall inform the Company about the agreement to which the Company is not a party, within two working days of entering into such agreements or signing an agreement to enter into such agreements:



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Provided that for the agreements that subsist as on the date of notification of clause 5A to Para A of part A of schedule III, the parties to the agreements shall inform the Company, about the agreement to which the Company is not a party and the listed entity shall in turn disclose all such subsisting agreements to the Stock Exchanges and on its website within the timelines as specified by the Board.

## AUTHORIZED KEY MANAGERIAL PERSONNEL (KMP) FOR THE 10. PURPOSE OF DETERMINING MATERIALITY OF AN EVENT OR INFORMATION AND FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING DISCLOSURES TO STOCK EXCHANGE

In terms of Regulation 30(5) of the Listing Regulations, the board of directors of the Company shall authorize one or more Key Managerial Personnel for the purpose of determining materiality of an event or information and for the purpose of making disclosures to stock exchange(s) under this regulation and the contact details of such personnel shall be also disclosed to the stock exchange(s) and as well as on the Company's website.

The following KMPs are hereby severally authorized by Board of Directors for the purpose of determining materiality of an event or information and for the purpose of making disclosures to Stock Exchange(s) ("Authorized Person(s)"):

- 1.Mr. Atul Parshuram Pimple, Managing Director (atul.pimple@epps-erp.com);
- 2.Mrs. Archana Ashok Shiledar, Chief Financial Officer [archana.shiledar@epps-erp.com];
- 3.Mrs. Nitiksha Khandelwal, Company Secretary and Compliance officer [compliance@epps-erp.com].

Details of above KMPs shall be also disclosed to the Stock Exchange(s) and as well as on the Company's website.

The materiality of events outlined above are indicative in nature. There may be a likelihood of some unforeseen events emerging due to the prevailing business scenario from time to time. Hence, the relevant Authorized Person should exercise his/her own judgement while assessing the materiality of events associated with the Company.

In case the relevant Authorized Person perceives any doubt regarding materiality he/she may consult Chairman or any other Director before disclosing the information to the Stock Exchange(s).

#### Disclosure of events or information 11.

- The following events/information specified in para A of Part A of Schedule III to A. the Listing Regulations upon occurrence of which the Company shall make disclosure to the Stock Exchanges without any application of the guidelines for materiality:
- 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.

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

- i. acquiring control, whether directly or indirectly; or,
- acquiring or agreeing to acquire shares or voting rights in, a company, whether directly ii. orindirectly, such that
  - a) the listed entity holds shares or voting rights aggregating to five (5) percent or more of the shares or voting rights in the said company, or;
  - b) 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 (2) percent 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).
- Outcome of Meetings of the board of directors: The listed entity shall disclose to the 4. Exchange(s), within thirty (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) reissue of forfeited shares or securities, or the issue of shares or securities held in reserve for future issue or the creation in any form or manner of new shares or securities or any other rights, privileges or benefits to subscribe to;
  - g) short particulars of any other alterations of capital, including calls;
  - h) financial results:
  - i) decision on voluntary delisting by the listed entity from stock exchange(s).
- 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.
- 5A. Agreements entered into by the shareholders, promoters, promoter group entities, related parties, directors, key managerial personnel, employees of the Company or of its holding, subsidiary or associate company, among themselves or with the listed entity or with a third party, solely or jointly, which, either directly or indirectly or potentially or whose purpose and effect is to, impact the management or control of the listed entity or impose any restriction or create any liability upon the listed entity, shall be disclosed to the Stock Exchanges, including disclosure of any rescission, amendment or alteration of such agreements thereto, whether or



not the listed entity is a party to such agreements:

Provided that such agreements entered into by a Company in the normal course of business shall not be required to be disclosed unless they, either directly or indirectly or potentially or whose purpose and effect is to, impact the management or control of the listed entity or they are required to be disclosed in terms of any other provisions of these regulations.

Explanation: For the purpose of this clause, the term "directly or indirectly" includes agreements creating obligation on the parties to such agreements to ensure that listed entity shall or shall not act in a particular manner.

- 6. Fraud or defaults by a listed entity, its promoter, director, key managerial personnel, senior management or subsidiary or arrest of key managerial personnel, senior management, promoter or director whether occurred within India or abroad:.
- 7. \*\*\*\*Change in directors, key managerial personnel (Managing Director, Chief Executive Officer, Chief Financial Officer, Company Secretary etc.), Auditor and Compliance Officer.
- (7A) In case of resignation of the auditor of the Company, detailed reasons for resignation ofauditor, as given by the said auditor, shall be disclosed by the Company to the stock exchanges as soon as possible but not later than twenty-four hours of receipt of such reasons from the auditor.
- (7B)Resignation of independent director including reasons for resignation: In case of resignation of an independent director of the Company, within seven days from the date of resignation, the following disclosures shall be made to the stock exchanges by the listed
- i. The letter of resignation along with detailed reasons for the resignation as given by the said director.
- (ia). Names of listed entities in which the resigning director holds directorships, indicating the category of directorship and membership of board committees, if any.
- ii. The independent director shall, along with the detailed reasons, also provide a confirmation that there is no other material reasons other than those provided.
- iii. The confirmation as provided by the independent director above shall also be disclosed by the Company to the stock exchanges along with the disclosures as specified in sub-clause (i)and (ii) above.
- (7C) In case of resignation of key managerial personnel, senior management, Compliance Officer or director other than an independent director; the letter of resignation along with detailed reasons for the resignation as given by the key managerial personnel, senior management, Compliance Officer or director shall be disclosed to the stock exchanges by the Company within seven days from the date that such resignation comes into effect.
- (7D) In case the Managing Director or Chief Executive Officer of the listed entity was indisposed or unavailable to fulfil the requirements of the role in a regular manner for more than forty five days in any rolling period of ninety days, the same along with the reasons for such indisposition or unavailability, shall be disclosed to the stock exchange(s).

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- 8. Appointment or discontinuation of share transfer agent.
- 9. Corporate debt restructuring.
- 10. One-time settlement with a bank.
- 11. Reference to NCLT and winding-up petition filed by any party/creditors.
- 12. 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.
- 13. Proceedings of Annual and extraordinary general meetings of the listed entity.
- 14. Amendments to memorandum and articles of association of listed entity, in brief.
- 15. Schedule of Analyst or institutional investor meet and presentations on financial results made by the listed entity to analysts or institutional investors.
- The following events/ information specified in para B of Part A of Schedule III to B. the Listing Regulations upon occurrence based on application of guidelines on materiality as given in clause 5 of this 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 listed entity due to natural calamity (earthquake, flood, fire etc.), force majeure or events such asstrikes, lockouts etc.
- 7. Effect(s)arising out of change in the regulatory framework applicable to the listedentity.
- 8. Litigation(s)/dispute(s)/regulatory action(s) with impact.



- 9. Fraud/defaults etc., by Directors (other than key managerial personnel) oremployees of listed entity.
- 10. Options to purchase securities including any ESOP/ ESPS Scheme. Giving of guarantees or indemnity or becoming a surety for any third party.
- 11. Granting, withdrawal, surrender, cancellation or suspension of key licenses or regulatory approvals.
- 12. Delay or default in the payment of fines, penalties, dues, etc. to any regulatory, statutory, enforcement or judicial authority:
- C. Any other information/event viz., major development that is likely to affect business, e.g., emergence of new technologies, expiry of patents, any change of accounting policy that may have a significant impact on the accounts, etc., and brief details thereof and any other information which is exclusively known to the listed entity which may be necessary to enable the holders of securities of the listed entity to appraise its position and to avoid the establishment of a false market in such securities.
- **D.** Without prejudice to the generality of para (A), (B) and (C) above, the Company maymake disclosures of event/information as specified by the Board from time to time.
- E. The Company shall make disclosures updating Material developments on a regular basis, till such time the event is resolved/closed, with relevant explanations.
- F. The Company shall disclose all events or information with respect to its Material Subsidiaries, if any.
- G. The Company shall provide specific and adequate reply to all queries raised by stock exchange(s) with respect to any events or information.
- Procedural Guidelines for determination of materiality of events/information 12. In order to ensure that the Company complies with the disclosure obligations under Regulations 30 of the Listing Regulations, the following is an internal system for reporting any event/ information which may require disclosure so that the event/ information can be properly assessed and decision can be made regarding its disclosure to the Stock Exchanges. Under the system, all Functional/Whole time Directors including Managing Director and/or Key Managerial Personnel (KMP) are responsible for relevant areas of the Company's operations. All Functional/Whole time Directors must inform Managing Director or Whole time Director & CFO of the Company of any event/information which are material or may possibly be material or of which the KMP is unsure as to its materiality. The event/information should be reported immediately after a KMP becomes aware of it for the purpose of determining materiality of an event or information and for the purpose of making disclosures to stock exchange(s) under this regulation.

On receipt of communication of material/potential material event/information, Managing Director or Whole time Director & CFO along with the Company Secretary will:



- i. Review event/information and to take whatever steps necessary to verify itsaccuracy;
- ii. Apply the quantitative criteria whereby materiality shall become applicable to an event/information where the value involved or the impact exceeds 20% of the annual consolidated turnover or 40% net profit; or exceeds 30% of the net worth on the basis of the latest audited financial statements of the Company and any major expansion of business plans or execution of new projects of Rs. 100.00 crore (Rupees one hundred crores only) and above subject to necessary approvals if required, as applicable.
- iii. Assess whether the event/information is required to be disclosed to the Stock Exchanges under the Listing Regulations/in terms of "Clause 5- Criteria for determination of materiality of events/information" of this Policy.
- iv. Review updating material developments on a regular basis, till such time the event is resolved/closed.
- v. Review all events or information with respect to subsidiaries which are material for the listed entity.
- vi. Review specific and adequate reply to queries raised by stock exchange(s) with respect to any events or information.
- vii. Apply the Guidance on when an event/information has occurred.
- Refer matter for external legal advice where they are not certain about materiality of viii. event/information.

The procedure to be followed in relation to the disclosure/announcement of material event/information is as follows:

- a Prepare draft announcement to the Stock Exchanges: If the event/ information is material, the Strategic Business Unit/ Entity Heads of the Company & Heads of Subsidiaries will prepare draft announcement to the Stock Exchanges which is factual and expressed in clear manner and obtain approval of Chairman & Managing Director or Director - Finance of the Company and submit the announcement tothe Company Secretary.
- b. Make Announcements: The Compliance Officer on behalf of the Company will make or arrange for making the announcement with the Stock Exchanges asunder:
- i. as soon as reasonably possible and not later than twenty-four (24) hours from the occurrence of event or information covered under "Clause 6 -Disclosure of events or information" of this Policy.

Provided that in case the disclosure is made after twenty-four (24) hours of occurrence of the event or information, the listed entity shall, along with such disclosures provide explanation for delay.

Provided further that disclosure with respect to events specified in sub-clause4 of



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Clause 6.A. of this Policy shall be made within thirty (30) minutes of the conclusion of the board meeting.

c. Post announcement on website: After making the announcement with the Stock Exchanges, the Company Secretary will arrange to place it on the website of the Company. Such disclosures shall be hosted on the website of the listed entity for aminimum period of five (5) years and thereafter as per the archival policy of the listed entity.

### 13. **Communication of this Policy**

The Policy shall come into force with immediate effect. A copy of this Policy shall be circulated to the Board, Senior Management Personnel/Heads of Subsidiaries. All Senior Management Personnel are responsible to report material events or information or possible material events or information in the area of their operation to the concerned functional directors. This Policy shall also be posted on the web- site of the Company.

### 14. \*\*\*\*Effective Date

The Policy as approved by the Board of Directors shall be effective from 05/12/2024. However, the policy has been modified as per amendment in SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015 and approved by the Board in the meeting held on 30/04/2025 and effective accordingly.

### 15. Website

The Policy shall be disclosed on the website of the Company. Further, the Company shall disclose on its website all such events or information which has been disclosed to stock exchange(s) under the Listing Regulations and such disclosures shall be made available on the website of the Company for a period of five (5) years and, thereafter, as per the archival policy of the Company.

### 16. **Contact Details**

Questions or clarifications about the Policy or disclosures made by the Company should be referred to the Company Secretary and Compliance Officer, who is in charge of administering, enforcing and updating this Policy.

## Company Secretary and Compliance Officer

CS Nitiksha Khandelwal **EPPS Infotech Limited** Telephone: +91 88550 42399

Email: compliance@epps-erp.com

#### 17. Amendment

The Managing Director and Whole time Director & CFO are severally authorized to clarify any doubts or rectify any anomalies that may exist in connection with the effective execution of this Policy.



Disclaimer: The Board (including its duly constituted committees wherever permissible), shall have the power to amend any of the provisions of this Policy, substitute any of the provisions with a new provision or replace this Policy entirely with a new Policy. This Policy shall be subject to review/changes as may be deemed necessary and in accordance with regulatory amendments from time to time.

Adopted in Board Meeting held on 05th December, 2024 Last modified on 30th April, 2025

For EPPS Infotech Limited

**Authorised Signatory**