# **COVANCE SOFTSOL LIMITED**

CIN: L62011TS2023PLC175979

Registered Office: Plot No. 4, Infocity, Madhapur, Jubilee Hills, Shaikpet, Hyderabad-500033, Telangana, India.

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May 30, 2025

The Manager
The Department of Corporate Services
BSE Limited
25<sup>th</sup> Floor, P. J. Towers, Dalal Street, Mumbai-400 001

Dear Sir,

Sub: Annual Secretarial Compliance Report for the year ended March 31, 2025

Ref: Scrip Code: 544361

Pursuant to Regulation 24A of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, we are submitting herewith Annual Secretarial Compliance Report of the Company for the year ended March 31, 2025, issued by B S S & Associates, Company Secretaries, Hyderabad.

You are requested to kindly take the same on record.

Thanking You,

Thanking you & Yours faithfully

For Covance Softsol Limited

Bhaskar Rao Madala

Director

DIN: 00474589

Encl. as above



# **BSS&ASSOCIATES**

## **COMPANY SECRETARIES**

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### Secretarial Compliance Report of Covance Softsol Limited for the year ended March 31, 2025

To.

The Members,

#### COVANCE SOFTSOL LIMITED

Plot No. 4, Infocity, Madhapur, Jubilee Hills, Shaikpet, Hyderabad-500033, Telangana, India.

We noted that during the financial year 2024-2025, the Hon'ble National Company Law Board (NCLT), Hyderabad Bench vide its order dated 12.09.2024, sanctioned the scheme of arrangement among Softsol India Limited and Covance Softsol Limited and their respective shareholders and creditors inter-alia providing for the demerger of software business undertaking from Softsol India Limited to Covance Softsol Limited with the appointed date 1st April, 2023 and consequently equity shares of the company got listed at BSE Limited on 20th February, 2025. We hereby issue this Secretarial Compliance Report as stated below:

We, B S S & Associates, Company Secretaries, have examined:

- (a) all the documents and records made available to us and explanation provided by Covance SoftSol Limited [CIN: L62011TS2023PLC175979] ("the listed entity"), Listed on BSE on 20.02.2025
- (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 Report, for the financial year ended March 31, 2025 ("Review Period") in respect of compliance with the provisions of:
  - 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, whose provisions and the circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder, have been examined, include: -

- (a) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and amendments from time to time;
- (b) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018 and amendments from time to time – Not applicable during the Review Period;



- (c) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011 and amendments from time to time;
- (d) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Buy-back of Securities) Regulations, 2018 Not applicable during the Review Period;
- (e) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Share Based Employee Benefits and Sweat Equity) Regulations, 2021 - (applicable upto the extent of scheme of arrangement as approved by NCLT):
- (f) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Non-Convertible Securities) Regulations, 2021 - Not applicable during the Review Period;
- (g) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015 and amendments from time to time;
- (h) other regulations as applicable.

and circulars / guidelines issued thereunder;

and based on the above examination, 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, except in respect of matters specified below:-

Nil	Sr. No.	Compliance Requirement (Regulations / circulars / guidelines including specific clause)	Regulation / Circular No.	Deviations	Action taken by	Type of Action	Details of Violation	Fine Amount	Observations / Remarks of the Practicing Company Secretary	Manageme nt Response	Remarks
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(b) The listed entity has taken the following actions to comply with the observations made in previous reports:

Sr. No.	Observations/ Remarks of the Practicing Company Secretary (PCS) in the previous reports)	Observations made in the Secretarial Compliance report for the year ended	Compliance Requirement (Regulations/ circulars/ guidelines including specific clause)	Details of violation / Deviations and actions taken / penalty imposed, if any, on the listed entity	Remedial actions, if any, taken by the listed entity	Comments of the PCS on the actions taken by the listed entity
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We hereby report that, during the review period the compliance status of the listed entity is I. appended as below:

Sr. No	Particulars	Compliance status (Yes/No/NA)	Observations / Remarks by PCS
1.	Secretarial Standards: 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), as notified by the Central Government under section 118(10) of the Companies Act, 2013, and mandatorily applicable.	Yes	Nil



.	Adoption and timely updation of the Policies:		
	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 have been reviewed & updated on time, as per the regulations/circulars/guidelines issued by SEBI	Yes	Nil
	Maintenance and disclosures on Website:  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 redirects to the relevant document(s)/ section of the website	Yes	Nil
	Disqualification of Director:  None of the Director(s) of the Company is / are disqualified under Section 164 of Companies Act, 2013 as confirmed by the listed entity.	Yes	Nil
	Details related to Subsidiaries of listed entities have been examined w.r.t:  a) Identification of material subsidiary companies b) Disclosure requirement of material as well as other subsidiaries	Yes	Nil
5.	Preservation of Documents:  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	Yes	Nil
,	Performance Evaluation: 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.	Yes	Nil
3.	Related Party Transactions:  a) The listed entity has obtained prior approval of Audit Committee for all Related party transactions; or  b) The listed entity has provided detailed reasons along with confirmation whether the transactions were subsequently approved/ratified/rejected by the Audit Committee, in case no prior approval has been obtained.	Yes	Nil
9.	Disclosure of events or information: The listed entity has provided all the required disclosure(s) under Regulation 30 along with Schedule III of SEBI LODR Regulations, 2015 within the time limits prescribed thereunder.	Yes	Nil
0.	Prohibition of Insider Trading: The listed entity is in compliance with Regulation 3(5) & 3(6) SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015	Yes	Nil



11.	Actions taken by SEBI or Stock Exchange(s), if any:  No action(s) has been 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 except as provided under separate paragraph herein.	Yes	Nil
12	Resignation of statutory auditors from the listed entity or its material subsidiaries:  In case of resignation of statutory auditor from the listed entity or any of its material subsidiaries during the financial year, the listed entity and / or its material subsidiary(ies) has / have complied with paragraph 6.1 and 6.2 of section V-D of chapter V of the Master Circular on compliance with the provisions of the LODR Regulations by listed entities.	NA	There were no such transactions during the review period.
13.		Yes	No additional non-compliance observed for any of the SEBI regulation / circular / guidance note etc.

We further, report that the listed entity is in compliance/ not in compliance with the disclosure requirements of Employee Benefit Scheme Documents in terms of regulation 46(2) (za) of the LODR Regulations – NA.

Assumptions & Limitation of scope and Review:

 Compliance of the applicable laws and ensuring the authenticity of documents and information furnished, are the responsibilities of the management of the listed entity.

 Our responsibility is to report based upon our examination of relevant documents and information. This is neither an audit nor an expression of opinion.

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 SEBI (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 B S S & Associates Company Secretaries

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Satish Date: 2025.05.28 09:26:51 +05'30'

B. Sathish Partner

ACS No.: 27885 || C.P. No.: 10089 UDIN: A027885G000461241 Peer Review Certificate No.6513/2025

Place: Hyderabad Date: 28.05.2025