

Ref No: EIL/SEC/2023-24/46

Date: 7<sup>th</sup> September 2023

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| The Secretary<br><b>The Calcutta Stock Exchange Limited</b><br>7 Lyons Range<br>Kolkata - 700 00 I<br><b>CSE Scrip Code: 15060 &amp;10015060</b>  | The Secretary<br><b>BSE Limited</b><br>Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers Dalal Street,<br>Mumbai - 400 001<br><b>BSE Scrip Code: 500086</b> |
| The Secretary<br><b>National Stock Exchange of India Limited</b><br>Exchange Plaza, 5th Floor, Plot<br>no. C/1, G Block<br>Bandra-Kurla Complex, Bandra (E), Mumbai<br>- 400 051<br><b>NSE Symbol: EXIDEIND</b> | -   |

Dear Sir/Madam,

**Sub: Disclosure under Regulation 30 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("LODR Regulations") – Further investment in Wholly Owned Subsidiary through Rights Issue**

This is to inform you that on 7<sup>th</sup> September 2023, "Exide Industries Limited" ('Company/EIL') has invested Rs. 100,00,00,015/- (Rupees One hundred crore and fifteen only) by way of subscription in the equity share capital of its wholly owned subsidiary, "Exide Energy Solutions Limited" (hereinafter referred as 'EESL'), on rights basis. There is no change in the shareholding percentage of the Company in EESL pursuant to such an acquisition.

The detailed disclosure required under Regulation 30 read with para A of Part A of Schedule III of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("LODR Regulations") and SEBI Circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/CFD-PoD-1/P/CIR/2023/123 dated 13<sup>th</sup> July 2023 is enclosed herewith.

You are requested to kindly take the above on record.

Thanking you.

**For Exide Industries Limited**

**Jitendra Kumar**  
**Company Secretary &**  
**President (Legal & Corporate Affairs)**  
**ACS No.11159**

Encl: as above

Annexure

**Detailed disclosures under para A of Part A of Schedule III required under Regulation 30 of LODR Regulations:**

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| a. | Name of the target entity details in brief such as size, turnover etc.   | <p>Exide Energy Solutions Limited (EESL) is an existing wholly owned subsidiary of Exide Industries Limited (EIL). Some of the relevant details of EESL are given below:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Paid up equity share capital as on date: Rs. 374.40 crore</li> <li>- Net worth as on 31.03.2023: Rs. 655.20 crore</li> <li>- Turnover as on 31.03.2023: Nil</li> <li>- Loss after Tax for the year ended 31.03.2023: Rs. 59.81 crore</li> </ul> |
| b. | <p>Whether the acquisition would fall within related party transaction(s) and whether the promoter/ promoter group/ group companies have any interest in the entity being acquired?</p> <p>If yes, nature of interest and details thereof and whether the same is done at "arm's length"</p> | <p>Investment by EIL in the equity share capital of EESL through Rights issue will not be considered as related party transaction.</p> <p>The Promoter/promoter group/group companies have no interest in the transaction.</p>  |
| c. | Industry to which the entity being acquired belongs  | <p>Manufacturing battery cells of advanced chemistry and form factor, including but not limited to cylindrical, pouch, prismatic, (the "Battery Cells"), as well as manufacturing, assembling, selling battery modules, battery packs and other related activities thereto.</p>   |
| d. | Objects and effects of acquisition (including but not limited to, disclosure of reasons for acquisition of target entity, if its business is outside the main line of business of the listed entity)   | <p>The Company has made further investment by subscribing to equity shares offered by EESL on a rights basis to meet various funding requirements of EESL.</p> <p>With the current investment, EIL shareholding in EESL remains unchanged at 100%</p>   |
| e. | Brief details of any governmental or regulatory approvals required for the acquisition   | None  |
| f. | Indicative time period for completion of the acquisition   | The equity shares against the current investment were allotted on 7 <sup>th</sup> September 2023  |

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| g. | Nature of consideration whether cash consideration or share swap and details of the same   | Cash   |
| h. | Cost of acquisition or the price at which the shares are acquired  | 3,22,58,065 equity shares of Rs.10/ each were acquired at premium of Rs 21/- each aggregating to Rs 100,00,00,015/-  |
| i. | Percentage of shareholding / control acquired and / or number of shares acquired   | With the current investment, EIL shareholding in EESL remains unchanged at 100%  |
| j. | Brief background about the entity acquired in terms of products/line of business acquired, date of incorporation, history of last 3 years turnover, country in which the acquired entity has presence and any other significant information (in brief) | EESL was incorporated on 24th March 2022 and the business objects of it are explained in point no. c above<br><br>Turnover for last 3 years are:<br><br>FY 2023: NIL |