

May 24, 2023

**The General Manager** 

Corporate Relations Department Bombay Stock Exchange Limited 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, New Trading Ring Rotunda Building Towers Dalal Street, Fort Mumbai – 400 001

Scrip Code No. 532481

Mr. K Hari

Listing Department
National Stock Exchange of India Ltd.
Exchange Plaza, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor
Plot No. C/1, G Block
Bandra-Kurla Complex, Bandra
(E) Mumbai – 400 051

Scrip Code No. NOIDA TOLL EQ

Sub: Outcome of the Board Meeting held on May 24, 2023

Dear Sir/Madam,

Pursuant to the Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligation & Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, ("Listing Regulation") this is to inform you that the Board of Directors of Nodia Toll Bridge Company Limited ("the Company) at their Meeting held today i.e. May 24, 2023 has *inter alia* approved the following:

- 1. Standalone and Consolidated Audited Financial Results of the Company for the quarter and financial year ended on March 31, 2023;
- 2. Auditors' Report on the Audited Financial Result for the quarter and financial year ended on March 31, 2023;
- 3. Declaration on Auditors' Report with Unmodified Opinion.

The above results duly reviewed and recommended by the Audit Committee, have been approved by the Board of Directors of the Company.

The Meeting of the Board of Directors commenced at 01:10 p.m. and concluded at 04:15 p.m.

A copy of the above is being uploaded on the website of BSE / NSE and the Company's website at <a href="https://www.ntbcl.com">www.ntbcl.com</a>.

Further, The Trading Window for share dealings by Directors/Insiders of Noida Toll Bridge Co. Ltd. will be opened on Saturday, May 27, 2023, 48 hours after the publication of Audited Financial Results for the quarter and financial year ended on March 31, 2023. Intimation for the same has been sent to all concerned.

This is for your information and record.

Thanking You

For Noida Toll Bridge Company Limited

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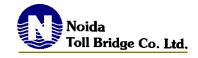
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**Company Secretary & Compliance Officer** 

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Sub: Declaration pursuant to Regulation 33(3)(d) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015

I, Rajiv Jain, Chief Financial Officer of Noida Toll Bridge Company Limited (CIN L45101DL1996PLC315772) having its registered office at Toll Plaza, Mayur Vihar Link Road, New Delhi – 110091, in terms of the provisions of Regulations 33(3)(d) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended, confirm and declare that the Statutory Auditors of the Company, N. M. Raiji & Co., Chartered Accountants (Firm Registration No. 108296W) have issued an Audit Report with unmodified opinion on the Audited Financial Results of the Company (Standalone & Consolidated) for the quarter and financial year ended March 31, 2023.

This declaration is for your information and record.

For Noida Toll Bridge Company Limited

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Rajiv Jain Chief Financial Officer



SI.No.	Particulars	Standalone				Consolidated					
	- Literals	Quarter ended		Year ended		Quarter ended			Year ended		
-	_	31.03.2023	31.12.2022	31.03.2022	31.03.2023	31.03.2022	31.03.2023	31.12.2022	31.03.2022	31.03.2023	31.03.2022
-		Audited	Unaudited	Audited	Audited	Audited	Audited	Unaudited	Audited	Audited	Audited
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
1	Income	1 1									
	Revenue from operations	453.54	652.39	599.48	2,372.43	1,613.68	453.54	652.39	599.48	2,372.43	1,613.68
_	Other income	69.31	66.18	57.23	309.40	108.91	69.84	66.36	51.34	310.41	109.51
	Total Income	522.85	718.57	656.71	2,681.83	1,722.59	523.38	718.75	650.82	2,682.84	1,723.19
П	Total Expenditure										
	Operating expenses	342.33	405.72	360.24	1,536.95	1,113.51	312.47	379.80	343.15	1,433.45	1,004.27
$\overline{}$	Employee benefits expense	25.12	20.77	20.60	87.82	83.10	33.25	27.97	. 28.23	117.06	114.22
	Finance costs	0.05	0.54	1.05	2.33	2.57	0.06	0.55	1.06	2.36	2.58
$\overline{}$	Depreciation and amortization expense	984.21	1,038.36	1,046.22	4,121.03	4,189.61	984.31	1,038.44	1,046.32	4,121.39	4,190.15
-	Other expenses	181.66	101.78	179.31	461.21	480.39	201.98	114.85	195.38	521.48	526.88
-	Total Expenditure	1,533.37	1,567.17	1,607.42	6,209.34	5,869.18	1,532.07	1,561.61	1,614.14	6,195.74	5,838.10
III	Profit / (Loss) for the period / year before taxation	(1,010.52)	(848.60)	(950.71)	(3,527.51)	(4,146.59)	(1,008.69)	(842.86)	(963.32)	(3,512.90)	(4,114.91)
IV	Tax Expense:	1	` '	` '							
	(1) Current Tax	-	-	-	-	-	. 0.14	0.04	-	0.35	
-	(2) Adjustment for current tax for earlier years	-	-	-	-		-	-	-	-	
-	(3) Deferred Tax	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	Total Tax Expenses			-	-	-	0.14	0.04	-	0.35	-
v	Net Profit / (Loss) from Continuing Operations	(1,010.52)	(848.60)	(950.71)	(3,527.51)	(4,146.59)	(1,008.83)	(842.90)	(963.32)	(3,513.25)	(4,114.91)
	Net Profit / (Loss) attributable to:		, ,								
$\overline{}$	Shareholders of the Company	(1,010.52)	(848.60)	(950.71)	(3,527.51)	(4,146.59)	(1,009.66)	(845.69)	(957.15)	(3,520.24)	(4,130.44)
-	Non-Controlling Interest	-	-	-	-	-	0.83	2.79	(6.17)	6.99	15.53
VI	Other Comprehensive Income										
	Actuarial (gain)/loss in respect of defined benefit plan	(0.63)	0.60	(3.68)	1.16	(1.88)	(1.09)	0.87	(3.77)	1.51	(1.55)
	Total Other Comprehensive Income	(0.63)	0.60	(3.68)	1.16	(1.88)	(1.09)	0.87	(3.77)	1.51	(1.55)
	Total Other Comprehensive Income attributable to:	` '						No. 1			
	Shareholders of the Company	(0.63)	0.60	(3.68)	1.16	(1.88)	(0.86)	0.74	(3.73)	1.34	(1.71)
	Non-Controlling Interest	-	-	-	-	-	(0.23)	0.13	(0.04)	0.17	0.16
VII	Total Comprehensive Income for the period / year	(1,011.15)	(848.00)	(954.39)	(3,526.35)	(4,148.47)	(1,009.92)	(842.03)	(967.09)	(3,511.74)	(4,116.46)
	Total Other Comprehensive Income attributable to:		,								
	Shareholders of the Company	(1,011.15)	(848.00)	(954.39)	(3,526.35)	(4,148.47)	(1,010.52)	(844.95)	(960.88)	(3,518.90)	(4,132.15)
	Non-Controlling Interest	-	-	-	-	-	0.60	2.92	(6.21)	7.16	15.69
VIII	Paid-up equity share capital										
	(Face Value Rs 10)	18,619.50	18,619.50	18,619.50	18,619.50	18,619.50	18,619.50	18,619.50	18,619.50	18,619.50	18,619.50
	Earning Per Share (Rs.)										
	Basic	(0.54)	(0.46)	(0.51)	(1.89)	(2.23)	(0.54)	(0.45)	(0.52)	(1.89)	(2.21)
	Diluted	(0.54)	(0.46)	(0.51)	(1.89)	(2.23)	(0.54)	(0.45)	(0.52)	(1.89)	(2.21)







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#### Notes to Financial Results

1 Statement of Assets and Liabilities (Audited)

Particulars	Standalone			Consolidated		
	As at 31-Mar-23	As at 31-Mar-22	As at 31-Mar-23	As a 31-Mar-2		
ASSETS	31-IVIAT-23	31-War-22	31-War-23	31-IVIAI-		
Non Current Assets						
(a) Property, plant and equipment	385.50	659.69	385.74	660.0		
(b) Other Intangible assets	29,632.02	33,467.59	29,632.02	33,467.5		
(c) Financial Assets						
(i) Investments	2.55	2.55	_			
(ii) Loans	-	- 1	2.28	3.6		
(iii) Other Financial Assets	33.41	33.41	33.61	33.6		
(d) Current Tax assets	2,355.00	2,355.00	2,355.00	2,355.0		
Total Non-Current Assets	32,408.48	36,518.24	32,408.65	36,519.8		
Current Assets						
(a) Inventories	_	16.21		16.2		
(b) Financial Assets						
(i) Trade receivables	96.54	818.10	96.54	818.1		
(ii) Unbilled Receivable	115.00	16.49	115.00	16.6		
(iii) Cash & Cash Equivalents	149.26	141.36	158.27	148.4		
(iv) Other Bank Balance	3,951.68	1,320.80	3,951.68	1,320.8		
(v) Loans			1.33	1.2		
(c) Current Tax assets	1,330.17	1,250.81	1,364.32	1,301.6		
(d) Other Current Assets	137.89	156.44	130.11	154.5		
Total Current Assets	5,780.54	3,720.21	5,817.25	3,777.7		
TOTAL ASSETS	38,189.02	40,238.45	38,225.90	40,297.6		
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES						
Equity						
(a) Share Capital	18,619.50	18,619.50	18,619.50	18,619.5		
(b) Other Equity	5,003.13	8,529.48	4,998.40	8,517.3		
	23,622.63	27,148.98	23,617.90	27,136.8		
(c) Non Controlling Interest	-	-	(6.91)	(14.0		
Total Equity	23,622.63	27,148.98	23,610.99	27,122.7		
Liabilities						
Non-Current Liablities						
(a) Financial Liabilities		1				
(i) Other Financial Liabilities	1,864.16	686.19	1,864.16	686.1		
(b) Other non-current liabilities	50.37	-	50.37			
(c) Provisions	8.79	8.42	12.07	14.8		
Total Non-Current Liablities	1,923.32	694.61	1,926.60	701.0		
Current Liabilities						
(a) Financial Liabilities						
(i) Borrowings	6,670.81	6,670.81	6,670.81	6,670.8		
(ii) Trade payables	150.57	174.33	171.03	225.8		
(iii) Other Financial Liabilities	272.95	313.82	280.60	322.4		
(b) Provisions	4,120.64	3,858.86	4,130.43	3,868.9		
(c) Other current liabilities	1,428.10	1,377.04	1,435.44	1,385.9		
Total Current Liabilities	12,643.07	12,394.86	12,688.31	12,473.8		





Statement of Cash Flow (Audited)

	Standalo	ne	Consolidated		
	For the year	For the year ended		For the year ended	
	31-Mar-23	31-Mar-22	31-Mar-23	31-Mar-22	
Cash flow from Operating Activities					
-Profit / (Loss) for the year	(3,527.51)	(4,146.59)	(3,512.90)	(4,114.91)	
Adjustments For :					
Depreciation	4,121.03	4,189.61	4,121.39	4,190.15	
Provision for diminishing value of inventory	16.22	16.21	16.22	16.21	
Finance Charges	2.33	2.57	2.36	2.58	
Interest Income	(296.64)	(61.94)	(297.65)	(62.40)	
Profit/(Loss) on sale of Fixed Assets	(0.16)	-	(0.16)	•	
Operating profit/ (loss) before working capital changes	315.27	(0.14)	329.26	31.63	
Adjustments for Movement in Working Capital:					
Decrease / (Increase) in Trade Receivable	721.56	257.98	721.55	257.98	
Decrease / (Increase) in Loans and Advances	(85.16)	(16.00)	(77.77)	(55.02)	
Increase / (Decrease) in Current and Non - Current Liabilities	1,511.44	93.00	1,474.48	106.61	
Cash generated from operations	2,463.11	334.84	2,447.52	341.20	
Tax (Paid)/ Refund	(79.36)	(89.22)	(62.66)	(89.02)	
Net cash from operating activities (A)	2,383.75	245.62	2,384.86	252.18	
B. CASH FLOW FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:					
Purchase of fixed assets	(11.27)	(115.92)	(11.48)	(115.97)	
Proceeds from Sale of fixed assets	0.16	- 1	0.16		
Deposit with Bank	(2,630.00)	(100.00)	(2,630.00)	(100.00)	
Proceeds from Deposits	22.05	- 1	22.05		
Interest received	245.54	57.74	246.56	52.39	
Net cash used in investing activities (B)	(2,373.52)	(158.18)	(2,372.71)	(163.58)	
C. CASH FLOW FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES:					
Interest and Finance Charges Paid	(2.33)	(2.57)	(2.36)	(2.58)	
Net cash generated from financing activities (C)	(2.33)	(2.57)	(2.36)	(2.58	
Net increase/ (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents (A+B+C)	7.90	84.87	9.79	86.02	
Cash and Cash Equivalents as at beginning of the year	141.36	56.49	148.48	62.46	
Cash and Cash Equivalents as at end of the year	149.26	141.36	158.27	148.48	





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- The above results have been subjected to an audit by the Statutory Auditors of the Company, reviewed by the audit committee and approved by the Board of Directors at its meeting held on May 24, 2023.
- The Hon'ble High Court of Allahabad has, vide its judgement dated October 26, 2016 on a Public Interest Litigation filed in 2012 (challenging the validity of the Concession Agreement and seeking the Concession Agreement to be quashed) directed the Company to stop collecting the user fee holding the two specific provisions relating to levy and collection of fee to be inoperative, but refused to quash the Concession Agreement. Consequently, collection of user fee from the users of the NOIDA bridge has been suspended from October 26, 2016, against which the Company has filed a Special Leave Petition (SLP) before the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India seeking an interim stay on the said judgment

On November 11, 2016, the Hon'ble Supreme Court issued its Interim Order, denying the interim stay and sought assistance of CAG to verify whether the Total Cost of the Project in terms of the Concessi recovered or not by the Company. The CAG has submitted its report to the Hon'ble Supreme Court and the bench has on September 14, 2018, directed that the report submitted by the CAG be kept in a sea

The Special Leave Petition (SLP) is still pending for final adjudication in the Hon'ble Supreme Court. The Company has also notified NOIDA that the Judgement of the Hon'ble Allahabad High Court, read with the Interim Order of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India constitutes a 'change in law' under the Concession Agreement and submitted a detailed proposal for modification of the Concession Agreement, so as to place the Company in substantially the same legal, commercial and economic position as it was prior to the said change in law. Since NOIDA did not act on the proposal, the Company had sent a notice of arbitration to NOIDA.

The Arbitral Tribunal has been constituted and both, the Company and NOIDA, have submitted their claims and counter claims. Further, NOIDA had filed an application under Section 16 of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1961 on the maintainability of the arbitration proceedings which was rejected by the Arbitral Tribunal vide order dated August 10, 2018.

NOIDA had filed an application in the Hon'ble Delhi High Court, under Section 34 of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1961, challenging the Arbitral Tribunal Order dated August 10, 2018, which has been disposed off by the Hon'ble Delhi High Court on January 31, 2019, without any relief to NOIDA.

NOIDA has also filed an application for directions before the Hon'ble Supreme Court, seeking a stay on the arbitral proceedings. On April 12, 2019, the Hon'ble Supreme Court directed a stay on the Arbitral proce

On January 31, 2020, the Company filed an application before the Hon'ble Supreme Court for vacation of the interim stay granted vide order dated April 12, 2019. In view of the outbreak of COVID-19, the functioning the formal supreme Court was limited to urgent matters only. Pursuant to the filing of letter of urgency, the matter was heard by the Hon'ble Supreme Court on September 21, 2020, October 5, 2020, November 18, 2020, 2021, March 16, 2021, April 15, 2021, July 26, 2021, August 10, 2021, September 8, 2021 and subsequently posted for October 26, 2021.

Meanwhile, the Company, on October 4, 2021, received a final Notice of demand dated September 30, 2021, from NOIDA, wherein NOIDA raised an alleged demand of Rs 26.05 crores payable by the Company within three of receipt thereof, failing which NOIDA threatened to remove all advertisement displays on the NOIDA side of the DND Flyway. On receipt of the said Notice, the Company filed an interim application on October 4, 2021, be the Horbie Supreme Court. It assed on the Letter of Urgency/ Mentioning filed by the Company, the matter was listed for hearing on October 26, 2021. Inspite of the Company informing all the developments at the Hot Supreme Court to NOIDA, the NOIDA authorities unlawfully removed all the advertisement displays from the NOIDA side of the DND Flyway on October 14, 2021.

on October 26, 2021, the matter was not taken up for hearing by the Hon'ble Supreme Court due to paucity of time. The Company once again physically mentioned the Urgency before the Hon'ble Supreme Court on 28, 2021 and the matter was listed for hearing on November 9, 2021 and subsequently was posted for hearing on December 1, 2021 and December 7, 2021. Subsequently, on December 9, 2021, the matter was need and was heard by the Hon'ble Supreme Court on December 15, 2021, January 6, 2022 and January 10, 2022. On January 19, 2022, the Hon'ble Supreme Court disposed the interim application filed on October 4, with the direction that the Company be permitted to put up outdoor advertisement on payment of Rs 125 per square feet per month, in advance, subject to the outcome of the SLP of 2016 filed by the Company.

The SLP was posted to March 29,2022 for final disposal, and thereafter has been posted on May 10, 2022, August 23, 2022, October 16, 2022, November 2, 2022 and January 10, 2023, but could not be taken up due to paucity of

Based on a legal opinion and reliance placed by the Board of Directors on the provisions of the Concession Agreement (relating to compensation and other recourses), the Company is confident that the underlying values of the intangible and other assets are not impaired.

The Company continues to fulfil its obligations as per the Concession Agreement, including maintenance of Project Assets

On September 20, 2021, the Company received an assessment order from the income Tax Department u/s 143(3) r.w.s. 144B of the Income Tax Act, 1961, for Assessment Year 2018-19, wherein a demand amounting to Rs.46.23 crores has been raised, primarily on account of valuation of land, by treating land as a revenue subsidy.

The Company has on September 30, 2021, requested the Assessing Officer to keep the penalty proceedings in abeyance and has filed an appeal on October 19, 2021, with the Commissioner of Income Tax (Appeals) and National Faceless Appeal Centre (NFAC), against the aforesaid assessment order.

During December 2019, the Company had received an assessment order from the Income Tax Department u/s 143(3) of the Income Tax Act, 1961, for Assessment Years 2016-17 and 2017-18, wherein a demand of Rs.357 crores and Rs.363.48 crores respectively was raised, based on the historical dispute with the Tax Department, which is primarily on account of addition of arrears of designated returns to be recovered in future, valuation of land and other recoveries. The Company has filed an appeal with the first level Appellate Authority. With the transition to Faceless Appeals, as introduced vide Faceless Appeal Scheme, 2020, both the appeals have been transferred to

The Company has also received a Show Cause Notice, dated May 15, 2021, \( \times 270A of the Income Tax Act, 1961, from the NFAC for Assessment Years 2016-17 and 2017-18. However, the Company has requested that the penalty proceedings be kept in abeyance as the appeals on merits are currently pending before the Commissioner of Income Tax (Appeals).

The Income Tax Department has, in earlier years, raised a demand of Rs. 1,340.03 crores, which was primarily on account of addition of arrears of designated returns to be recovered in future from toll and revenue subsidy on account of allotment of land. Pursuant to the receipt of order from CIT(A) on April 25, 2018, the Company has received a notice of demand from the Assessing Officer, Income Tax Department, New Delhi, in respect of Assessment Years 2006-07 to 2014-15, giving effect to the said order from CIT(A), whereby an additional tax demand of Rs. 10,893.30 crores was raised. The enhancement of the demand was primarily on account of valuation of land. The Company has filed an appeal along with the stay application with Income Tax Appellate Tribuni (TAT). The matter was heard by ITAT on December 19, 2018, January 2, 2019 and February 6, 2019 and based on NCLAT Order dated October 15, 2018, ITAT adjourned the matter sine die, with directions to maintain status quo.

Further, in November 2018, the CIT(A), Noida, passed a penalty order for Assessment Years 2006-07 to 2014-15, based on which the Assessing Officer Delhi, imposed a penalty amounting to Rs. 10,893.30 crores in Decei 2018. The Company has filed an appeal, along with a stay application with the Income Tax Appellate Tribunal (ITAT). The matter was heard by the ITAT on March 29, 2019 and May 3, 2019, which has adjourned the matter die, with directions to maintain status quo.

On April 21,2022, the Company filed an application for early hearing before Hon'ble ITAT and subsequently the matter was heard by ITAT on May 6,2022. The appeals on merits along with the stay application were posted for hearing on July 21,2022 and October 20,2022, however the matter couldn't be taken up since the Special counsel appointed by the Department sought the adjournment and the matter was listed for hearing on January 25,2023.

On January 25,2023 and March 15,2023, the same Learned members of the Hon'ble ITAT were presiding for two different benches and due to the paucity of time the matter could not be taken up. Since the appeals are covered by the stay, accordingly at the request of the Company's Counsel, the Hon'ble ITAT directed the department for no coercive action till the next date of hearing i.e. June 5,2023.

- In terms of an affidavit filed by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs with the Hon'ble National Company Law Appellate Tribunal (NCLAT) on May 21, 2019, the cut-off date of October 15, 2018 ("Cut-off date") was proposed. Hon'ble NCLAT vide its Order dated March 12, 2020, has approved the revised Resolution Framework submitted by the New Board along with its amendments. In the said Order, Hon'ble NCLAT has also approved October 2018 as the Cut Off date for initiation of resolution process for IL&FS and its group companies, including the Company. Accordingly, the Company has not provided for any interest on all its loans and borrowings with effect for October 15, 2018 ("Cut-off date").
- In terms of the License Agreement dated August 23, 2018 and November 1, 2018 and addendum thereto dated July 1, 2019, entered into with the erstwhile Licensee, the Company has terminated the said Contract as per the provisions thereof. The erstwhile Licensee has initiated an Arbitration proceeding against the Company. The matter with regard thereto has been heard by the Learned Arbitrator on December 6, 2022, December 9, 2022, and 2022, January 21, 2023, February 13, 2023, March 13, 2023, March 13, 2023, and has now been posted for hearing on July 7, 2023. The Company also challenged the order of the Arbitrator dated March 3, 2023, requiring the company to submit a fixed deposit of Rs 5 crores with the Arbitrator till the final disposal of the matter, in the Hon'ble HC of Delhi and has been able to obtain a stay on the said order
- The re-opening of the books of accounts, investigations by Serious Fraud Investigation Office ("SFIO") and other regulatory agencies and forensic examination by Grant Thornton India LLP, which is under process for certain group entities does not have any impact on the financial statements/operations of the Company.
- The Company has only one business segment and therefore reporting of segment wise information is not applicable
- The figures for the quarter ended March 31, 2023, are the balancing figures between the audited figures for the year ended March 31, 2023, and the published year to date figures upto nine months ended December 31, 2022, which have been subjected to a limited review by the statutory auditors.
- Previous period/ year figures have been regrouped / reclassified wherever necessary

As per our separate report of even date attached

For N. M. Raiji & Co Chartered Accountants Firm Reg No.108296W

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Vinay D. Balse

Place: Mumbai Date: May 24, 2023

PAIJI MUMBAI For and on behalf of the Board of Directors

Dheeraj Kumai **Executive Director** DIN no. 07046151

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Place: Noida Date: May 24, 2023 Chief Financial Officer



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Independent Auditor's Report on the Quarterly and Year to Date Audited Consolidated Financial Results of Noida Toll Bridge Company Limited Pursuant to the Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015

To the Board of Directors of Noida Toll Bridge Company Limited

### **Opinion**

We have audited the accompanying Statement of Consolidated Financial Results of **Noida Toll Bridge Company Limited** (the "Holding Company") and its subsidiary (the Holding Company and its subsidiary together referred to as the "Group") for the quarter and year ended March 31, 2023 (the "Statement"), being submitted by the Holding Company pursuant to the requirement of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended (the "Listing Regulations").

In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us and based on the consideration of the report of the other auditor on separate audited financial statement of the subsidiary, the Statement:

- i. includes the result of a subsidiary ITNL Toll Management Services Limited;
- ii. is presented in accordance with the requirements of Regulation 33 of the Listing Regulations; and
- iii. gives a true and fair view, in conformity with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in the Indian Accounting Standards ("Ind AS") and other accounting principles generally accepted in India, of the net loss and total comprehensive income and other financial information of the Group for the quarter and year ended March 31, 2023.

# **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with the Standards on Auditing ("SAs") specified under section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013 (the "Act"). Our responsibilities under those Standards are further described in the "Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Results" section of our report. We are independent of the Group in accordance with the Code of Ethics issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India ("ICAI") together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the Consolidated Financial Results for the quarter and year ended March 31, 2023, under the provisions of the Act and the Rules thereunder, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the ICAI's Code of Ethics. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.



### **Emphasis of Matter**

We draw your attention to:

- (a) Note 4 to the Statement, in which, pending the outcome of the Holding Company's appeal before the Hon'ble Supreme Court against the order of the Hon'ble High Court of Allahabad, stalling the levy and collection of toll fee, the Board has, based on a legal opinion and reliance placed on the provisions of the Concession Agreement relating to compensation and other recourses, taken a stand that the underlying value of the intangible and other assets is not impaired.
- (b) Note 5 to the Statement, as per which, in addition to the existing income tax demand on the Holding Company of Rs 1,34,002.60 lakhs for various assessment years between 2006-07 to 2014-15, the Holding Company was served an additional tax demand for the said years aggregating Rs.10,89,330 lakhs along with imposition of an equivalent amount of penalty i.e. Rs 10,89,330 lakhs for the said assessment years and also income tax demand for assessment years 2016-17, 2017-18 and 2018-19 aggregating Rs 78,671.39 lakhs, thus resulting in a total demand of Rs 23,91,333.99 lakhs. The Management of the Holding Company is of the view that the above demands are devoid of any justification or merit and that the Holding Company is confident of getting a favourable decision. Consequently, the Holding Company has not made any provision for the amount of tax demand in its financial statements.
- (c) Note 6 to the Statement, which relates to the Order dated March 12, 2020, of the Hon'ble NCLAT, confirming October 15, 2018, as the cut-off date for initiation of resolution process for IL&FS and its group companies. The said Order provides moratorium against actions by creditors against IL&FS and its group companies including the Holding Company. Consequently, the Holding Company has not made a provision for interest on loans, taken from ICICI Bank Limited and IL&FS Transportation Networks Limited (ITNL), aggregating Rs 313 lakhs and Rs 1,170.31 lakhs respectively for the quarter and for the year ended March 31, 2023 and Rs. 4,408.84 lakhs upto March 31, 2023.

Our opinion is not modified in respect of the above matters.

#### Management's Responsibilities for the Consolidated Financial Results

The Statement has been prepared on the basis of the consolidated financial statements.

The Holding Company's Board of Directors is responsible for the preparation of the Statement that gives a true and fair view of the net loss and other comprehensive income and other financial information of the Group, in accordance with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in Indian Accounting Standards, prescribed under Section 133 of the Act, read with relevant rules issued thereunder and other accounting principles generally accepted in India and in compliance with Regulation 33 of the Listing Regulations. The respective Board of Directors of the companies



included in the Group are responsible for maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of the Act, for safeguarding the assets of the Group and for preventing and detecting frauds and other irregularities; selection and application of appropriate accounting policies; making judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent; and the design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls that were operating effectively for ensuring the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, relevant to the preparation and presentation of the Statement that gives a true and fair view and is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the Statement, the respective Board of Directors of the Companies included in the Group is responsible for assessing the ability of the Group, to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the Board of Directors either intends to liquidate their respective entities or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

The respective Board of Directors of the Companies included in the Group is also responsible for overseeing the Group's financial reporting process.

### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Results

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the Statement as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with SAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of the Statement.

As part of an audit, in accordance with SAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the Statement, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal financial controls relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances. Under Section 143(3)(i) of the Act, we are also responsible for expressing our opinion through a separate report on the complete set of financial statements on whether the company has adequate internal financial controls with reference to financial statements in place and the operating effectiveness of such controls.



- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the Board of Directors.
- Evaluate the appropriateness and reasonableness of disclosures made by the Board of Directors in terms of the requirements specified under Regulation 33 of the Listing Regulations.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the Board of Directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Group's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the Statement or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Group to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the Statement, including the disclosures, and whether the statement represents the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the entities within the Group of which we are the independent auditors to express an opinion on the Statement. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the audit of financial information of such entities included in the Statement of which we are the independent auditors. For the other entities included in the Statement, which have been audited by other auditors, such other auditors remain responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the audits carried out by them. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

We communicate with those charged with governance of the Holding Company and such other entities included in the Statement of which we are independent auditors regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

We also performed procedures in accordance with the Circular issued by the SEBI under Regulation 33(8) of the Listing Regulations, to the extent applicable.

### **Other Matter**

i. The Statement includes the audited financial statement of a subsidiary, whose financial statement reflects total assets of Rs.58.23 lakhs as at March 31, 2023 and total revenue of Rs.60.53 lakhs and Rs.241.01 lakhs, total net profit after tax of Rs.1.71 lakhs and Rs.14.27 lakhs and total comprehensive income of Rs.1.24 lakhs and Rs.14.62 lakhs, for the quarter ended March 31, 2023 and for the year ended March 31, 2023, respectively, and cash flows (net) of Rs.1.88 lakhs for the year ended March 31, 2023, as considered in the Statement,



which has been audited by an independent auditor. The independent auditor's report on the financial statements of the subsidiary has been furnished to us and our opinion on the Statement, in so far as it relates to the amounts and disclosures included in respect of the subsidiary is based solely on the report of such auditor and the procedures performed by us as are stated in the paragraph above.

Our opinion on the Statement is not modified in respect of the above matter with respect to our reliance on the work done and the report of the other auditor.

In the Statement, the figures of the financial results as reported for the quarter ended March 31, 2023 and March 31, 2022 are the balancing figures between audited figures in respect of the full financial year and the published year to date figures upto the end of the third quarter of the relevant financial year, which figures were subjected to a limited review by us.

> For N. M. Raiji & Co. **Chartered Accountants** Firm Registration No.: 108296W

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Independent Auditor's Report on the Quarterly and Year to Date Audited Standalone
Financial Results of Noida Toll Bridge Company Limited Pursuant to the Regulation 33 of

the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015

To the Board of Directors of Noida Toll Bridge Company Limited

### **Opinion**

We have audited the accompanying Statement of Standalone Financial Results of **Noida Toll Bridge Company Limited** (the "Company"), for the quarter and year ended March 31, 2023 (the "Statement"), being submitted by the Company pursuant to the requirement of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended (the "Listing Regulations").

In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the Statement:

- is presented in accordance with the requirements of Regulation 33 of the Listing Regulations;
- ii. gives a true and fair view, in conformity with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in the Indian Accounting Standards ("Ind AS") and other accounting principles generally accepted in India, of the net loss and total comprehensive income and other financial information of the Company for the quarter and year ended March 31, 2023.

### **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with the Standards on Auditing ("SAs") specified under section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013 (the "Act"). Our responsibilities under those Standards are further described in the "Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Standalone Financial Results" section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the Code of Ethics issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India ("ICAI") together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the Standalone Financial Results for the quarter and year ended March 31, 2023, under the provisions of the Act and the Rules thereunder, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the ICAI's Code of Ethics. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.



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#### Management's Responsibilities for the Standalone Financial Results

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assets of the Company and for preventing and detecting frauds and other irregularities; selection and application of appropriate accounting policies; making judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent; and the design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls that were operating effectively for ensuring the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, relevant to the preparation and presentation of the Statement that gives a true and fair view and is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

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> For N. M. Raiji & Co. **Chartered Accountants**

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Place: Mumbai Date: May 24, 2023