

AURO LABORATORIES LIMITED

POLICY FOR DETERMINATION OF MATERIALITY OF ANY EVENTS / INFORMATION

(Original Effective date: February 9, 2016

First amended in the Board Meeting held on July 31, 2023)

1. INTRODUCTION AND BACKGROUND:

As per Regulation 30(4)(ii) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("Listing Regulations/LODR"), a listed Company shall frame a Policy for determining materiality of events or information that warrant disclosure to investors. In accordance of the same the Board of Directors ("Board") of **AURO LABORATORIES LIMITED** ("Company") has adopted the 'Policy for Determination of Material Events or Information' ("Policy") in its meeting held on **February 09, 2016**. (Annexed as Annexure I)

SEBI vide SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) (Second Amendment) Regulations, 2023 ("Amendment Regulations") dated June 14, 2023 has notified several changes to the Listing Regulations with respect to the disclosure of material events which shall come into force on July 14, 2023. In view of the same, the Board of Directors of the Company has amended this policy to align with the amended LODR provisions.

This amended Policy will be effective from July 14, 2023.

In the event of any subsequent amendments to the Listing Regulations which makes any of the provisions in the Policy inconsistent, the provisions of the Listing Regulations shall prevail.

2. **DISCLOSURE OF EVENTS OR INFORMATION:**

The events or information specified **in Para A of Part A of Schedule III** of the Listing Regulations are deemed to be material and shall be disclosed by the Company to the Stock Exchanges, **without the application of any materiality thresholds** specified in this Policy.

The events or information specified in **Para B of Part A of Schedule III** of the Listing Regulations shall be disclosed to the Stock Exchanges **based on application of the materiality criteria materiality**, as laid out in Clause 3 of this Policy.

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 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.

The Company may make disclosures of event/information as specified by SEBI from time to time.

This Policy shall also apply to the events to which neither Para A or Para B of Part A of Schedule III applies but have a material effect on the Company.

3. Materiality Threshold

Where the omission of an event or information:

- a. which is likely to result in discontinuity or alteration of event or information already available publicly; or
- **b.** is likely to result in significant market reaction if the said omission came to light at a later date; or
- c. whose value or the expected impact in terms of value, exceeds the lower of the following:
 - i. **two percent of turnover**, as per the last audited consolidated financial statements of the listed entity
 - ii. **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;
 - iii. **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.

In case where the criteria specified in sub-clauses (a), (b) and (c) is not applicable, an event or information may be treated as being material if in the opinion of the Board, the event or information is considered material.

4. Timeline for Disclosure

The Company shall first disclose to the Stock Exchange(s) all events or information which are material in terms of the provisions of this Policy and Regulation 30 of the Listing Regulations, as soon as reasonably possible and in any case not later than the following:

- i. **thirty minutes** from the **closure of the meeting** of the board of directors in which the decision pertaining to the event or information has been taken;
- ii. twelve hours from the occurrence of the event or information, in case the event or information is emanating from within the Company;
- iii. **twenty four hours** from the occurrence of the event or information, in case the event or information **is not emanating from within the Company**.

Provided that the disclosure with respect to events for which timelines have been specified in Part A of Schedule III shall be made within such timelines.

Provided further that in case the disclosure is made after the timelines specified under this regulation, the Company shall, along with such disclosure provide the explanation for the delay.

5. Authorised Person

Pursuant to Regulation 30(5) if the Listing Regulations, the Board shall authorise Person responsible for the purpose of determining materiality of an event or information for the purpose of making disclosure to the Stock Exchange(s) and disclose the names along with the contact details of the authorized persons to the Stock Exchanges and on the Company's website.

6. Disclosure Process

All the Key Managerial Personnel of the Company shall be under an obligation to disclose events /or information purported to be reportable under Regulation 30 of the Listing

Regulations, to the authorised persons on an immediate basis with adequate supporting data/information to facilitate a prompt and appropriate disclosure. Any other event, even if not covered under the Regulations but is potentially of price sensitive nature, must also be informed, for further evaluation to the authorized persons of the Company.

Upon receipt of information, authorised persons shall consult Chairman-Managing Director and Chief Financial Officer before making disclosure of the material events and / or price sensitive information to the Stock Exchanges.

The authorized persons shall make disclosures, updating material developments on a regular basis, till such time the event is resolved / closed, with relevant explanations.

All events or information which have been disclosed to the Stock Exchanges in accordance with this Policy, shall be disclosed on the website of the Company and such disclosures shall be hosted on the website of the Company for a minimum period of 5 (five) financial years and thereafter as per the 'Archival Policy' of the Company.

The authorised person shall adhere to the statutory timeframes for disclosure and in case of delay, sufficient explanation shall be provided along with the disclosure.

7. Disclosure of the policy

This policy shall be disclosed on the Company's website www.aurolabs.com.

8. Amendments/Modifications

The Board shall be entitled to amend or modify this Policy in whole or in part, at any time, when it deems appropriate or pursuant to any amendment to the applicable provisions of the Listing Regulations.

9. Events/Information

The Listing Regulations including Part A of Schedule III of the Listing Regulations, as amended from time to time is available on the website of SEBI at https://www.sebi.gov.in/sebiweb/home/HomeAction.do?doListing=yes&sid=1&ssid=3&smid=0



Annexure-I

AURO LABORATORIES LIMITED

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1. PREFACE:

In accordance with Clause (ii) of sub-regulation (4) of Regulation 30 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("Listing Regulations"), the Board of Directors (the "Board") of AURO LABORATORIES LIMITED (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.

2. OBJECTIVE OF THE POLICY:

The objective 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, as amended from time to time.

3. <u>CRITERIA FOR DETERMINATION OF MATERIALITY OF EVENTS / INFORMATION:</u>

The following criteria shall be considered for determination of materiality of events / information to be disclosed to the Stock Exchanges [as specified in clause (i) of sub-regulation 4 of Regulation 30 of the Listing Regulations, as amended from time to time:

- (a) the omission of an event / information, which is likely to result indiscontinuity oralteration of event or information already available publicly;
- (b) the omission of an event / information is likely to result in significant market reaction if the said omission came to light at a later date;
- (c) 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 Board of Directors of the Company, the event / information is considered material.



4. <u>DISCLOSURE OF EVENTS / INFORMATION</u>

- A. The following are the events / information (as specified in Para A of Part A of Schedule III to the Listing Regulations, as amended from time to time) upon occurrence of which theCompany shall make disclosure to the Stock Exchanges without any application of the guidelines for materiality:
 - i. Acquisition(s) (including agreement to acquire), Scheme of Arrangement (amalgamationmerger/ 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 a. acquiring control, whether directly or indirectly; or,

- b. 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 centor more of the shares or voting rights in the said company, or;
 - there has been a change in holding from the last disclosure made undersubclause(a) of clause (ii) of the Explanation to this sub-para and such changeexceeds twoper cent of the total shareholding or voting rights inthe said company.
 - ii. 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.
 - iii. Revision in Rating(s).
 - iv. 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. 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).
- v. 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.
- vi. Fraud/defaults by promoter or key managerial personnel or by listed entity or arrest of key managerial personnel or promoter.
- vii. Change in directors, key managerial personnel (Managing Director, Chief Executive Officer, Chief Financial Officer, Company Secretary etc.), Auditor and Compliance Officer.
- viii. Appointment or discontinuation of share transfer agent.
- ix. Corporate debt restructuring.
- x. One time settlement with a bank.
- xi. Reference to BIFR and winding-up petition filed by any party / creditors.
- xii. 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.
- xiii. Proceedings of Annual and extraordinary general meetings of the listed entity.
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- xv. Schedule of Analyst or institutional investor meet and presentations on financial results made by the listed entity to analysts or institutional investors;
- B. The following are the events / information (as specified in Para B of Part A of Schedule II to the Listing Regulations, as amended from time to time) upon occurrence of which the disclosure is to be made to the Stock Exchanges after applying the criteria of materialitymentioned in Clause 3 above and after following the procedural guidelines as given hereafter in this clause:
 - i. Commencement or any postponement in the date of commencement of commercial production or commercial operations of any unit/division.
 - ii. 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).
- iii. Capacity addition or product launch.
- iv. Awarding, bagging/ receiving, amendment or termination of awarded/bagged orders/contracts not in the normal course of business.
- v. Agreements (viz. loan agreement(s) (as a borrower) or any other agreement(s) which are Agreements (viz. loan agreement(s) (as a borrower) or any other agreement(s) which are termination(s) thereof.
- vi. 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 as strikes, lockouts etc.
- vii. Effect(s) arising out of change in the regulatory framework applicable to the listed entity.
- viii. Litigation(s) / dispute(s) / regulatory action(s) with impact.
- ix. Fraud/defaults etc. by Directors (other than key managerial personnel) or employees of listed entity.
- x. Options to purchase securities including any ESOP/ESPS Scheme.
- xi. Giving of guarantees or indemnity or becoming a surety for any third party.
- xii. Granting, withdrawal, surrender, cancellation or suspension of key licenses or regulatory approvals.



- xiii. Any other events / information which is exclusively known to the Company and 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.
- C. The disclosure to the stock exchange/s is to be made as soon as reasonably possible and not later than twenty-four (24) hours from the occurrence of such event or information in the following manner:
 - i. inform the stock exchanges on which the securities of the Company are listed:
 - ii. inform the stock exchanges on which the securities of the Company are listed;

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

Provided further that disclosure with respect to events / information specified in subpara 4 of Para A of Clause 4 above shall be made within 30 minutes of the conclusion of the board meeting.

- D. The disclosure is to be made updating material developments on a regular basis, till such time the event is resolved/closed, with relevant explanations.
- E. The disclosure is to be made of all events / information with respect to the Material Subsidiaries of the Company.
- F. Specific and adequate reply to all queries raised by the Stock Exchange(s) with respect to any events / information disclosed shall be provided by the Company. Further, if any event / information is reported in the media, confirmation or denial of the same may be provided by the Company to the Stock Exchange(s) on its own initiative.
- G. In case where an event occurs or information is available with the Company, which has not been indicated in A or B above, but which may have material effect on it, the Company will make adequate disclosures in regard thereof.
- H. All the above disclosures would be hosted on the website of the Company for a minimum period of five years and thereafter archived as per Company's Archival Policy.



5. WHEN AN EVENT / INFORMATION CAN BE SAID TO HAVE OCCURRED:

In certain instances, the occurrence of material events / information would depend upon the stage of discussion, negotiation or approval and in other instances where there is no such discussion, negotiation or approval required e.g. in case of natural calamities, disruptions etc., it would depend upon the timing when the company became aware of the events / information.

The events/information can be said to have occurred when the Company becomes aware of theevents/ 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.

Here, the term "officer" shall have the same meaning as defined under the Companies Act, 2013 and shall also include promoter of the company.

6. PROCEDURAL GUIDELINES FOR DETERMINATION OF MATERIALITY OF EVENTS / INFORMATION:

The Board of Directors of the Company has authorized the Chairman and Company Secretary / Chief Financial Officer of the Company in consultation with Chairman for thepurpose of determining materiality of an event or information and make disclosure of suchmaterial event or information to the Stock Exchange/s.

7. DISSEMINATION OF THIS POLICY:

This policy shall be disclosed on the Company's website www.aurolabs.com the contactdetails of the authorized persons shall be disclosed to the Stock Exchanges and be madeavailable on the Company's website as aforesaid.

8. AMENDMENT:

The Board of Directors of the Company is authorized to make necessary changes to the abovepolicy as and when required. If any change is necessary to be made due to statutoryamendments, the same may be made with the approval of the Chairman / Managing Director the Company and the same shall be placed at the next meeting of the Board of Directors for its information and ratification.

9. EFFECTIVE DATE:

This Policy is effective February 9, 2016.
