

28 May, 2025

To The Manager National Stock Exchange of India Limited Exchange Plaza, C-1, Block-G Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra (E) Mumbai - 400 051

### Sub: <u>Secretarial Compliance Report in terms of Regulation 24A(2) read with Regulation 62M(2) of</u> <u>the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements)</u> <u>Regulations, 2015 ("Listing Regulations")</u>

Dear Sir / Madam,

Please find enclosed Secretarial Compliance Report for the financial year ended 31 March, 2025, issued by M/s. Vinod Kothari & Company, Practicing Company Secretaries, in terms of Regulation 24A(2) read with Regulation 62M(2) of the Listing Regulations.

Kindly take the same on your records.

Yours faithfully,

For SMFG India Home Finance Company Limited PARTHASARATHY RAJAGOPAL IYENGAR Parthasarathy Iyengar Company Secretary & Compliance Officer Membership No. A21472

Encl: As above

#### SMFG India Home Finance Co. Ltd.

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# **VINOD KOTHARI & COMPANY**

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### Secretarial compliance report of SMFG India Home Finance Company Limited for the year ended March 31, 2025

We have examined:

- (a) all the documents and records made available to us and explanation provided by SMFG India Home Finance Company Limited ("the listed entity"),
- (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 year ended March 31, 2025 ("Review Period") in respect of compliance with the provisions of:

- (a) 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 ('LODR Regulations');
- (b) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Non-Convertible Securities) Regulations, 2021;
- (c) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015;
- (d) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Debenture Trustee) Regulations,1993 (in relation to obligations of Issuer Company); and
- (e) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Registrars to an Issue and Share Transfer Agents) Regulations, 1993;

and circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder;

and based on the above examination, we hereby report that, during the Review Period:

I. (a) The listed entity has complied with the provisions of the above Regulations and circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder, <u>except</u> in respect of matters specified below:-

Sr.	Compliance	<b>Regulation</b> /	Deviations	Action	Type of	Details of	Fine	Observations/	Management	Remarks
No.	Requirement	circular no.		taken by	action	violation	amount	remark of the	response	
	(Regulations/							PCS		
	circulars /									
	guidelines									
	including									
	specific clause)									
	Not applicable									

(b) The listed entity has taken the following actions to comply with the observations made in previous reports:

Sr.	Observations/	Observations	Compliance Requirement	Details of violation /	Remedial actions, if	Comments		
No.	Remarks Of the	made in the	(Regulations/ circulars/	deviations and actions	any, taken by the	of the PCS		
	Practicing	secretarial	guidelines including specific	taken / penalty	listed entity	on the		
	Company Secretary	compliance	clause)	imposed, if any, on the		actions		
	in the previous	report for the		listed entity		taken by the		
	reports) (PCS)	year ended				listed entity		
	Not Applicable							

II. We hereby report that, during the Review Period the compliance status of the listed entity is appended as below:

Sr. no.	Particulars	Compliance Status (Yes/No/NA)	Observations/ Remarks by PCS	
1.	Secretarial Standard The compliances of the listed entity are in accordance with applicable Secretarial Standards (SS) issued by ICSI, namely SS-1 and SS-2	Yes	-	
2.	<ul> <li>Adoption and timely updation of the Policies:</li> <li>All applicable policies under SEBI Regulations are adopted with the approval of board of directors of the listed entity</li> <li>All the policies are in conformity with SEBI Regulations and has been reviewed &amp; timely</li> </ul>	Yes	-	
2	updated as per the regulations /circulars /guidelines issued by SEBI. Maintenance and disclosure on website	Yes		
3	• The listed entity is maintaining a functional website.	Yes	As per clause 1 of para A of Chapter VII of SEBI Master Circular for listing obligations and disclosure requirements for Non-	
	• Timely dissemination of the documents/ information under a separate section on the website.	Yes	convertible Securities, Securitized Debt Instruments and/ or	
	• 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.	NA	Commercial Paper dated May 21, 2024, High Value Debt Listed Entities are not required to provide the web-links in corporate governance reports submitted under Regulation 27(2) read with Regulation 62Q at the end of the financial year.	
4	Disqualification of Director None of the Directors of the listed entity are disqualified under section 164 of the Companies Act, 2013 as confirmed by the listed entity.	Yes	We have verified the same bas the declarations furnished be Directors, details of filing on MC website and list of disqualified directors as uploaded by the Registrar of Companies from time to time.	
5	To examine details related to Subsidiaries of the listed entity:			
	<ul><li>a. Identification of material subsidiary companies</li><li>b. Requirements with respect to disclosure of</li></ul>	a. NA	The listed entity does not have a subsidiary.	
6	material as well as other subsidiaries. Preservation of Documents:	b. NA	Basis the checking carried out on	

Sr. no.	Particulars	Compliance Status (Yes/No/NA)	Observations/ Remarks by PCS
	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 the LODR Regulations.	Yes	
7	Performance Evaluation The listed entity has conducted performance evaluation of the Board, Independent Directors and the Committees at the start of every financial year as prescribed in SEBI Regulations.	Yes	Noted in the Board Meeting dated May 09, 2024 and disclosed in the annual report for FY 2023-24.
8	<ul> <li><u>Related Party Transactions</u></li> <li>a. The listed entity has obtained prior approval of Audit Committee for all related party transaction.</li> <li>b. In case no prior approval obtained, the listed entity shall provide the detailed reasons along with confirmation whether the transactions were subsequently approved/ratified/rejected by the Audit committee.</li> </ul>	a. Yes b. NA	We did not come across any instance of ratification in the minutes of the Audit Committee for transactions pertaining to FY 2024-25.
9	Disclosure of events or information: The listed entity has provided all the required disclosure(s) under Regulation 51 along with Schedule III of LODR Regulations within the time limits prescribed thereunder.	Yes	
10	Prohibition of Insider Trading The listed entity is in compliance with the Regulation 3(5) & 3(6) SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015	Yes	We undertook a process walkthrough and checked entries made in the structured digital database.
11	Actions taken by SEBI or Stock Exchange(s), if any: No Actions taken against the listed entity/ its promoters/ directors/ subsidiaries either by SEBI or by the stock exchanges (including under the Standard Operating Procedures issued by SEBI through various circulars) under SEBI Regulations and circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder.	Yes	Basis our verification from the website of SEBI and stock exchanges, we did not come across any such instance, during the review period. Refer to the note below.
fine comp	Concernation of the National Stock Exchange of Rs. 10,000/- on SMFG India Credit Company pliance with Regulation 60(2) of LODR Regulation A waiver application was also filed by SMICC, w	v Limited ('SMIC ons for the FY 23	CC'), the parent company, for non- 2-24. SMICC paid the penalty to the

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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	The stipulations provided in the said SEBI Master Circular are not applicable to the entity being a debt listed entity as the circular has been issued in terms of Reg. 30(2) and Reg. 36(5) of the LODR Regulations.
13	Additional Non-Compliances, if any: No any additional non-compliance observed for all SEBI regulation/ circular/guidance note etc.	NA	We did not come across any such instance.

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: Not applicable, as the provisions of Reg. 46 of LODR Regulations are not applicable on the entity being a debt listed entity.

#### Assumptions & Limitation of scope and Review:

- Compliance of the applicable laws and ensuring the authenticity of documents and information furnished, 1. are the responsibilities of the management of the listed entity.
- 2. 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 3. listed entity.
- This Report is solely for the intended purpose of compliance in terms of Regulation 24A (2) read with 4. Regulation 62M of the LODR Regulations 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 M/s Vinod Kothari & Company **Practicing Company Secretaries** Unique Code: P1996WB042300



**Digitally signed** by VINITA Date: 2025.05.27

Vinita Nair **Joint Managing Partner** Membership No.: F10559 **CP No.: 11902** UDIN: F010559G000455102 Peer Review Certificate No.:4123/2023

**Place: Mumbai** Date: May 27, 2025