

## VARDHMAN HOLDINGS LIMITED

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Dated: 27-May-2025

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Exchange Plaza, Bandra-Kurla Complex, Bandra (East), MUMBAI-400 051

National Stock Exchange of India Ltd,

Scrip Code: 500439

Scrip Code: VHL

SUB: COMPLIANCE UNDER REGULATION 24(A) OF SEBI (LISTING OBLIGATIONS AND DISCLOSURE REQUIREMENTS) REGULATIONS, 2015.

Sir

Pursuant to Regulation 24(A) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, please find enclosed herewith Annual Secretarial Compliance Report duly issued by M/s. Khanna Ashwani & Associates, Company Secretary in Practice, for the financial year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025.

This is for your kind information and records.

Thanking You,

Yours faithfully,

FOR VARDHMAN HOLDINGS LIMITED

(ANKIT SINGLA)
COMPANY SECRETARY



## Khanna Ashwani & Associates

(Peer Reviewed Firm of Company Secretaries)

Secretarial, Legal & Corporate Advisory Services

GSTIN: 03ACCPK3016E1ZF

CS Ashwani Kumar Khanna (Proprietor) (B.COM, CAIIB, FCS)

## Secretarial Compliance Report of Vardhman Holdings Limited for the year ended 31st March, 2025.

To, Vardhman Holdings Limited. Chandigarh Road, Ludhiana, Punjab Pb 141010.

We Khanna Ashwani & Associates have examined:

- (a) all the documents and records made available to us and explanation provided by **Vardhman Holdings 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 certification,

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
- 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 (including amendments, modifications from time to time), 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; (as amended from time to time)
- (b) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018; (Not Applicable to the company during the review period)
- (c) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011; (as amended from time to time)
- (d) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Buyback of Securities) Regulations, 2018; (Not Applicable to the company during the review period)



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- (e) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Share Based Employee Benefits and Sweat Equity) Regulations, 2021; (Not Applicable to the company during the review period)
- (f) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Non Convertible Securities) Regulations, 2021; (Not Applicable to the company during review period)
- (g) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015;
- (h) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Depositories and Participants) Regulations, 2018;
- (i) 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:

(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:-

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

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(c) we hereby report that, during the review period the compliance status of the listed entity with the following requirements:

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 India (ICSI)	Yes	None
2	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 has been reviewed & timely updated as per the regulations/circulars/guidelines issued by SEBI	Yes	None
3	Maintenance and disclosures on Website:              The Listed entity is maintaining a functional website.             Timely dissemination of the documents/ information under a	Yes	None



	separate section on the website.  • Web-links provided in annual corporate governance reports under Regulation 27(2) are accurate and specific which re- directs to the relevant document(s)/ section of the website.		
4	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	None
5	To examine details related to Subsidiaries of listed entities:  (a) Identification of material subsidiary companies.  (b) Requirements with respect to disclosure of material as well as other subsidiaries.	NA	The Company does not have any subsidiary
6	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	None
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	None
8	Related Party Transactions:  (a) The listed entity has obtained prior approval of Audit Committee for all related party transactions;  (b) In case no prior approval obtained, the listed entity shall provide detailed reasons along with confirmation whether the transactions were subsequently approved / ratified/rejected by the Audit Committee.	Yes Not Applicable	None Not Applicable
9	Disclosure of events or information: The listed entity has provided all the required disclosure(s) under Regulation 30	Yes	None



	along with Schedule III of SEBI LODR Regulations, 2015 within the time limits prescribed thereunder.		
10	Prohibition of Insider Trading: The listed entity is in compliance with Regulation 3(5) & 3(6) SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015.	Yes	None
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 Stock Exchanges (including under the Standard Operating Procedures issued by SEBI through various circulars) under SEBI Regulations and circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder.	Yes	None
12	Resignation of Statutory Auditors from the Listed entity or its material subsidiary: 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	No resignation during the year
13	Additional Non-compliances, if any: No additional non-compliance observed for all SEBI regulation/ circular/guidance note etc.	NA	None

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



## Assumptions & Limitation of scope and Review:

- 1. Compliance of the applicable laws and ensuring the authenticity of documents and information furnished, are the responsibilities of the management of the listed entity.
- 2.Our responsibility is to certify based upon our examination of relevant documents and information. This is neither an audit nor an expression of opinion.
- 3.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.
- 5.It is the responsibility of the Company's management to maintain records and establish appropriate systems for ensuring compliance with applicable SEBI Regulations, circulars, and guidelines issued from time to time and to ensure the adequacy and operational effectiveness of such systems.
- 6. The audit was conducted in accordance with the Guidance Note on Annual Secretarial Compliance Report issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India (ICSI), involving such examinations and verifications as deemed necessary and adequate for the purpose.

Place: Ludhiana Date: 23-05-2025

UDIN: F003254G000416029

For Khanna Ashwani & Associates (Peer Reviewed firm of Company Secretaries)

Ashwani Kumar Khanna (Practising Company Secretary) (B.Com, FCS, CA-IIB) M.No. F-3254

CP No. 2220

Peer Review Number: 1190/2021