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**NSE Scrip Code: HCLTECH** 

# Sub.: Annual Secretarial Compliance Report for the year ended March 31, 2021

Dear Sir,

In compliance of Regulation 24A of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements), Regulations, 2015, read along with clause 3(b)(iii) of the SEBI Circular CIR/CFD/CMD1/27/2019 dated February 8, 2019, we are enclosing herewith an Annual Secretarial Compliance Report of the Company for the year ended March 31, 2021.

This is for your information and records.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully, For **HCL Technologies Limited** 

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COMPANY SECRETARIES

# SECRETARIAL COMPLIANCE REPORT OF HCL TECHNOLOGIES LIMITED FOR THE YEAR ENDED ON 31<sup>st</sup> MARCH, 2021

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The Board of Directors HCL Technologies Limited 806, Siddharth, 96, Nehru Place, New Delhi-110019

We M/s. Chandrasekaran Associates have examined:

- (a) All the documents and records made available to us and explanation provided by HCL Technologies 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 on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2021 ("Review Period") in respect of compliance with the provisions of :

- 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:-

- Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 to the extent applicable;
- (b) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018 to the extent applicable;
- Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011 to the extent applicable;
- (d) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Buyback of Securities)
  Regulations, 2018; Not Applicable during the year under review.
- Securities and Exchange Board of India (Share Based Employee Benefits)
  Regulations, 2014; Not Applicable during the year under review.

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- (f) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Debt Securities)
  Regulations, 2008; Not Applicable during the year under review.
- (g) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Non- Convertible and Redeemable Preference Shares) Regulations, 2013; Not Applicable during the year under review.
- Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015;
- The Depositories Act, 1996 and the Regulations and Bye-laws framed thereunder to the extent of Regulation 76 of Securities and Exchange Board of India (Depositories and Participants) Regulations, 2018;
- (j) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Registrars to an Issue and Share Transfer Agents) Regulations, 1993;
- (k) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Investor Protection and Education Fund) Regulations, 2009.

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:-

Sr. NoCompliance Requiremen (Regulations/ circulars guidelines includin specific clause)	/	Observations / Remarks of the Practicing Company Secretary
NIL	NIL	NIL

- (b) The listed entity has maintained proper records under the provisions of the above Regulations and circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder insofar as it appears from my/our examination of those records.
- (c) The company has suitably included the conditions as mentioned in Para 6(A) and 6(B) of the SEBI Circular CIR/CFD/CMD1/114/2019, dated October 18, 2019 in the terms of appointment of statutory auditor of the Company.
- (d) The following are the details of actions taken against the listed entity/ its promoters/ directors/ material subsidiaries either by SEBI or by Stock Exchanges (including under the Standard Operating Procedures issued by SEBI through various circulars) under the aforesaid Acts/ Regulations and circulars/ guidelines issued thereunder:



#### CHANDRASEKARAN ASSOCIATES

Sr. No.	Action taken by	Details of violation	Details of action taken E.g. fines, warning letter, debarment, etc.	Observation s/ remarks of the Practicing Company Secretary, if any.
	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL

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

Sr.	Observations	Observations made	Actions	Comments of the
No.	of the Practicing Company Secretary in the previous reports	in the secretarial compliance report for the year ended (The years are to be mentioned)	the listed	Practicing Company Secretary on the actions taken by the listed entity

Not Applicable during the year under review

### For Chandrasekaran Associates

Company Secretaries

CHANDRASEKARAN SETHURAMAN

#### Dr. S. Chandrasekaran

Senior Partner Membership No. FCS 1644 Certificate of Practice No. 715 UDIN: F001644C000142026

Date: April 20, 2021 Place: New Delhi

### Note:

(i) Due to restricted movement amid COVID-19 pandemic, we conducted the secretarial audit by examining the Secretarial Records including Minutes, Documents, Registers and other records etc., and some of them received by way of electronic mode from the Company and could not be verified from the original records. The management has confirmed that the records submitted to us are the true and correct. This Report is limited to the Statutory Compliances on laws / regulations / guidelines listed in our report of which, the due date has been ended/expired on or before March 31, 2021 pertaining to Financial Year 2020-21.

