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Independent auditor's certificate on the proposed accounting treatment included in the draft scheme of arrangement pursuant to SEBI Master circular no. SEBI/HO/CFD/POD-2/P/CIR/2023/93 dated 20 June 2023, as amended from time to time ('the SEBI circular'), and sections 230 to 232 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013, and the Companies (Compromises, Arrangements and Amalgamations) Rules, 2016

To,
The Board of Directors,
Mac Charles (India) Limited
1st Floor Embassy Point
150 Infantry Road,
Bengaluru, Karnataka, India, 560001

- This certificate is issued in accordance with the terms of our engagement letter dated 19 July 2024 with Mac Charles (India) Limited ('the Company' or 'the Demerged Company').
- We, the statutory auditors of the Company, have examined the proposed accounting treatment specified in Clause 21-22 of the draft scheme of arrangement between the Company and Embassy Prism Ventures Limited ('the Resulting Company') and their respective shareholders (hereinafter referred to as the 'Draft Scheme') as approved by the Board of Directors in their meeting held on 13 September 2024, in terms of the provisions of the SEBI circular, Sections 230 to 232 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 ('the Act') and the Companies (Compromises, Arrangements and Amalgamations) Rules, 2016 ('the rules') with reference to its compliance with the accounting standards prescribed under section 133 of the Act, read with relevant rules issued thereunder (the 'applicable accounting standards') and other generally accepted accounting principles in India and SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (as amended) ('SEBI LODR'). A certified true copy of the Draft Scheme, with the proposed accounting treatment specified in Clause 21-22 of the Draft Scheme, as attached herewith in Appendix I, has been initialed and stamped by us for identification purpose only.

Management's Responsibility

- 3. The responsibility for the preparation of the Draft Scheme, and its compliance with the relevant laws and regulations, including the applicable accounting standards and other generally accepted accounting principles in India, is that of the management/ Board of directors of the companies involved. This responsibility includes the design, implementation and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation of the Draft Scheme and applying an appropriate basis of preparation; and making estimates that are reasonable in the circumstances.
- 4. The Management is also responsible for ensuring that the Company complies with the requirements of the Act and the rules, SEBI LODR, and the SEBI circular, and the applicable accounting standards and other generally accepted accounting principles in India, in relation to the Draft Scheme, and for providing all relevant information to the relevant National Company Law Tribunal, the SEBI, and the BSE Limited, and the National Stock Exchange of India Limited (hereinafter referred to as 'the stock exchanges').

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Auditor's Responsibility

- Pursuant to the requirements of the relevant laws and regulations, it is our responsibility to provide a reasonable assurance as to whether the proposed accounting treatment specified in Clause 21-22 of the Draft Scheme complies with the Act and the rules, SEBI LODR, the SEBI circular, and the applicable accounting standards and other generally accepted accounting principles.
- We conducted our examination in accordance with the Guidance Note on Reports or Certificates for Special Purposes (Revised 2016) ('the Guidance Note') issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India ('the ICAI'). The Guidance Note requires that we comply with the ethical requirements of the Code of Ethics issued by the ICAI.
- We have complied with the relevant applicable requirements of the Standard on Quality Control (SQC) 1. Quality Control for Firms that Perform Audits and Reviews of Historical Financial Information, and Other Assurance and Related Services Engagements, issued by the ICAI.

Opinion

Based on our examination as above and according to the information and explanations given to us, along with the representations provided by the management, in our opinion, the proposed accounting treatment specified in clause 21-22 of the Draft Scheme, attached herewith and stamped by us for identification only, is in compliance with the SEBI LODR, the SEBI circular and, the applicable accounting standards and other generally accepted accounting principles in India.

Restriction on use

- Our work was performed solely to assist you in meeting your responsibilities in relation to your compliance with the requirements of the provisions of the SEBI LODR, the SEBI circular, Sections 230 to 232 and other applicable provisions of the Act read with the rules, for onward submission along with the Draft Scheme to the SEBI, the stock exchanges, and the relevant National Company Law Tribunal. Our obligations in respect of this certificate are entirely separate from, and our responsibility and liability is in no way changed by, any other role we may have as statutory auditors of the Company or otherwise. Nothing in this certificate, nor anything said or done in the course of or in connection with the services that are the subject of this certificate, will extend any duty of care we may have in our capacity as statutory auditors of the Company.
- 10. This certificate is issued at the request of the Company's management for onward submission along with the Draft Scheme to the SEBI, the stock exchanges, and the relevant National Company Law Tribunal. Accordingly, this certificate may not be suitable for any other purpose, and should not be used, referred to for any other purpose or to any other party without our prior written consent. Accordingly, we do not accept or assume any liability or any duty of care or for any other purpose or to any other party to whom it is shown or into whose hands it may come without our prior consent in writing.

For Walker Chandiok & Co LLP

Chartered Accountants

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Appendix I

Relevant extract of Draft Scheme of arrangement between Mac Charles (India) Limited ('Demerged Company') and Embassy Prism Ventures Limited ('Resulting Company') and their respective shareholders

ACCOUNTING TREATMENT IN THE BOOKS OF THE DEMERGED COMPANY:

Upon the coming into effect of this scheme, the demerger of the Demerged Undertaking of the Demerged Company into the Resulting Company will be accounted for in accordance with the Indian Accounting Standards (Ind AS) prescribed under Section 133 of the Act, read with applicable rules thereof and accounting principles generally accepted in India, as under:

- The Demerged Company shall derecognize the assets and liabilities as identified in relation to the Demerged Undertaking, that are being transferred to the Resulting Company pursuant to the Scheme, at their respective book values as reflecting in the books of the Demerged Company.
- 2. The difference, if any, between the such book value of the assets and liabilities, that are being transferred to the Resulting Company pursuant to the Scheme as per sub-clause 1 above, would be recorded as / adjusted against the accumulated balance of Retained Earnings (in case of debit balance i.e., if book value of assets is higher than that of liabilities) or Capital Reserve (in case of credit balance i.e., if book value of liabilities is higher than that of assets) within other equity in the books of the Demerged Company.

For Mac Charles (India) Limited

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Harish Anand Whole-time Director Place: Bengaluru

Date: 13 September 2024