

# Independent Auditor's Report To the Members of NBI Industrial Finance Company Limited

#### **Report on the Financial Statements**

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of NBI Industrial Finance Company Limited ("the Company") which comprise the Balance Sheet as at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2015, the Statement of Profit and Loss and the Cash Flow statement for the year then ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

#### **Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements**

The Company's Board of Directors is responsible for matters stated in Section 134(5) of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act") with respect to the preparation of these financial statements that give a true and fair view of the financial position, financial performance and cash flows of the Company in accordance with the accounting principles generally accepted in India including the Accounting Standards specified under Section 133 of the Act, read with Rule 7 of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014. This responsibility also includes maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of the Act for safeguarding of the assets of the Company and for preventing and detecting frauds and other irregularities; selection and application of appropriate accounting policies; making judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent; and design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls, that were operating effectively for ensuring the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, relevant to the preparation and presentation of the financial statements that give a true and fair view and are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

#### **Auditor's Responsibility**

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We have taken into account the provisions of the Act, the accounting and auditing standards and matters which are required to be included in the audit report under the provisions of the Act and the Rules made thereunder.

We conducted our audit in accordance with the Standards on Auditing specified under Section 143(10) of the Act. Those Standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and the disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal financial control relevant to the Company's preparation of the financial statements that give a true and fair view in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on whether the Company has in place an adequate internal financial controls system over financial reporting and the operating effectiveness of such controls. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of the accounting policies used and the reasonableness of the accounting estimates made by the Company's Directors, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion on the financial statements.

### **Opinion**

In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the aforesaid financial statements give the information required by the Act in the manner so required and give a true and fair view in conformity with the accounting principles generally accepted in India, of the state of affairs of the Company as at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2015, and its profit and its cash flows for the year ended on that date.

## Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

- 1. As required by the Companies (Auditor's Report) Order, 2015 ("the Order"), issued by the Central Government of India in terms of sub-section (11) of section 143 of the Act, we give in the Annexure a statement on the matters specified in paragraphs 3 and 4 of the Order, to the extent applicable.
- 2. As required by Section 143 (3) of the Act, we report that:
  - (a) We have sought and obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purposes of our audit.
  - (b) In our opinion proper books of account as required by law have been kept by the Company so far as it appears from our examination of those books;
  - (c) The Balance sheet, the Statement of Profit and Loss and the Cash Flow Statement dealt with by this Report are in agreement with the books of account;
  - (d) In our opinion, the aforesaid financial statements comply with the Accounting Standards specified under Section 133 of the Act, read with Rule 7 of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014;
  - (e) On the basis of the written representations received from the directors as on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2015 and taken on record by the Board of Directors, none of the directors is disqualified as on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2015 from being appointed as a director in terms of Section 164 (2) of the Act; and
  - (f) With respect to the other matters to be included in the Auditor's Report in accordance with Rule 11 of the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014, in our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us:
    - i. The Company does not have any pending litigations which would impact its financial position;
    - ii. The Company did not have any long-term contracts including derivative contracts for which there were any material foreseeable losses; and
    - iii. There were no amounts which were required to be transferred to the Investor Education and Protection Fund by the Company.

For Lakhotia & Co. Chartered Accountants

Firm's Registration Number: 313149E

Naresh Lakhotia

Partner

Membership number: 51249

Kolkata

Dated: 30<sup>th</sup> May, 2015

#### **Annexure to the Independent Auditors' Report**

Statement referred to in our Independent Auditors report to the members of the Company on the financial statements for the year ended 31st March 2015.

- i. (a) The Company has maintained proper records showing full particulars including quantitative details and situation of its fixed assets.
  - (b) The fixed assets have been physically verified by the management at reasonable intervals and no material discrepancies were noticed on such verification.
- ii. The Company does not have any inventory and as such clauses 3(ii)(a), 3(ii)(b) and 3(ii)(c) of the Order are not applicable to the Company.
- iii. The Company has not granted any loans, secured or unsecured, to companies, firms or other parties covered in the register maintained under Section 189 of the Act. Accordingly, clauses 3(iii)(a) and 3(iii)(b) of the Order are not applicable.
- iv. In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, there is an adequate internal control system commensurate with the size of the Company and the nature of its business, for the purchase of investments and fixed assets and for the sale of investments. Further, on the basis of our examination of the books and records of the Company and according to the information and explanations given to us, we have neither come across nor have we been informed of any continuing failure to correct major weaknesses in the aforesaid internal control system.
- v. The Company has not accepted deposits from the public.
- vi. The Central Government has not specified for the maintenance of cost records under Section 148(1) of the Act.
- vii. (a) According to the information and explanations given to us and the records of the Company examined by us, in our opinion, the Company has been generally regular in depositing during the year undisputed statutory dues including provident fund, income-tax, service tax and other material statutory dues, as applicable, with the appropriate authorities. During the year there were no employees state insurance, sales tax, wealth tax, duty of customs, duty of excise, value added tax and cess payable by the Company.
  - (b) As at 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2015, according to the records of the Company and the information and explanations given to us, there were no dues of income tax, sales tax, wealth tax, service tax, duty of customs, duty of excise, value added tax and cess that have not been deposited on account of any dispute.
  - (c) According to the information and explanations given to us and the records of the Company examined by us, no amounts were required to be transferred to the investor education and protection fund in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Companies Act, 1956(1 of 1956) and rules made thereunder.
- viii. The Company has neither accumulated losses as at 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2015 nor has it incurred any cash losses during the financial year ended on that date and in the immediately preceding financial year.

- ix. Based on the information and explanations given to us by the management, the Company has not defaulted in repayment of dues to banks. The Company has not taken any loans from financial institutions or against debentures during the year.
- x. In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, the Company has not given any guarantee for loans taken by others from banks or financial institutions. Accordingly, the provisions of clause 3(x) of the order are not applicable to the company.
- xi. According to the records of the Company, it has not taken any term loan and as such clause 3(xi) of the Order is not applicable to the Company.
- xii. During the course of our examination of the books of account carried out in accordance with the generally accepted auditing practices in India, and according to the information and explanations given to us, we have neither come across any instance of fraud on or by the Company, either noticed or reported during the year, nor have we been informed of such case by the management.

For Lakhotia & Co. Chartered Accountants

Firm's Registration Number: 313149E

Naresh Lakhotia Partner

Membership number: 51249

Kolkata

Dated: 30<sup>th</sup> May, 2015