

I.A. No. 263 of 2023 IN C.P. No. 73 of 2021

In the matter of an Application under Section 30(6) and Section 31 of the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016.

Mr. Prashant Jain
(Resolution professional of Greatwall
Corporate Services Private Limited)

...Applicant/Resolution Professional

In the matter of

Nagpur Nagarik Sahakari Bank Limited

... Financial Creditor

V/s.

Greatwall Corporate Services Private Limited

... Corporate Debtor

Order Dated:02.09.2024

#### Coram:

Hon'ble Ms. Madhu Sinha Member (Technical) Hon'ble Ms. Reeta Kohli Member (Judicial)

#### Appearance:

For the Applicant/RP: Adv. Rohit Gupta

For the SRA: Adv. Viraj Parikh (PH)



#### **ORDER**

### Per: Reeta Kohli, Member (Judicial)

- 1. The above captioned Application was filed under Section 30(6) and Section 31, of the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016 (hereinafter referred to as the "Code") by the Resolution Professional (hereinafter referred as the "Applicant"), seeking approval of the Resolution Plan, submitted by the Resolution Applicant Mr. Karan Misal in consortium with Mr. Ashish Kadam and Mr. Rushabh Ranawat, which was approved by 75.27% voting shares of the members of the Committee of Creditors (hereinafter referred to as 'COC').
- 2. The facts leading to the Application are as under:
  - a. Corporate Insolvency Resolution Process (**CIRP**) of the Corporate Debtor was initiated, vide an order dated 15.03.2022, under Section 7 of the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code 2016 (hereinafter referred to as 'the Code') and Mr. Atul Rajwadkar, was appointed as Interim Resolution Professional. The IRP, constituted the Committee of Creditors. The COC in its 2<sup>nd</sup> meeting held on 24.05.2022 replaced Mr. Atul Rajwadkar with the present Applicant (Mr. Prashant Jain) as the Resolution Professional. The IRP published a public announcement as per Section 15 of the Code, inviting claims from the creditors of the Corporate Debtor.
  - b. The Applicant published a Public Announcement in Form A in accordance with Section 15 of the Code read with Regulation 6 of the CIRP Regulations, on 17.03.2022, inviting submission of proof of claims from the creditors of the Corporate Debtor, on or before 29.03.2022.
  - c. The claims **received** and **accepted** by Resolution Professional are as under:



# Details of Secured Financial Creditors of the Corporate Debtor.

				% of
s	Name of		Amount of	voting
No	Creditors	Amount	claim admitted	share in
		Claimed		COC
1	Bank of	27,19,84,743.00	27,19,84,743.00	74.95%
	Maharashtra			
	Total	27,19,84,743.00	27,19,84,743.00	74.95%

### Details of Unsecured Financial Creditors of the Corporate Debtor being related Party.

				% of
s	Name of		Amount of	voting
No	Creditors	Amount	claim admitted	share in
		Claimed		coc
1	HDFC Bank	45,61,461	32,67,028	0.90%
2	Nagpur	86,462,438.00	86,462,438.00	23.83%
	Nagarik			
	Sahakari			
	Bank Limited			
3	IIFL	2449499.95	1178687.59	0.32%
	Total		8,97,29,466.00	24.80%



# Details of Operational Creditors and Statutory Creditors of the Corporate Debtor:

DEPARTMENT	AMOUNT	AMOUNT
	CLAIMED	ADMITTED
Employees State	1,39,45,731	81,24,147.94
Insurance Corporation,		
Pune		
Department of Goods and	29,44,09,569	29,44,09,569
Services Tax		
Profession Tax Officer	1,88,53,670	16829154.75
Income Tax Officer	91,24,309	54,54,105
Office of Assistant/	1,37,40,118	1,37,40,118
Deputy Commissioner of		
Central Tax		
Regional Provident Fund	7,14,65,776	7,14,65,776
Commissioner		
R.M. Manlift	7,62,422	3,91,964
Banjara Hills Central GST	79,18,454	78,21,764
Division, Hyderabad GST		
Commissionerate		
TOTAL	43,02,20,049	41,82,36,599

3. After receiving the claims, the Committee of Creditors was constituted.

The constitution of COC is as under:

Sr.	Name of the COC	Nature	Voting	Voting
No.	Member		%	to the
				Plan



	Total		100	FF
4.	IIFL		0.32%	Approve
3.	HDFC Bank		0.90%	Reject
	Bank			
	Sahakari			
2.	Nagpur Nagarik	Unsecured	23.83%	Abstain
1.	Bank of Maharashtra	Secured	74.95%	Approve

- 4. The CoC decided to appoint valuers. The Resolution Professional accordingly appointed two set of Registered Valuers Shailendra S. Mourya, Ankit Gupta and Charudutt Marathe (collectively, hereinafter referred to as "Valuer 1") and Abhishek Shrikant Joshi, Pranav Ambaselkar, Vaishali ("Valuer 2") for conducting valuation across three different asset classes, namely Land & Building, Plant & Machinery and Securities and Financial Assets to determine its fair value and liquidation value, as required under Regulation 27 of the IBBI (IRP for Corporate Persons) Regulations, 2016. Further, a third valuer was appointed for asset in the class Securities and Financial Assets.
- 5. **The Liquidation and fair value** of the Corporate Debtor is stated as under:

AS	ASSET CLASS: Plant and Machinary				
Name of Valuer	Fair Value	Liquidation Value			
Ankit Gupta	1,63,56,029	1,29,94,771			
PRANAV					
AMBASELKAR	1,58,03,000	1,22,67,000			
Average	1,60,79,515	1,26,30,886			

ASSET CLASS: Securities and Financial Assets				
Name of Valuer	Fair Value	Liquidation Value		
Charudutt Marathe	1,80,00,000	60,00,000		
Vaishali	6,68,51,619	6,65,67,690		
Nikhil Chandak	1,94,57,995	64,41,679		
Average	1,87,28,998	62,20,840		



AS	ASSET CLASS: Land and Building				
Name of Valuer	Fair Value	Liquidation Value			
Shailendra S.					
Mourya	5,57,64,000	3,90,34,800			
Abhishek Shrikant					
Joshi	5,11,00,000	4,08,80,000			
Average	5,34,32,000	3,99,57,400			

Fair value	8,82,40,512
Liquidation Value	5,88,09,125

- 6. The Applicant submits that for inviting Expression of Interest ("EOI") from Prospective Resolution Applicants as per section 25(2)(h) of the Code, Form G was published on 30.07.2022. The last date for submission of Expression of Interest (EOI) from Prospective Resolution Applicants was 16.08.2022.
- 7. The Applicant further submits that the COC approved with minimum eligibility criteria on 26.07.2022, further the Request for Resolution Plan (**RFRP**) along with evaluation matrix was approved on 19<sup>th</sup> August 2022 in the Fifth COC Meeting.
- 8. The Applicant submits that the last date for submission of the Resolution Plan was 30.09.2022 which was extended to 31.10.2022 and thereafter to 05.11.2022 with the consent of the COC.
- On 05.11.2022, Resolution plan was received from One PRA being Consortium of Mr. Karan Misal, Mr. Ashish Kadam and Mr. Rushabh Ranawat ("Resolution Applicant"/ "RA")
- 10. The Resolution Plan received from the PRA was deliberated in COC Meetings and finally approved by the COC Members in its 13th COC



Meeting dated 6<sup>th</sup> January 2023 vide e-voting ending on 10<sup>th</sup> January 2023.

- 11. The Applicant in the hearing held on 28<sup>th</sup> March 2024 apprised the Bench that, the Resolution Applicant through email dated 27<sup>th</sup> March 2024 proposed a revision in the payment under the Resolution Plan and considering all the facts of the case an opportunity was granted to seek approval on the revision of resolution plan from the COC.
- 12. The revised Resolution Plan was received from the Resolution Applicant and the same was placed before the COC Members for deliberations in the 18th COC Meeting held on 6th April, 2024. The revised Resolution Plan was put forth for voting through evoting starting on 8th April, 2024 at 12:30 P.M. and ended on 3rd May, 2024 at 06:00 P.M. In the said E-voting, revised Resolution plan was approved by COC with 75.27% Voting share. Thereafter, the Applicant has issued a compliance certificate in Form "H".

#### 13. The Salient Features of the Resolution Plan are as under:

#### A. Brief Background of the Corporate debtor

i. Greatwall Corporate Services Private Limited (**'Corporate Debtor'**), a company incorporated under the Registrar of Companies Act, 2013 on 06.06.2003 and is a going concern entity having engaged in supply of manpower services including providing security and housekeeping services for various entities in Maharashtra.



	Office No.2, S No.120, Mhada		
	Commercial Complex, Near Phule Nagar		
Registered Office	Rto, Pune-Alandi Road, Yerawada, Pune		
	MH 411006 In		
Date of Incorporation	06 <sup>th</sup> June, 2003(as per MCA website)		
	Unlisted company, limited by shares,		
Nature of	within the meaning of such term under		
Establishment	the Companies Act, 2013		
Listing status	Unlisted		
Corporate			
Identification Number	U74920PN2003PTC018006		
(C.I.N.)			
	Engaged in supply of manpower		
Major Business	services including providing security and		
Operations	housekeeping services for various		
	entities in Maharashtra.		

The Corporate Insolvency Resolution Process ("CIRP") of ii. Greatwall Corporate Services Private Limited has been initiated as per the provisions of the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code ("IBC") under Section 7 of the Code. The Application was moved before the Hon'ble National Company Law Tribunal, Mumbai Bench ("NCLT") and was admitted vide its order dated 15th March, 2022 ("CIRP Order"). Pursuant to which, Mr. Atul IBBI/IPA-Rajwadkar, (having IΡ Registration no. 001/IPP00152/2017-18/10321), Insolvency Professional, was appointed as the Interim Resolution Professional (IRP). Thereafter, as per the decision of the committee of creditors, Mr. Prashant Jain, Insolvency Professional having IBBI Regd. IBBI/IPA-001/IP-P01368/2018-2019/12131 No.: was



appointed as the Resolution Professional (**RP**) vide order dated 05.07.2022.

### B. Background of the Resolution Applicant

### i. Introduction of Mr. Karan Misal

	D- :	Building,	Flat	No.	3	to	6
Address	Ram	yanagari	Housing		Society		ety
Address	Near	Suhag	Mar	ngal	Karyalay		ay
	Bibw	ewadi Pu	ne 41	1037			
Telephone No/ Mobile	0750	7373737					
No.	0700	71010101					
E-mail	Kara	nmisal15(	@gma	il.con	<u>1</u>		
Date of Birth	15.01.1995						
Permanent Account	CFTI	PM9760D					
Number (PAN)							
	Construction						
Core Area of Expertise	Real Estate						
	Trad	ing					

The resolution Applicant is engaged in area of construction business, real estate business and also in trading business.

### ii. Introduction of Rushabh Ranawat:

Address	Laxmi Vilas, Near Ekbote Colony, Market Yard, Pune- 411037
Telephone No/ Mobile No.	09096071111



E-mail	rranwa@gmail.com
Date of Birth	28.09.1994
Permanent Account Number (PAN)	CFEPR8706P
	Construction
Core Area of Expertise	Real Estate
	Trading

### iii. Introduction of Ashish Kadam:

	Harigandha Building, C1, Flat			
Address	no.802, Survey no.129, Near Phule			
	Nagar, RTO, Pune- 411006			
Telephone No/ Mobile	976700777			
No.	3.0.007.1			
E-mail	Aashish.kadam@yahoo.com			
Date of Birth	11.03.1978			
Permanent Account	ALEPK6841L			
Number (PAN)	ADDI ROOTID			
	Construction			
Core Area of Expertise	Real Estate			
	Trading			

iv. Net worth of Consortium of Mr. Karan Misal, Mr. Rushabh Ranawat and Mr. Ashish Kadam.



BR	BREAK UP OF RESOLUTION APPLICANT AS ON 31.03.2021			
		Amount		
No	PARTICULAR	(Rs. in Crore)		
1	Karan Misal	5,55,10,788		
2	Rushabh Ranawat	2,66,65,968		
3	Ashish Kadam	4,65,65,000		
	Total	12,87,41,756		

v. The Corporate Debtor is an MSME enterprise as per revised criteria for classification of MSME as notified by Ministry of Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises published on 01.06.2020 in the Gazette of India. Accordingly, on 08.07.2020, Ministry of Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises was pleased to issue MSME Certificate to the Corporate Debtor bearing UDYAM Registration Number UDYAM-MH- 26-0018338. Mr. Ashish Kadam is the suspended board of director of the Corporate Debtor. The Resolution Applicant is eligible to act as a Resolution Applicant of the Corporate Debtor and is not ineligible under section 29A of Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code and also satisfies the eligibility criterion as mentioned in clause (h) of sub-section (2) of section 25 of the Code.



### 14. Summary of Payments under the Resolution Plan

Sr.		Claims Admitted	Proposed
No.	Claimants		Payments as
NO.			Per
			Resolution
			Plan
	CIRP Cost (At Actuals		₹ 50,00,000
	including Interim		or
1	Finance cost)		Actual CIRP
			Cost
	Operational Creditor-		
2	Statutory Dues (except	₹ 31 66 78 858	₹ 1,00,000
	Regional Provident Fund	X 3 <del>1</del> ,00,70,030	( 1,00,000
	Officer)		
3A	Secured Financial	₹ 27,19,84,743	₹ 2,96,30,561
	Creditor		
3B	Regional Provident Fund	₹ 7.14.65.776	₹ 5,30,88,343
	Officer	(7,11,00,770	. 0,00,00,0
	Unsecured Financial	₹ 8,97,29,466	₹ 1,00,000
4	Creditor including		
	dissenting financial		
	creditor		
	Towards release of	to Bank of	₹ 3,35,00,000
	Personal Guarantee and	Maharashtra	
	Collateral Security		
5	(Ashish Kadam, Pratap		
	Kadam and Trupti		



Kadam)	
Total Amount offered to Claimants who have filed claim	₹ 12,14,18,904

Suo motto payments to the Creditors who have not filed claimed				
		before IRP/	RP	
		Amount o/s		
		as per the		
Sr.	Stakeholders	Books of	Proposed Payments as Per	
No.		Accounts of	Resolution Plan	
		Corporate		
		Debtor		
1.	Employee dues	94,42,076	944	
	Operational	1,91,95,913	1,920	
	Creditors- Other			
2.	than Workmen,			
	Employees and			
	Statutory Creditors			
3.	Secured Financial	5,62,770	56	
	Creditors			
4	Unsecured	5,56,87,521	5,569	
	Financial Creditors			
	Regional Provident	1,14,48,323	1,14,48,323	
	Fund			
5.	Commissioner			
	(New Order dated			
	06.03.2024)			



**TOTAL** 9,63,36,603 1,14,56,812

#### TOTAL FUND OUTLAY UNDER THE RESOLUTION PLAN:

Sr. No.	Particulars	Amount in ₹			
1	Total Amount offered to Claimants who have filed	12,14,18,904			
1.	claim				
2.	Suo motto payments to the Creditors who have not	1,14,56,812			
۷٠	filed claimed before IRP/RP				
	Start-up and Pending Capex to be	2,00,00,000			
	contributed/arranged by the Resolution Applicant				
3.	in the Corporate Debtor. Working Capital to be				
	contributed/arranged by the Resolution Applicant				
	in the Corporate Debtor				
	Total Fund Outlay in the Resolution Plan +	15,28,75,716			
	Start-up and Working Capital Cost				

### 15. Sources of Funds

Source of funds	Amount
Infusion of Equity by the RA or/and	11,00,00,000
monetizing asset of CD	
Debt or Loan by the RA	2,28,75,715
Internal accruals/ debt	2,00,00,000
Total	15,28,75,715

### 16. Tenure of Payment to creditors under the Resolution Plan:

The payment under the Resolution Plan is proposed to be paid in Two Tranches:



- i. On the Trigger Date, the Resolution Applicant shall contribute an amount of ₹ 2,52,08,488/- (Rupees Two Crores Fifty-Two Lakh and Eight Thousand Four Hundred and Eighty-Eight only) as First Tranche of Upfront Cash.
- ii. Further, 90 (Ninety) days after trigger date the Resolution Applicant shall contribute ₹ 8,50,00,000/(Rupees Eight Crores and Fifty Lakhs Only) as Second Tranche of Upfront Cash.
- iii. Further, the amount of ₹ 2,26,67,227 (Rupees Two Crores Twenty-Six Lakhs Sixty-Seven Thousand Two Hundred and Twenty-Seven Only) in a duration of 36 Months starting after disbursement of First Tranche of Upfront Cash in 36 Equated Monthly instalments.
- iv. Trigger date shall mean the date on which the Upfront Cash payment is fully discharged and possession of the corporate debtor shall be handed over to Resolution Applicant, which will be 90th date from receiving the certified copy of the NCLT Approval Order from Hon'ble NCLT by the Resolution Applicant. The Trigger date is defined/termed as E in the Resolution Plan.

## 17. Payment's proposals of the various stakeholders under the Resolution Plan:

#### A. CIRP Costs

The Resolution Applicant proposes to pay an amount of **Rs. 50,00,000/-** (**Rupees Fifty Lakhs only**) or at actuals towards the CIRP cost including Interim finance, from the Upfront Cash, in priority to other payments. In the event that the CIRP Cost, exceeds to **Rs. 50,00,000/-** (**Rupees Fifty Lakhs only**), in that case the Resolution Applicant shall bear the excess amount.



### B. Payment to Unsecured Financial Creditors

The summary of Claims of Unsecured Financial Creditors is as under.

Nature of	Amount	Amount	Plan	Voting
Claim	Claimed	Admitted	Proposes	Share
			to Pay	
Unsecured	9,34,73,398.95	9,09,08,153.59	1,00,000/-	25.05%
Financial				
Creditors				

### C. Payment to Secured Financial Creditors

Secured Financial Creditors as appearing in the Information memorandum is as under.

Nature of	Amount	Amount	Plan Proposes to Pay	Voting
Claim	Claimed	Admitted		Share
Secured	27,19,84,743	27,19,84,743	1st tranche -	74.95%
Financial			₹82,88,269	
Creditor- Bank				
of Maharashtra			2 <sup>nd</sup> Tranche -	
			₹2,13,42,292	
			Release of Personal	
			guarantee -	
			₹3,35,00,000	
			TOTAL ₹ 6,31,30,561/	-



## D. Payment to Operational Creditors (Except Regional Provident Fund Association)

The Summary of Operational Creditor Claims and the amount offered is as follows:

Amt in Rupees

S.No	Nature of Claim	Amount Claimed	Amount Admitted	Plan Proposes to Pay
1.	Operational Creditors except Regional Provident Fund organization	35,79,91,851.00	34,63,78,858.00	1,00,000.00
Tota	1	35,79,91,851.00	34,63,78,858.00	

### E. Payment to Regional Provident Fund Association

- 1.1.1 As per the Information Memorandum, the admitted claim of Regional Provident Fund Office for the amount claimed u/s.7A of EPF Act, 1952 is ₹ 4,18,69,439/-, this amount shall be paid in full as follows:
  - i. ₹ 1,17,11,731/- shall be paid in First Tranche of upfront cash.



- ii. ₹ 3,01,57,708/- shall be paid in Second Tranche of upfront cash.
- 1.1.2 As per the Information Memorandum, the admitted claim of Regional Provident Fund Office for the amount claimed u/s. 14B of EPF Act, 1952 is ₹ 1,83,76,433/-. In the matter of Regional Provident Fund Commissioner vs Ms. Mamta Binani & Anr the Hon'ble NCLAT held that "(ii) With regard to amount admitted under Section 14B of Rs.1,05,63,927/-, we grant liberty to the SRA to make an application to the Central Board to waive 100% damages levelled under Section 14B. SRA make an application under Section 14B 2nd proviso for waiver of the damages under Section 14B which application be filed within 30 days from today and the Central Board may consider and take appropriate decision regarding waiver of the damages under Section 14B expeditiously within the period of three months from the date copy of the application is submitted."

In accordance therewith, the RA prays that the Hon'ble NCLT grant liberty to RA to make an application to the Central Board to waive 100% damages levelled under Section 14B 2nd proviso waiver of the damages under Section 14B which application be filed within 30 days from approval and the Central Board may consider and take appropriate decision regarding waiver of the damages under Section 14B expeditiously within the period of three months from the date copy of the application is submitted. In case this prayer of grant of waiver of 100% of damages is not granted by the Central Board.

1.1.3 As per the Information Memorandum, the admitted claim of Regional Provident Fund Office for the amount claimed u/s.7Q of EPF Act, 1952 is ₹1,12,18,904, as per EPFO notification



dated 11<sup>th</sup> Feb, 2014 bearing no. RRC/28 (23) 06/BIFR, establishments are permitted to clear arrears in 36 months in 36 EMIs. Therefore, the CD shall pay the admitted dues under 7Q in 36 months in 36 EMIs. The RA shall also pay interest on Interest.

1.1.4 Further, there is a fresh order dated 6<sup>th</sup> March, 2024, for additional dues u/s. 7A of EPF Act, 1952, for additional dues u/s. 7A of ₹ 1,14,48,323. The Resolution Applicant shall make payment against this Order (although no claim has been filed) in duration of 36 months in 36 Equated Monthly Instalments. Any interest on this amount shall also be paid within the stipulated time period.

### 18. Implementation Schedule:

Sr.	Activity	Time Line (days)
No.		
PHASE	I – Approval process for the Proposed	l Resolution Plan
1.	On receipt of Certified copy of Hon'ble	E
	NCLT and possession of the CD.	
2.	Notice on the Company's Website.	
3.	Intimation to MCA, RBI, Tax	
	authorities and various other	E+14
	statutory authorities (as applicable).	
4.	Intimation to all Creditors, and other	
	stakeholders of the Company.	
PHASE	II - SETTLEMENT OF CREDITORS	
5.	Payment of CIRP Costs as approved by	E+90
	CoC	
6.	Payment to Operational Creditors	E+90
7.	Payment of the proportionate amount	E+90



Sr. No.	Activity	Time Line (days)
	to the Dissenting Financial Creditors	
	from the Upfront Cash	
8.	Upfront Payment to Secured Financial	E+90
	Creditors & Regional Provident Fund	
	Association	
9.	Suo Motto payment to the creditors	E+90
10.	• Payment of Second Tranche of	E+180
	upfront Payment;	
	• Release of Existing Security and	
	issuance of no dues/no objection	
	certificate;	
	Release of Performance Security	
	The timelines shall stand adjusted in	
	case of prepayment of the Second	
	Tranche of upfront Payment at the	
	option of the Resolution Applicant in	
	its sole discretion as per the terms of	
	the Resolution Plan.	
11.	• Equated Monthly Installments to	In 36 Months in 36
	Regional Provident Fund Office	EMIs starting from
		E+ 90 days
12.	• Decision by Central Board on	W/I 3 months from
	waiver of damaged under 14B	date of Application
PHASE	III – IMPLEMENTATION OF PROPOSE	D RESOLUTION PLAN



Sr. No.	Activity	Time Line (days)
13.	Management of Company	E+90
	• Re-constitution of Board of	
	Directors	
	Setting up of management team	
	and control systems	
	• Completion of Definitive	
	Documents	
	• Identification of contractors and	
	execution of documents	
14.	Change in Memorandum and Articles	E+120
	of Association and other	
	documentation as required under the	
	proposed plan Obtaining requisite	
	approvals, wherever required	
15.	Streamline the operations of the	E+90
	Corporate Debtor	
16.	Improvement in operations	At the earliest

### 19. Performance Security

In accordance with Regulation 36B (4A) of the CIRP Regulations, the Resolution Applicant, in case its Resolution Plan is approved under sub-section (4) of section 30 of the Code, shall provide performance security. The amount of performance security as envisaged under the RFRP of Rs. 2 Crore (Rupees Two Crore only) has been submitted.

### 20. Structuring the Shareholding

The Resolution Applicant and/or Affiliates or Nominees shall infuse and an amount upto Rs. 10,00,00,000 in the



corporate debtor equivalent to 100,00,000 **Shares at face** value of Rs. 10 each.

Requisite amendments shall be made to the Articles of Association in relation to the transactions contemplated herein (if required) subject to compliance with Applicable Law;

The Resolution Applicant shall subscribe to and the Corporate Debtor shall issue equity shares for Upfront Equity Infusion as mentioned herein above;

The Resolution Applicant and/or its Affiliates or Nominee shall infuse funds for an amount equal to Upfront payment in the Corporate Debtor which shall be used to repay the Creditors.

The Existing share capital of the company shall be extinguished by 100 %.

### 21. Monitoring Committee

The Monitoring Committee shall comprise of the Resolution Professional (Mr. Prashant Jain), One representative of the COC and one member nominated by the Resolution Applicant.

From the submission of this Resolution Plan up to the NCLT Approval Date, the Resolution Professional shall subject to the provisions of Paragraph 7.1 of this Resolution Plan, continue to manage the business and operation of the Corporate Debtor as per the requirement of Section 23(1) (proviso) of the IBC.



#### From NCLT Approval Date up to Trigger Date

During the period from the NCLT Approval Date and up to the Trigger Date, the Corporate Debtor shall be managed by the Monitoring Committee, as set out in this Resolution Plan, which shall be immediately appointed as per the terms hereof upon sanction of the Resolution Plan by the NCLT.

### On and after the Trigger Date

On the Trigger Date, simultaneously with the infusion of the Upfront Cash, Resolution applicant shall subscribe to the shares of the Corporate Debtor. Thereafter, upon the issuance of the RA Equity Shares, pursuant to the implementation of the Resolution Plan, the Resolution Applicant and its Nominees shall hold the major share capital of the Corporate Debtor.

Date. Immediately on the Trigger the Resolution Professional/Monitoring Committee shall begin the process of delivering and handing over to the Resolution Applicant, the physical custody of all the dossiers, master files, technical files, computerised books and records and other storage media in whatever format (including any specialised or custom-made software required to access data, all passwords to any electronic media/storage, IT Systems etc.) and all records and documents in any and all forms - physical or electronic with respect to the business of the Corporate Debtor and within a period of 5 (Five) Business Days from the Trigger Date, the Resolution Professional/Monitoring Committee shall cause the actual delivery of the aforesaid to the Resolution Applicant.

The Monitoring Committee shall continue in force till the payment of Second Tranche of Upfront Payment is made



by the Resolution Applicant to the Creditors under this Resolution Plan for the sole purpose of monitoring the payments to stakeholders as enumerated in this Resolution Plan.

On and from the Trigger Date, the Corporate Debtor and its day-to-day operations shall be managed by the Reconstituted Board. After the Trigger Date, the Monitoring Committee shall be responsible only for monitoring the Second Tranche of upfront payments due under the Resolution Plan. Once the Second Tranche of upfront is paid by the Resolution Applicant, the Monitoring Committee shall cease to exist. It is hereby clarified that on and after the Trigger Date, the Corporate Debtor shall be managed by the Resolution Applicant.

#### 22. Avoidance Transactions

As per the requirements of Regulation 38(2) (d) of the CIRP Regulations, avoidance transactions application filed by the Resolution Professional, if any, under Chapter III or fraudulent or wrongful trading under Chapter VI of Part II of the Code, will be pursued after the approval of the resolution plan to its logical end by the Chairman of monitoring Committee and the proceeds shall be distributed to the Secured financial Creditors in the manner approved by the COC while approving this Resolution plan.

### 23. The compliance of the Resolution Plan is as under:

Section of	Requirement with respect to Resolution	Clause of	Compliance
the	Plan	Resolution	(Yes/ No)
Code		Plan	
/			



Regulation			
No.			
25(2)(h)	Whether the Resolution Applicant	Included in	Yes
	meets the criteria approved by the CoC	Expression of	
	having regard to the complexity and	Interest	
	scale of operations of business of the CD?	document	
Section29	Whether the Resolution Applicant is		YES
A	eligible to submit resolution plan as per		
	final list of Resolution Professional or		
	Order, if any, of the Adjudicating		
	Authority?		
Section30(	Whether the Resolution Applicant has	The	YES
1)	submitted an affidavit stating that it is	Resolution	
	eligible?	Applicant had	
		provided an	
		affidavit	
		under Section	
		29A	
Section	Whether the Resolution Plan-		YES
30(2)			
	(a) Provides for the payment of		
	insolvency resolution process costs?	(a) Yes.	
		Clause No	
		4.7	
		(Payment of	
		Outstandin	
		g CIRP	
		Costs) Page	
	(b) Provides for the payment to the	No 42	
	operational creditors?	(1) 37	
	1	(b) Yes.	



		Clau	ıse No	]
		4.8.		
			ment of	
			page no	
	(c) provides for the payment to the	43	page 110	
	financial creditors who did not vote in	10		
	favor of the resolution plan?	(c)	Yes.	
	lavor of the recorderon plans	Clau		
			o, page	
		no 4		
	(d) Provides for the management of the	110 4	·5.	
	affairs of the corporate	(d)	Yes,	
	debtor?		ise no.6	
	debto1:			
	(e) Provides for the implementation	page	no .58	
	and supervision of the resolution plan?			
	and supervision of the resolution plans	(0)	Dloogo	
		(e)	Please	
			refer to	
			Paragra	
			phs 6 &	
			7.2.1 of	
	(f) Contravenes any of the provisions of		the	
	the law for the time being in force?]		Resoluti	
			on Plan	
		(6)	Page 65	
		(f)	Yes.	
			Clause	
			No.	
			8.8.1	
			(Page	
0 001		( )	no.80)	MDG
Section30(	Whether the Resolution Plan	(a)	Clause	YES



4)	(a) is feasible and viable, according to	8.8.4, page	
	the CoC?	80	
		(b) The e-	
	(b) Has been approved by the CoC with	voting	
	66% voting share?	result is	
		attached	
Section31(	Whether the Resolution Plan has		YES
1)	provisions for its effective		
	implementation plan, according to the		
	CoC?		
Regulation3	Whether the amount due to the	clause 4.8.3-	NO
8	operational creditors under the	page no 43	
(1)	resolution plan has been given priority		
	in payment over financial creditors?]		
Regul	Whether the resolution plan includes a	Clause 8.1	YES
ation3	statement as to how it has dealt with	Page No 73.	
8(1A)	the interests of all stakeholders?		
[Regulatio	(i) Whether the Resolution Applicant or	(i) Clause	YES
n	any of its related parties has failed to	8.8.2, page	
38(1B)	implement or contributed to the failure	no. 80	
	of implementation of any resolution	(ii) NA	
	plan approved under the Code.		
	(ii) If so, whether the Resolution		
	Applicant has submitted the statement		
	giving details of such non-		
	implementation?		
Regul	Whether the Resolution Plan provides:		YES
ation3	(a) The term of the plan and its		
8(2)	implementation schedule?	Please refer to	
	-	clause 7.3	
		page no 70	
	(b) For the management and control of		



	during its term?	Please refer to clause 6 page no 58
	(c) Adequate means for supervising its implementation?	Please refer to clause 7.2 page no 65
38(3)	Whether the resolution plan demonstrates that-	YES
	(a) It addresses the cause of default?	(a) Please refer to clause 8.8.3 page no 80
	(b) It is feasible and viable?	(b)Please refer to clause 8.8.4 page no 80
	(c) It has provisions for its effective implementation?	(c) Please refer to clause 7 page no 63
	(d) It has provisions for approvals required and the timeline for the same?	(d)Please refer to clause 8.8.6 page no 81



		Requisite
		details/inform
	(e) The resolution applicant has the	ation/
	capability to implement the resolution	documents
	plan?	pertaining to
		eligibility/
		capability of
		Resolution
		Applicant has
		been provided
		by the
		Resolution
		Applicant as
		part of the
		Resolution
		plan/
		Expression of
		Interest
		and/or as
		part of the
		supporting
		documents
		with the
		Resolution
		plan/
		Expression of
		Interest
39(2)	Whether the RP has filed applications	Yes
	in respect of transactions observed,	
	found or determined by him?	
[Regulation	Provide details of performance security	The members YES



39(4)	received, as referred to in sub-	of COC had
	regulation(4A) of regulation36B.]	approved Rs.
		2cr as
		Performance
		Security to be
		paid by the
		successful
		Resolution
		Applicant
		once the plan
		is approved
		by the
		members of
		COC and
		before it is
		filed with
		NCLT,
		Mumbai.

#### 24. RELIEF SOUGHT IN RESPECT OF WAIVER OF DAMAGES:

The Resolution Applicant prays that the Hon'ble NCLT grant liberty to RA to make an application to the Central Board to waive 100% damages leveled under Section 14B 2<sup>nd</sup> proviso for waiver of the damages under Section 14B which application be filed within 30 days from today and the Central Board may consider and take appropriate decision regarding waiver of the damages under Section 14B expeditiously within the period of three months from the date copy of the application is submitted.

The Liberty sought is granted. RA may make an application to the Central Board to waive 100% damages leveled under Section 14B 2<sup>nd</sup> proviso for waiver of the damages under Section 14B which application



be filed within 30 days from approval of the plan the Central Board may consider and take appropriate decision regarding waiver of the damages under Section 14B expeditiously within the period of three months.

#### 25. Observations and Findings:

- i. As per IBC Code 30(2)(a) A Resolution Plan provides for the payment of insolvency resolution process costs in a manner specified by the Board in priority to the payment of other debts of the corporate debtor.
- ii. As per Section 30(2)(b), the Respondent has agreed to pay Operational Creditors an amount which shall not be less than liquidation value or the amount that would have been paid to such creditors if the amount to be distributed under the Resolution Plan is distributed in accordance with priority under Section 53(1), whichever is higher.
- iii. The Resolution Applicant has also agreed that dissenting financial creditors shall be paid not less than the value they would have been paid in the event of liquidation of the Corporate Debtor.
- iv. The plan provides for the management of the affairs of the Corporate Debtor after approval of the Resolution Plan. Section 30(2)(d).
- v. The Resolution Plan does not contravene any of the provisions of the law for the time being in force Resolution Plan provides for the implementation and supervision of the resolution plan as per Section 30(2) (e)
- vi. The Resolution Applicant has given a declaration that the Resolution Plan does not contravene any provisions of the law for the time being in force as per Section 30(2)(f).
- vii. The resolution applicant or any of its related parties has not failed to implement or contributed to the failure of



- implementation of any other resolution plan approved by the Adjudicating Authority at any time in the past.
- viii. The Resolution Plan is in compliance of the Regulation 38 of the Regulations in terms of Section 30(2)(f) as under:
  - a. The amount due to the operational creditors under a resolution plan shall be given priority in payment over financial creditors. Regulation 38(1).
  - b. The Resolution Plan has all the adequate means of supervising of the implementation of the Plan as required under Regulation 38(2) (c), of the IBBI, Insolvency resolution process for corporate persons, Regulation 2016.
  - c. Provides for the payment of CIRP Costs in priority to the repayment of any other debts of the Company (Regulation 38(1)(a)).
  - d. Provides for the manner of implementation and supervision of the Resolution Plan and adequate means for implementation and supervision of the Resolution Plan.
  - e. The Resolution Applicant confirms that to the best of the knowledge of the Resolution Applicant, the Resolution Plan is not in contravention of the provisions of Applicable Law and is in compliance with the Code and the CIRP Regulations.
  - f. The Resolution Applicant confirms that the Resolution Applicant and its connected persons are not disqualified from submitting a resolution plan under Section 29A of the Code and other provisions of the Code and any other Applicable Law.
  - g. The plan provides for the management and control of the business of the Corporate Debtor during its term.
  - h. All the above factors demonstrate that the plan address as the cause of default and the Resolution Applicant has the capacity to implement the Resolution Plan.



- i. That the Resolution Applicant or any of its related parties has never failed to implement or contributed to the failure of implementation of any other Resolution Plan approved by the Adjudicating Authority at any time in the past. This is in compliance of Regulation 38(1)(b) of the Regulations.
- j. The interests of all stakeholders (including Financial Creditors, Operational Creditors and other creditors, guarantors, members, employees and other stakeholders of the Company, keeping in view the objectives of the Code (Regulation 38(1A)).
- 26. The Resolution Plan has been approved in the in **18<sup>th</sup> COC Meeting** held on 6th April, 2024 with 75.27% Voting Majority through evoting starting on 8th April, 2024 at 12:30 P.M. and ended on 3rd May, 2024 at 06:00 P.M. in accordance with the provisions of the Code.
- 27. In view of the above cited case law, the legislature has given paramount importance to the commercial wisdom of committee of creditors (CoC) and the scope of judicial review by the Adjudicating Authority (AA) is limited to the extent of scrutiny provided under section 31 of Code and the direction of the Appellate Authority is limited to the extent provided under sub-Section (3) of Section 61 of the Code.
- 28. In view of the discussions, this Bench is of the considered view that the instant Resolution Plan meets the requirements of Section 30(2) of the Code and Regulations 37, 38, 38(1A) and 39(4) of the Regulations. The Resolution Plan is not in contravention of any of the provisions of Section 29A of the Code and is in accordance with law. The Resolution Plan is feasible and viable. The Resolution Plan balances the interest of all the stakeholders and thus it deserves to be approved.



#### **ORDER**

- a) The Interlocutory Application No. 263 of 2023 is **allowed**. The Resolution Plan submitted by Consortium of Mr. Karan Misal, Mr. Rushabh Ranawat and Mr. Ashish Kadam, is hereby approved. It shall become effective from this date and shall form part of this order. It shall be binding on the Corporate Debtor, its employees, members, creditors, including the Central Government, any State Government or any local authority to whom a debt in respect of payment of dues arising under any law for the time being in force is due.
- b) The approval of the Resolution Plan shall not be construed as waiver of any statutory obligations of the Corporate Debtor and shall be dealt by the appropriate Authorities in accordance with law. It is seen that the Resolution Applicant sought several dispensations, concessions and waivers. Any waiver sought in the Resolution plan shall be subject to approval by the Authority concerned in the light of the Judgment of Supreme Court in Ghanshyam Mishra and Sons Private Limited v/s. Edelweiss Asset Reconstruction Company Limited, the relevant para's of which are extracted herein below:

"on the date of approval of the Resolution Plan by the Adjudicating Authority, all such claims, which are not a part of resolution plan, shall stand extinguished and no person will be entitled to initiate or continue any proceedings in, respect to a claim, which is not part of the resolution plan."

"95. (i) Once a resolution plan is duly approved by the adjudicating authority under sub-section (1) of Section 31, the claims as provided in the resolution plan shall stand frozen and will be binding on the corporate debtor and its employees, members, creditors, including the Central Government, any State Government or any local authority,

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guarantors and other stakeholders. On the date of approval of resolution plan bu the adjudicating authority, all such claims, which are not a part of the resolution plan shall stand extinguished and no person will be entitled to initiate or continue any proceedings in respect to a claim, which is not part of the resolution plan;

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- (ii) 2019 Amendment to Section 31 of the I&B Code is clarificatory and declaratory in nature and therefore will be effective from the date on which the Code has come into effect;
- (iii) consequently, all the dues including the statutory dues owed to the Central Government, any State Government or any local authority, if not part of the resolution plan, shall stand extinguished and no proceedings in respect of such dues for the period prior to the date on which the adjudicating authority grants its approval under Section 31 could be continued."
- c) The Memorandum of Association (MoA) and Articles of Association (AoA) shall accordingly be amended and filed with the Registrar of Companies (RoC), concerned for information and record. The Resolution Applicant, for effective implementation of the Plan, shall obtain all necessary approvals, under any law for the time being in force, within such period as may be prescribed.
- d) The moratorium under Section 14 of the Code shall cease to have effect from this date.
- e) The Monitoring Committee shall supervise the implementation of the Resolution Plan and shall file status of its implementation before this Authority from time to time, preferably every quarter.
- f) The Applicant shall forward all records relating to the conduct of the CIRP and the Resolution Plan to the IBBI along with copy of this Order for information.



- g) The Applicant shall forthwith send a copy of this Order to the CoC and the Resolution Applicant for necessary compliance.
- h) The Resolution Professional shall submit the records collected during the commencement of the proceedings to the Insolvency & Bankruptcy Board of India for their record.
- i) The Resolution Professional shall stand discharged from his duties with effect from the date of this Order, save and except those duties that are enjoined upon him for implementation of the approved Resolution Plan.
- j) The Registry is directed to send copies of the order forthwith to all the parties and their Ld. Counsel for information and for taking necessary steps.
- **k)** The Interlocutory Application **No. 263 of 2023** is accordingly allowed.

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Madhu Sinha Member (Technical) Reeta Kohli Member (Judicial)

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