

**GLOBAL SURFACES LIMITED**  
**CORPORATE GOVERNANCE POLICY**

The provisions of the SEBI Listing Regulations and the Companies Act with respect to corporate governance will be applicable to us immediately upon the listing of our Equity Shares on the Stock Exchange.

We are in compliance with the requirements of the applicable regulations, including the SEBI Listing Regulations, Companies Act and the SEBI ICDR Regulations, in respect of corporate governance including constitution of our Board and Committees thereof. Our corporate governance framework is based on an effective independent Board, separation of the Board's supervisory role from the executive management team and constitution of the Board Committees, as required under law.

Our Board is constituted in compliance with the provisions of the Companies Act and the SEBI Listing Regulations and our Company undertakes to take all necessary steps to continue to comply with all the requirements of the SEBI Listing Regulations and the Companies Act. Our Board functions either directly, or through various committees constituted to oversee specific operational areas.

As on date of this policy, our Board has 6 Directors, comprising one Managing Director, one Executive Director, one Non-Executive Director and Three Independent Directors. We have one (Sweta Shah) Woman Director on our Board amongst these.

### **Committees of our Board**

We have constituted the following committees of our Board of Directors for compliance with Corporate Governance requirements:

1. Audit Committee
2. Stakeholder's Relationship Committee
3. Nomination and Remuneration Committee
4. Corporate Social Responsibility Committee

#### **1. Audit Committee**

The Audit Committee of our Board was constituted by our Directors by a board resolution dated **01-03-2022** pursuant to section 177 of the Companies Act, 2013. The Audit Committee comprises of:

<b>Name of the Member</b>	<b>Nature of Directorship</b>	<b>Designation in Committee</b>
Mr. Dinesh Kumar Govil	Independent Director	Chairman
Mr. Yashwant Sharma	Independent Director	Member
Mr. Mayank Shah	Managing Director	Member

The Company Secretary of our Company shall act as secretary to the Audit

Committee. The scope of Audit Committee shall include but shall not be restricted to the following:

The roles and responsibilities of the Audit Committee include the following:

1. Oversight of the Company's financial reporting process and the disclosure of its financial information to ensure that the financial statement is correct, sufficient and credible;
2. Recommendation for appointment, remuneration and terms of appointment of auditors of the Company;
3. Approve payment to statutory auditors for any other services rendered by the statutory auditors;
4. Review, with the management, the annual financial statements and auditor's report thereon before submission to the board for approval, with particular reference to:
  - a) Matters required to be included in the director's responsibility statement to be included in the board's report in terms of clause (c) of sub-section (3) of Section 134 of the Companies Act, 2013;
  - b) Changes, if any, in accounting policies and practices and reasons for the same;
  - c) Major accounting entries involving estimates based on the exercise of judgment by management;
  - d) Significant adjustments made in the financial statements arising out of audit findings;
  - e) Compliance with listing and other legal requirements relating to financial statements;
  - f) Disclosure of any related party transactions;
  - g) Modified opinion(s) in the draft audit report;
5. Review, with the management, the quarterly financial statements before submission to the board for approval;
6. Review, with the management, the statement of uses / application of funds raised through an issue (public issue, rights issue, preferential issue, etc.), the statement of funds utilized for purposes other than those stated in the offer document / prospectus / notice and the report submitted by the monitoring agency monitoring the utilization of proceeds of a public or rights issue, and making appropriate recommendations to the board to take up steps in this matter;
7. Review and monitor the auditor's independence and performance, and effectiveness of audit process;
8. Subject to and conditional upon approval of our Board, approval of related party transactions or subsequent modifications thereto. Such approval can be

in the form of omnibus approval of related party transactions, subject to conditions not inconsistent with the conditions specified in Regulation 23(2) and Regulation 23(3) of the SEBI LODR Regulations;

9. Subject to review by our Board, review on quarterly basis, of related party transactions entered into by our Company pursuant to each omnibus approval given pursuant to 6 above;

Explanation: The term “related party transactions” shall have the same meaning as provided in Clause 2(zc) of the SEBI LODR Regulations and/or the applicable Accounting Standards and/or the Companies Act, 2013.

10. Scrutinize inter-corporate loans and investments;
11. Valuation of undertakings or assets of the Company, wherever it is necessary;
12. Evaluation of internal financial controls and risk management systems;
13. Review, with the management, performance of statutory and internal auditors, adequacy of the internal control systems;
14. Review the adequacy of internal audit function, if any, including the structure of the internal audit department, staffing and seniority of the official heading the department, reporting structure coverage and frequency of internal audit;
15. Discussion with internal auditors of any significant findings and follow up there on;
16. Review the findings of any internal investigations by the internal auditors into matters where there is suspected fraud or irregularity or a failure of internal control systems of a material nature and reporting the matter to the board;
17. Discussion with statutory auditors before the audit commences, about the nature and scope of audit as well as post-audit discussion to ascertain any area of concern;
18. To look into the reasons for substantial defaults in the payment to the depositors, debenture holders, shareholders (in case of non-payment of declared dividends) and creditors;
19. To review the functioning of the whistle blower mechanism;
20. Oversee the procedures and processes established to attend to issues relating to the maintenance of books of accounts, administrations procedures, transactions and other matters having a bearing on the financial position of our company, whether raised by the auditors or by any other person;
21. Act as a compliance committee to discuss the level of compliance in our Company and any associated risks and to monitor and report to the Board on any significant compliance breaches;
22. Approve the appointment of chief financial officer (i.e the whole-time Finance Director or any other person heading the finance function or discharging that function) after assessing the qualifications, experience and background, etc. of the candidate;
23. Oversee the vigil mechanism established by our Company and the chairman of audit committee shall directly hear grievances of victimization of employees and directors, who use vigil mechanism to report genuine concerns; and
24. Carrying out any other function as is mentioned in the terms of reference of

the audit committee and any other terms of references as may be decided by the board of directors of our company or specified/provided under the Companies Act, 2013 or by the SEBI LODR Regulations or by any other regulatory authority.”

25. Review the utilization of loans and/ or advances from/investment by the holding company in the subsidiary exceeding rupees 100 crore or 10% of the asset size of the subsidiary, whichever is lower including existing loans / advances / investments existing as on the date of coming into force of this provision.

The Audit Committee shall mandatorily review the following information:

- a) Management discussion and analysis of financial condition and results of operations;
- b) Statement of significant related party transactions (as defined by the audit committee), submitted by management;
- c) Management letters / letters of internal control weaknesses issued by the statutory auditors;
- d) Internal audit reports relating to internal control weaknesses; and
- e) The appointment, removal and terms of remuneration of the chief internal auditor shall be subject to review by the audit committee.
- f) Statement of deviations:
  - Quarterly statement of deviation(s) including report of monitoring agency, if applicable, submitted to stock exchange(s) in terms of Regulation 32(1).
  - Annual statement of funds utilized for purposes other than those stated in the offer document/prospectus/notice in terms of Regulation 32(7).

The powers of the Audit Committee are as mentioned below:

1. To investigate any activity within its terms of reference;
2. To seek information from any employee of our Company;
3. To obtain outside legal or other professional advice; and
4. To secure attendance of outsiders with relevant expertise, if it considers necessary.

*(cc) The Audit Committee shall mandatorily review the following information:*

- i. Management discussion and analysis of financial condition and results of operations;
- ii. Statement of significant related party transactions (as defined by the Audit Committee), submitted by the management of the Company;
- iii. Management letters/letters of internal control weaknesses issued by the

- statutory auditors of the Company;
- iv. Internal audit reports relating to internal control weaknesses;
- v. The appointment, removal and terms of remuneration of the chief internal auditor shall be subject to review by the Audit Committee;
- vi. Statement of deviations:
- Quarterly statement of deviation(s) including report of monitoring agency, if applicable, submitted to stock exchange(s) in terms of Regulation 32(1) of the SEBI Listing Regulations; and
  - Annual statement of funds utilized for purposes other than those stated in the offer document/prospectus/notice in terms of Regulation 32(7) of the SEBI Listing Regulations; and
  - Review the financial statements, in particular, the investments made by any unlisted subsidiary.
- (dd) To carry out such other functions as may be specifically referred to the Committee by the Board of Directors and/or other Committees of Directors of the Company.
- (ee) To make available its terms of reference and review periodically those terms of reference and its own effectiveness and recommend any necessary changes to the Board.

#### *Meeting of Audit Committee*

The audit committee shall meet at least four times in a year and not more than one hundred and twenty days shall elapse between two meetings. The quorum shall be either two members or one third of the members of the audit committee whichever is greater, but there shall be a minimum of two independent members present.

## **2. Stakeholders Relationship Committee**

The Stakeholders Relationship Committee of our Board were constituted by our Directors pursuant to section 178 (5) of the Companies Act, 2013 by a board resolution dated **01-03-2022**. The Shareholder and Investor Grievance Committee comprises of:

<b>Name of the Member</b>	<b>Nature of Directorship</b>	<b>Designation in Committee</b>
Dinesh Kumar Govil	Independent Director	Chairman
Yashwant Sharma	Independent Director	Member
Sudhir Baxi	Independent Director	Member

This Committee will address all grievances of Shareholders/ Investors and its

terms of reference include the following:

- a) Consider and resolve the grievances of security holders of the Company including Investors' Complaints;
- b) Allotment, transfer of shares including transmission, splitting of shares, changing joint holding into single holding and vice versa, issue of duplicate shares in lieu of those torn, destroyed, lost or defaced or where the cages in the reverse for recording transfers have been fully utilized;
- c) Redressing of shareholders and investors complaints such as non-receipt of declared dividend, annual report, transfer of Equity shares and issue of duplicate / split / consolidated share certificates;
- d) Monitoring transfers, transmissions, dematerialization, rematerialization, splitting and consolidation of Equity Shares and other securities issued by our Company, including review of cases for refusal of transfer / transmission of shares and debentures;
- e) Reference to statutory and regulatory authorities regarding investor grievances;
- f) To otherwise ensure proper and timely attendance and redressal of investor queries and grievances; and
- g) Any other power specifically assigned by the Board of Directors of the Company from time to time by way of resolution passed by it in a duly conducted meeting.
- h) To do all such acts, things or deeds as may be necessary or incidental to the exercise of the above powers.
- i) Review of measures taken for effective exercise of voting rights by shareholders.
- j) Review of adherence to the service standards adopted by the listed entity in respect of various services being rendered by the Registrar & Share Transfer Agent.
- k) Review of the various measures and initiatives taken by the listed entity for reducing the quantum of unclaimed dividends and ensuring timely receipt of dividend warrants/annual reports/statutory notices by the shareholders of the company.

The Company Secretary of our Company shall act as the Secretary to the Committee.

### ***Quorum and Meetings***

The Committee shall meet at least once in a year. The quorum necessary for a meeting of the Stakeholders Relationship Committee shall be two members or one third of the members, whichever is greater.

### 3. Nomination and Remuneration Committee

The Nomination and Remuneration Committee of our Board was constituted by our Directors pursuant to section 178 of the Companies Act, 2013 by a board resolution dated **01-03-2022**.

The Nomination and Remuneration Committee currently comprises of:

<b>Name of the Member</b>	<b>Nature of Directorship</b>	<b>Designation in Committee</b>
Dinesh Kumar Govil	Independent Director	Chairman
Yashwant Sharma	Independent Director	Member
Sudhir Baxi	Independent Director	Member

The scope and function of the NR Committee is in accordance with Section 178 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Regulation 19 of the SEBI Listing Regulations and its terms of reference are as follows:

- (a) To be responsible for identifying and nominating, for the approval of the Board and ultimately the shareholders, candidates to fill Board vacancies as and when they arise as well as putting in place plans for succession, in particular with respect to the Chairman of the Board and the Chief Executive Officer;
- (b) To formulate the criteria for determining qualifications, positive attributes and independence of a director and recommend to the board of directors a policy relating to, the remuneration of the directors, key managerial personnel and other employees; The NR Committee, while formulating the above policy, should ensure that:
  - (i) The level and composition of remuneration be reasonable and sufficient to attract, retain and motivate directors of the quality required to run our Company successfully;
  - (ii) Relationship of remuneration to performance is clear and meets appropriate performance benchmarks; and
  - (iii) Remuneration to directors, key managerial personnel and senior management involves a balance between fixed and incentive pay reflecting short term and long-term performance objectives appropriate to the working of the Company and its goals.
- (c) To identify persons who are qualified to become directors and who may be appointed in senior management in accordance with the criteria laid down and recommend to the Board their appointment and removal;
- (d) To devise a policy on diversity of board of directors;
- (e) To regularly review the Board structure, size, composition and make recommendations to the Board of adjustments that are deemed necessary, in



order to ensure an adequate size and a well-balanced composition of the Board and further to make determinations regarding independence of members of the Board;

- (f) To consider succession and emergency planning, taking into account the challenges and opportunities facing the Company and the skills and expertise therefore needed on the Board, reporting to the Board regularly;
- (g) To keep under review the leadership needs of the organization, both executive and non-executive, with a view to ensuring the continued ability of the Company to compete effectively in the market place;
- (h) To formulate criteria for evaluation of performance of independent directors and the board of directors;
- (i) To decide on whether to extend or continue the term of appointment of the Independent Director, on the basis of the report of performance evaluation of Independent Directors;
- (j) To analyze, monitor and review various human resource and compensation matters;
- (k) Annual performance evaluation of the Chairman of the Company and all Directors including Managing and other Executive Director with respect to their roles as Directors;
- (l) To ensure that on appointment to the Board, Non-executive Directors receive a formal letter of appointment setting out clearly what is expected of them in terms of time commitment, committee service and involvement outside Board meetings;
- (m) To recommend to the Board whether to reappoint a Director/Independent Director at the end of their term of office;
- (n) To make recommendations to the Board concerning any matters relating to the continuation in office of any Director at any time including the suspension or termination of service of an executive Director as an employee of the Company subject to the provision of the law and their service contract;
- (o) To identify and recommend Directors who are to be put forward for retirement by rotation;
- (p) Before appointment is made by the Board, to evaluate the balance of skills, knowledge and experience on the Board, and in the light of this evaluation prepare a description of the role and capabilities required for a particular appointment;
- (q) To ensure the development of guidelines for selecting candidates for election or re-election to the Board, or to fill vacancies on the Board;
- (r) To consider any other matters as may be requested by the Board;
- s) For every appointment of an independent director, the Nomination and Remuneration Committee shall evaluate the balance of skills, knowledge and experience on the Board and on the basis of such evaluation, prepare a description of the role and capabilities required of an independent director. The person recommended to the Board for appointment as an independent director shall have the capabilities identified in such description. For the purpose of

identifying suitable candidates, the Committee may:

- a. Use the services of an external agencies, if required;
  - b. Consider candidates from a wide range of backgrounds, having due regard to diversity; and
  - c. Consider the time commitments of the candidates.
- (t) To frame suitable policies, procedures and systems to ensure that there is no violation of securities laws, as amended from time to time, by the Company and its employees, as applicable including:
- i. the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015, as amended; and
  - ii. the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Fraudulent and Unfair Trade Practices Relating to the Securities Market) Regulations, 2003, as amended; and
  - iii. To make available its terms of reference and review periodically those terms of reference and its own effectiveness and recommend any necessary changes to the Board.

The duties of the Committee in relation to its remuneration function shall be:

- (t) To consider and determine, based on their performance and such other factors as the Committee shall deem appropriate all elements of the remuneration of the members of the Board and the Key Managerial Personnel, namely,
- i. base salary (the Committee shall also consider the pension consequences of basic salary increases);
  - ii. bonuses and performance-related payments (including profit-sharing schemes);
  - iii. discretionary payments;
  - iv. pension contributions;
  - v. benefits in kind; and
  - vi. share options and their equivalents
- (u) To approve the remuneration of other members of the senior management of the Company;
- (v) To review and approve compensation strategy from time to time in the context of the then current Indian market in accordance with applicable laws;
- (w) In relation to the above, the Committee shall at all times give due regard to published or other available information relating to pay, bonuses and other benefits of executives in companies which are comparable to the Company;
- (x) To perform such functions as are required to be performed by the compensation committee under the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Share Based Employee Benefits) Regulations, 2014;
- (y) To administer the employee stock option scheme/plan approved by the Board and shareholders of the Company in accordance with the terms of such scheme/plan ("**ESOP Scheme**") including the following:
- i. Determining the eligibility of employees to participate under the ESOP Scheme;
  - ii. Determining the quantum of option to be granted under the ESOP Scheme per

employee and in aggregate;

- iii. Date of grant;
  - iv. Determining the exercise price of the option under the ESOP Scheme;
  - v. The conditions under which option may vest in employee and may lapse in case of termination of employment for misconduct;
  - vi. The exercise period within which the employee should exercise the option and that option would lapse on failure to exercise the option within the exercise period;
  - vii. The specified time period within which the employee shall exercise the vested option in the event of termination or resignation of an employee;
  - viii. The right of an employee to exercise all the options vested in him at one time or at various points of time within the exercise period;
  - ix. Re-pricing of the options which are not exercised, whether or not they have been vested if stock option rendered unattractive due to fall in the market price of the equity shares;
  - x. The grant, vest and exercise of option in case of employees who are on long leave;
  - xi. Allow exercise of unvested options on such terms and conditions as may deem fit;
  - xii. The procedure for cashless exercise of options;
  - xiii. Forfeiture/ cancellation of options granted;
  - xiv. Formulating and implementing the procedure for making a fair and reasonable adjustment to the number of options and to the exercise price in case of corporate actions such as rights issues, bonus issues, merger, sale of division and others. In this regard following shall be taken into consideration:
  - xv. The number and the price of stock option shall be adjusted in a manner such that total value of the option to the employee remains the same after the corporate action;
  - xvi. For this purpose, follow global best practices in this area including the procedures followed by the derivative markets in India and abroad may be considered; and
  - xvii. The vesting period and the life of the option shall be left unaltered as far as possible to protect the rights of the employee who is granted such option.
- (z) To construe and interpret the ESOP Scheme and any agreements defining the rights and obligations of the Company and eligible employees under the ESOP Scheme, and prescribing, amending and/or rescinding rules and regulations relating to the administration of the ESOP Scheme;
- (aa) To consider any other matters as may be requested by the Board; and
- (bb) To make available its terms of reference and review annually those terms of reference and its own effectiveness and recommend any necessary changes to the Board.

The committee is authorized by the Board to:

- (a) investigate any activity within its terms of reference;
- (b) seek any information from any employee of the Company or any associate or subsidiary, joint venture Company in order to perform its duties and all employees are directed by the Board to co-operate with any request made by the Committee;

and

(c) call any director or other employee to be present at a meeting of the Committee as and when required. If the Committee considers it necessary so to do it is authorised to obtain appropriate external advice including but not limited to legal and professional advice to assist it in the performance of its duties and to secure the services of outsiders with relevant experience and expertise and to invite those persons to attend at meetings of the Committee. The cost of obtaining any advice or services shall be paid by the Company within the limits as authorized by the Board. The NR Committee shall meet at least once a year.

### ***Quorum and Meetings***

The quorum necessary for a meeting of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee shall be three non-executive directors out of which two shall be the Independent Directors. The Chairman of the Committee shall be an Independent Director. The Committee is required to meet at least once a year.

The Company Secretary of our Company shall act as the Secretary to the Committee.

#### **4. Corporate Social Responsibility Committee**

The Corporate Social Responsibility Committee of our Board was constituted on **01-03-2022**. The Corporate Social Responsibility Committee comprises of the following:

<b>Name of the Member</b>	<b>Nature of Directorship</b>	<b>Designation in Committee</b>
Dinesh Kumar Govil	Independent Director	Chairman
Yashwant Sharma	Independent Director	Member
Sweta Shah	Director	Member

The Company Secretary shall act as the secretary of the Corporate Social Responsibility Committee.

The terms of reference, powers and scope of the Corporate Social Responsibility Committee of our Company is in accordance with Section 135 of the Companies Act, 2013. The terms of reference of the Corporate Social Responsibility Committee include the following:

(a) To formulate and recommend to the Board, a Corporate Social Responsibility Policy which shall indicate the activities to be undertaken by the company as specified in Schedule VII of the Companies Act, 2013 and the rules made thereunder and make any revisions therein as and when decided by the Board;

(b) To identify corporate social responsibility policy partners and corporate social responsibility policy programs;

(c) To recommend the amount of expenditure to be incurred for the corporate social responsibility activities and the distribution of the same to various corporate social responsibility programs undertaken by the Company;

(d) To delegate responsibilities to the corporate social responsibility team and supervise proper execution of all delegated responsibilities;

(e) To review and monitor the implementation of corporate social responsibility programs and issuing necessary directions as required for proper implementation and timely completion of corporate social responsibility programs; and

(f) To perform such other duties and functions as the Board may require the corporate social responsibility committee to undertake to promote the corporate social responsibility activities of the Company and exercise such other powers as may be conferred upon the CSR Committee in terms of the provisions of Section 135 of the Companies Act.

Any other matter as the Corporate Social Responsibility Committee may deem appropriate after approval of the Board of Directors or as may be directed by the Board of Directors from time to time.

The Corporate Social Responsibility Committee shall meet at least once a year.