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ফাইন্যান্সিয়াল রিপোর্টিং কাউন্সিল, অর্থ বিভাগ, অর্থ মন্ত্রণালয়

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প্রজ্ঞাপন

যেহেতু, ফাইন্যান্সিয়াল রিপোর্টিং আইন, ২০১৫ এর ধারা ৭ অনুসারে হিসাবরক্ষণ ও নিরীক্ষা পেশার মান নির্ধারণ, নৈতিকতা সম্পর্কিত মান নির্ধারণ, হিসাবরক্ষণ ও নিরীক্ষা সেবার গুণগত মান উন্নতকরণ, হিসাবরক্ষণ ও নিরীক্ষা পেশার উন্নয়ন সাধন, হিসাবরক্ষণ ও নিরীক্ষা কার্যক্রমের সততা, স্বচ্ছতা এবং সক্ষমতা বৃদ্ধিতে সহযোগিতা প্রদান করা ফাইন্যান্সিয়াল রিপোর্টিং কাউন্সিল এর সাধারণ উদ্দেশ্যের অন্তর্ভুক্ত;

যেহেতু, উক্ত আইনের ধারা ৮(২)(ক) অনুসারে বাংলাদেশের আর্থ-সামাজিক অবস্থার প্রেক্ষিতে আন্তর্জাতিকভাবে গৃহীত ও মানসম্পন্ন অডিটিং স্ট্যান্ডার্ডস এর সহিত সামঞ্জস্য রাখিয়া স্ট্যান্ডার্ডসমূহ প্রণয়ন ও উহার বাস্তবায়ন এবং ধারা ৮(২)(খ) অনুসারে ইন্টারন্যাশনাল অডিটিং এন্ড এস্যুরেন্স স্ট্যান্ডার্ডস বোর্ড (আইএএএসবি) অথবা এতদসংক্রান্ত অন্যান্য আন্তর্জাতিক সংস্থা কর্তৃক প্রণীত আন্তর্জাতিকভাবে গৃহীত ও মানসম্পন্ন স্ট্যান্ডার্ডসমূহ প্রতিপালন নিশ্চিতকরণ ফাইন্যান্সিয়াল রিপোর্টিং কাউন্সিলের কার্যাবলীর অন্তর্ভুক্ত;

যেহেতু, ফাইন্যান্সিয়াল রিপোর্টিং কাউন্সিল স্মারক নং: ১৩২/এফআরসি/এসএস/প্রজ্ঞাপন/২০২১/১৯৯; তারিখ: ০৪ নভেম্বর ২০২১ এর মাধ্যমে ইতোপূর্বে ইন্টারন্যাশনাল অডিটিং এন্ড এস্যুরেন্স স্ট্যান্ডার্ডস বোর্ড (IAASB) কর্তৃক ইস্যুকৃত ইন্টারন্যাশনাল স্ট্যান্ডার্ডস অন অডিটিং (ISAs) এবং ইন্টারন্যাশনাল ইথিক্স স্ট্যান্ডার্ডস বোর্ড ফর অ্যাকাউন্ট্যান্টস (IESBA) কর্তৃক ইস্যুকৃত কোড অব ইথিক্স পরিগ্রহণ ও জারি করিয়াছে;

যেহেতু, IAASB কর্তৃক ইস্যুকৃত ISAs এবং IESBA কর্তৃক ইস্যুকৃত কোড অব ইথিক্স এর সর্বশেষ সংস্করণ (২০২৫) অনুসারে নিরীক্ষা প্রতিবেদনের ফরম্যাট পরিবর্তিত হইয়াছে;

সেহেতু, ফাইন্যান্সিয়াল রিপোর্টিং কাউন্সিল কর্তৃক উহার ৪০তম সভার সিদ্ধান্ত মোতাবেক নিম্নবর্ণিত ০৪ (চার) টি ভিন্ন প্রেক্ষাপট বিবেচনায় ০৪ (চার) টি পৃথক নিরীক্ষা প্রতিবেদন ফরম্যাট (তফসিল-১ হইতে ৪) এতদ্বারা জারি করা হইল:

১. An auditor's report on the financial statements of a listed entity prepared in accordance with a fair presentation framework (তফসিল-১);
২. An auditor's report on the consolidated financial statements of a listed entity prepared in accordance with a fair presentation framework (তফসিল-২);
৩. An auditor's report on the financial statements of an entity other than a listed entity prepared in accordance with a fair presentation framework (তফসিল-৩); এবং
৪. An auditor's report on financial statements of an entity other than a listed entity prepared in accordance with a general purpose compliance framework (তফসিল-৪)।

উল্লেখ্য, ফাইন্যান্সিয়াল রিপোর্টিং কাউন্সিল কর্তৃক জারিকৃত নিরীক্ষা প্রতিবেদন ফরম্যাটসমূহ general ফরম্যাট হিসাবে প্রণীত এবং নিরীক্ষকগণ Reporting Entity এর সেক্টর (যথা: ব্যাংকিং সেক্টর, বিমা সেক্টর, প্রভৃতি) অনুযায়ী প্রযোজ্য প্রয়োজনীয় নিরীক্ষা মতামতসমূহ আবশ্যিকভাবে নিরীক্ষা প্রতিবেদনের "Report on other Legal and Regulatory Requirements" অংশ অথবা প্রযোজ্য অন্যান্য অংশে সংযোজন করিবেন;

৩১ ডিসেম্বর ২০২৬ অথবা তদপূর্ববর্তী তারিখে সমাপ্ত হিসাব বছরের জন্য প্রস্তুতকৃত আর্থিক প্রতিবেদনের নিরীক্ষার ক্ষেত্রে নিরীক্ষকগণ বাধ্যতামূলকভাবে এ আদেশবলে জারিকৃত নিরীক্ষা প্রতিবেদন ফরম্যাট অনুসরণে নিরীক্ষা প্রতিবেদন প্রস্তুত ও প্রণয়ন করিবেন। তবে, উল্লিখিত তারিখের পূর্বে সমাপ্ত হিসাব বছরের জন্য প্রস্তুতকৃত আর্থিক প্রতিবেদনের নিরীক্ষার ক্ষেত্রেও জারিকৃত নিরীক্ষা প্রতিবেদন ফরম্যাট প্রয়োগে নিরীক্ষকদের উৎসাহিত করা হইলো।

এ আদেশ অবিলম্বে কার্যকর হইবে।

কাউন্সিলের আদেশক্রমে


ড. মোঃ সাহাদ হোসেন ডুইয়া
চেয়ারম্যান
ফাইন্যান্সিয়াল রিপোর্টিং কাউন্সিল

Independent Auditor's Report

To the Shareholders of ABC Limited

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of ABC Company (the Company), which comprise the statement of financial position as at December 31, 20X1, and the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including material accounting policy information.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Company as at December 31, 20X1, and of its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with IFRS Accounting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB) and adopted by Financial Reporting Council (FRC) of Bangladesh.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants' *International Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including International Independence Standards)* (IESBA Code), as adopted by the Financial Reporting Council (FRC) as applicable to audits of financial statements of public interest entities, together with the ethical requirements of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Bangladesh (ICAB) Bye-Laws that are relevant to audits of the financial statements of public interest entities in Bangladesh. We have also fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the IESBA Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Key Audit Matters

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgment, were of most significance in our audit of the financial statements of the current period. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters.

[Description of each key audit matter in accordance with ISA 701.]

Other Information [or another title if appropriate such as "Information Other than the Financial Statements and Auditor's Report Thereon"]

[Reporting in accordance with the reporting requirements in ISA 720 (Revised) – see Illustration 1 in Appendix 2 of ISA 720 (Revised).]

Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation of financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with IFRS Accounting Standards as issued by the IASB and adopted by FRC, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Company's financial reporting process.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with ISAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.

- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, actions taken to eliminate threats or safeguards applied.

From the matters communicated with those charged with governance, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the financial statements of the current period and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor's report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

Report on other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

In accordance with the Companies Act 1994 and Financial Reporting Act 2015, we also report the following:

- a) we have obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purposes of our audit and made due verification thereof;
- b) in our opinion, proper books of account as required by law have been kept by the Company so far as it appeared from our examination of these books;
- c) the statements of financial position and the statement of comprehensive income dealt with by the report are in agreement with the books of account and returns; and
- d) the financial statements have been prepared in accordance with standards, framework, compliance and guidelines adopted and promulgated by Financial Reporting Council;

Signature

Name of Partner, Enrolment Number: XXXX

Name of the Firm

Firm FRC Enlistment Number

Place/Location, Date

DVC: XXXXXXXXXX

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Shareholders of ABC Company

Report on the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements

Opinion

We have audited the consolidated financial statements of ABC Company and its subsidiaries (the Group), which comprise the consolidated statement of financial position as at December 31, 20X1, and the consolidated statement of comprehensive income, consolidated statement of changes in equity and consolidated statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the consolidated financial statements, including material accounting policy information.

In our opinion, the accompanying consolidated financial statements give a true and fair view of the consolidated financial position of the Group as at December 31, 20X1, and of its consolidated financial performance and its consolidated cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with IFRS Accounting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB) and adopted by Financial Reporting Council (FRC) of Bangladesh.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements* section of our report. We are independent of the Group in accordance with the ethical requirements of Financial Reporting Council together with the ethical requirements of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Bangladesh (ICAB) Bye-Laws that are relevant to audits of the financial statements of public interest entities in Bangladesh, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Key Audit Matters

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgment, were of most significance in our audit of the consolidated financial statements of the current period. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the consolidated financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters.

[Description of each key audit matter in accordance with ISA 701.]

Other Information [or another title if appropriate such as “Information Other than the Financial Statements and Auditor’s Report Thereon”]

[Reporting in accordance with the reporting requirements in ISA 720 (Revised) – see Illustration 1 in Appendix 2 of ISA 720 (Revised).]

Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Consolidated Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation of the consolidated financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with IFRS Accounting Standards as issued by the IASB and adopted by FRC, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Group's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Group or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Group's financial reporting process.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these consolidated financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with ISAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Group's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Group's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the consolidated financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Group to cease to continue as a going concern.

- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the consolidated financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the consolidated financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- Plan and perform the group audit to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the entities or business units within the group as a basis for forming an opinion on the group financial statements. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and review of the audit work performed for purposes of the group audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, actions taken to eliminate threats or safeguards applied.

From the matters communicated with those charged with governance, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the consolidated financial statements of the current period and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor's report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

Report on other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

In accordance with the Companies Act 1994 and Financial Reporting Act 2015, we also report the following:

- a) we have obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purposes of our audit and made due verification thereof;
- b) in our opinion, proper books of account as required by law have been kept by the Group so far as it appeared from our examination of these books;
- c) the consolidated statements of financial position and the consolidated statement of comprehensive income dealt with by the report are in agreement with the books of account and returns; and
- d) the consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with standards, framework, compliance and guidelines adopted and promulgated by Financial Reporting Council;

Signature

Name of Partner, Enrolment Number: XXXX

Name of the Firm

Firm FRC Enlistment Number

Place/Location, Date

DVC: XXXXXXXXXX

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

[Appropriate Addressee]

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of ABC Company (the Company), which comprise the statement of financial position as at December 31, 20X1, and the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements of the Company are prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with XYZ Law of Bangladesh.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the ethical requirements of Financial Reporting Council that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Bangladesh, and we have fulfilled our other responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Other Information [or another title if appropriate such as "Information Other than the Financial Statements and Auditor's Report Thereon"]

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Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with XYZ Law of Bangladesh, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

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- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

Signature

Name of Partner, Enrolment Number: XXXX

Name of the Firm

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Shareholders of ABC Company

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of ABC Company (the Company), which comprise the statement of financial position as at December 31, 20X1, and the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including material accounting policy information.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Company as at December 31, 20X1, and of its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with IFRS Accounting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB) and adopted by Financial Reporting Council (FRC) of Bangladesh.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the ethical requirements of Financial Reporting Council together with the ethical requirements of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Bangladesh (ICAB) Bye-Laws that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Bangladesh, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Other Information [or another title if appropriate such as "Information Other than the Financial Statements and Auditor's Report Thereon"]

[Reporting in accordance with the reporting requirements in ISA 720 (Revised) – see Illustration 1 in Appendix 2 of ISA 720 (Revised).]

Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation of financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with IFRS Accounting Standards as issued by the IASB and adopted by FRC, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going

concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Company's financial reporting process.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with ISAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

Report on other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

In accordance with the Companies Act 1994 and Financial Reporting Act 2015, we also report the following:

- a) we have obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purposes of our audit and made due verification thereof;
- b) in our opinion, proper books of account as required by law have been kept by the Company so far as it appeared from our examination of these books;
- c) the statements of financial position and the statement of comprehensive income dealt with by the report are in agreement with the books of account and returns; and
- d) the financial statements have been prepared in accordance with standards, framework, compliance and guidelines adopted and promulgated by Financial Reporting Council;

Signature

Name of Partner, Enrolment Number: XXXX

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