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Independent Auditors' Review Report on the Statement of Standalone Unaudited Financial Results

To, The Board of Directors Tejas Networks Limited 5th Floor, J P Software Park Plot No 25, Sy. No 13, 14,17 and 18 Konnapana Agrahara Village Begur Hobli, Bengaluru – 560 100

- 1. We have reviewed the unaudited financial results of Tejas Networks Limited (the "Company") for the quarter ended June 30, 2021 which are included in the accompanying 'Statement of Standalone Unaudited Financial Results for the quarter ended June 30, 2021' and the notes thereon (together referred to as the "Standalone Statement"). The Standalone Statement has been prepared by the Company pursuant to Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended (the "Listing Regulations"), which has been initialled by us for identification purposes.
- 2. This Standalone Statement, which is the responsibility of the Company's Management and approved by the Board of Directors, has been prepared in accordance with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in Indian Accounting Standard 34 "Interim Financial Reporting" ("Ind AS 34"), prescribed under Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013, and other accounting principles generally accepted in India. Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on the Standalone Statement based on our review.
- 3. We conducted our review of the Standalone Statement in accordance with the Standard on Review Engagements (SRE) 2410 "Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity", issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India. This Standard requires that we plan and perform the review to obtain moderate assurance as to whether the Standalone Statement is free of material misstatement. A review of interim financial information consists of making inquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with Standards on Auditing and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.
- 4. Based on our review conducted as stated in paragraph 3 above, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the Standalone Statement has not been prepared in all material respects in accordance with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in the aforesaid Indian Accounting Standard and other accounting principles generally accepted in India and has not disclosed the information required to be disclosed in terms of Regulation 33 of the Listing Regulations including the manner in which it is to be disclosed, or that it contains any material misstatement.
- 5. We draw your attention to the following:
  - a. Note 6 to the Standalone Statement regarding overdue trade receivables (due for more than 180 days from the due date for payment) from public sector customers, aggregating to Rs. 80.67 crores (net of provision) as at June 30, 2021. The Company's management believes that the aforesaid receivables are good and fully recoverable and that no additional allowances for credit losses are necessary in respect of these balances as at June 30, 2021.

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b. Note 7 to the Standalone Statement which explains the uncertainties and the management's assessment of the financial impact due to restrictions and other conditions related to the COVID-19 pandemic situation, for which a definitive assessment of the impact in the subsequent period is highly dependent upon the circumstances as they evolve.

Our opinion is not modified in respect of these matters.

For Price Waterhouse Chartered Accountants LLP Firm Registration Number: 012754N/N500016

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Partner

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Place: Bengaluru Date: July 21, 2021



## **Tejas Networks Limited**

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## Statement of Standalone Unaudited Financial Results for the quarter ended June 30, 2021

				(Rs in crore except per data sha	
	Particulars	Quarter ended	Quarter ended	Quarter ended	Year ende
		June 30, 2021	March 31, 2021	June 30, 2020	March 31, 2021
		Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited	Audited
		(Refer note - 9)			
I R	levenue from operations	144.07	201.16	78.73	524.49
	Other Income (Refer Note - 8)	8.38	3.85	4.32	24.83
	otal income (I + II)	152.45	205.01	83.05	549.30
IV E	XPENSES				
(	(a) Cost of materials consumed	73.81	100.19	35.18	268.74
(	(b) Employee benefit expense	27.02	33.92	24.93	109.57
	(c) Finance costs	1.23	0.83	0.91	3.58
(	(d) Depreciation and amortization expense	16.39	14.44	13.78	52.12
	(e) Allowance for expected credit loss	1.16	7.49	4.02	12.49
	(f) Other expenses	24.57	29.74	14.11	80.53
T	otal expenses (IV)	144.18	186.61	92.93	527.03
V P	rofit/(Loss) before tax (III - IV)	8.27	18.40	(9.88)	22.27
VI Ir	ncome tax expense/(benefit)				
(	(1) Current tax expense/(benefit)	1.44	× 20		
(	(2) Deferred tax expense/(benefit)	(0.65)	(15.02)		(15.02
Т	otal tax expense/(benefit)	0.79	(15.02)		(15.02
VII P	Profit/(Loss) after tax (V - VI)	7.48	33.42	(9.88)	<sub></sub> 37.29
VIII C	Other comprehensive income/(loss)				•
It	tems that will not be reclassified to profit or loss				
	Remeasurements of the defined benefit obligation	0.05	1.31	(0.05)	2.2:
	Income tax relating to above	(0.01)	*	(C.CC)	
іх т	otal comprehensive income/(loss) for the period (VII + VIII)	7.52	34.73	(9.93)	39.50
	arnings/(Loss) per equity share				
E	quity shares of par value Rs. 10 each				
(	(1) Basic	0.80	3.60	(1.07)	4.03
(	(2) Diluted	0.77	3.47	(1.07)	3.96

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#### Notes

- These financial results have been prepared in accordance with Companies (Indian Accounting Standard) Rules, 2015 (as amended) ['Ind AS'] prescribed under section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with relevant rules, issued thereunder, and other recognised accounting practices and policies and in terms of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (as amended) ['Listing Regulations'].
- 2 The Company's operations comprise of only one segment viz. Networking equipment.
- In July 2017, Income Tax Department initiated proceedings under section 132 of the Income Tax Act, 1961 for assessment years 2012-13 to 2018-19. During the year 2019-20 and 2020-21 certain other agencies sent notices as part of their preliminary inquiries, which were duly responded / attended by the Company and its officials. In FY 2019-20, the assessments for AY 2012-13 to 2018-19 were carried out and the Company received Income Tax demands for Rs. 25.62 crore (after adjusting carry forward losses of earlier years) and Rs. 0.48 crore for AY 2017-18 and AY 2018-19, respectively. Pursuant to the Company's application for rectification of certain errors in the aforesaid orders, during the quarter ended September 30, 2020, the Company received rectification orders for AY 2012-13 to AY 2018-19 under section 154 of the IT Act. Certain brought forward losses which were not considered in the earlier demand orders were allowed and other computation errors were corrected in the rectification orders resulting in a cumulative net refund position. The Company has also filed appeal against the orders for the aforementioned assessment years disputing certain disallowances. The Company is of the view that the outcome of these proceedings/ notices has no material adverse impact on the Company's financial results.
- 4 During FY 2018-19 and 2019-20, the Company received demand orders for amount of Rs. 42.92 crore towards additional duty and penalty from the Customs Excise and Service Tax Appellate Tribunal (CESTAT) on the applicability of excise duty on software used in the multiplexer products pertaining to FY 2002-03 to FY 2009-10.
  - Further, an additional penalty on certain officers of the Company amounting to Rs. 0.90 crore was raised. The Company has filed a stay application before the Honourable Supreme Court and has also filed an appeal before CESTAT. The Company had in earlier years also received show cause notices amounting to Rs. 3.01 crore for FY 2010-11 to FY 2013-14 on a similar matter.
  - Based on an assessment, supported by an external legal opinion, Management has concluded that the Company has a strong case to defend its position in the above matters and accordingly, no provision has been made in these financial results.
- a) The Company has, at various grant dates issued Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) to its employees at face value of the Company's share, which were approved by the Nomination and Remuneration Committee and the Board of Directors. For the quarter ended June 30, 2021, an amount of Rs. 1.79 crore (June 30, 2020: Rs. 1.70 crore) has been recorded as employee share expenses based on requirements in Ind AS 102, 'Share-based payments'. The RSUs granted and outstanding as at June 30, 2021, aggregates to 18,23,490 (June 30, 2020: 14,48,392).
  - b) The Company has, at various grant dates in the earlier years issued stock options under different Employee Stock Option Plans to its employees at different exercise prices. For the quarter ended June 30, 2021, an amount of Rs. NIL (June 30, 2020: Rs. 0.04 crore) has been recorded as employee share expenses based on requirements in Ind AS 102, 'Share-based payments'.
- As at June 30, 2021, the Company has overdue trade receivables (i.e. due for more than 180 days from the due date for payment), aggregating to Rs. 80.67 crore (March 31, 2021: Rs. 91.19 crore) (net of provision) from public sector customers (including from BSNL for Bharatnet project). Management has taken the necessary steps to expedite collections from the concerned customers. Having regard to the good past history of collections from such customers, Management believes that the aforesaid net receivables as at June 30, 2021 are fully recoverable and hence no additional allowances for credit losses are considered necessary.

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### 7 Impact of COVID-19 Pandemic

The spread of COVID-19 has severely impacted businesses around the globe. The situation is constantly evolving and Governments in certain states imposed various restrictions with the increase in number of COVID 19 cases during the quarter ended June 30, 2021. The Company has considered various internal and external information available up to the date of approval of financial results in assessing the impact of COVID-19 pandemic on the financial results for the quarter ended June 30, 2021.

During the quarter, uncertainties caused by the pandemic has resulted in some delays in customer payments and new orders. Management expects potential delays in executing the orders-in-hand, due to an increase in lead-time for sourcing semiconductor components. Based on current assessment, management is of the view that some uncertainty is likely to continue for the next few quarters, till large scale vaccination happens around the world and the demand-supply situation in the semiconductor component industry stabilizes.

The Company does not have borrowings as at quarter end and in the view of the management, there is no significant impact on the immediate liquidity position of the company based on management's evaluation of future cash flows for the next one year. As at June 30, 2021, management has made an assessment of the recoverability of carrying values of Property, Plant and Equipment, Intangible assets, Inventories and Financial assets. Management has taken into account all possible impact of known events arising from COVID-19 pandemic in making this assessment and has concluded that no further adjustments are considered necessary.

Assessing the impact of COVID-19 is however a continuing process given the uncertainties associated with its nature and duration. The Company will continue to closely monitor any material changes to future economic conditions.

- 8 Other income includes interest on income tax refunds of Rs. 0.79 crore for the quarter ended June 30, 2021 (quarter ended March 31, 2021: Rs. 0.16 crore).
- 9 The figures for the quarter ended March 31, 2021 are the balancing figures between the audited figures in respect of the full financial year and the published unaudited year to date figures up to the third quarter of the respective financial years which were subjected to review by the statutory auditors.
- 10 Previous period's figures have been regrouped/reclassified where necessary, to conform with the current period's presentation for the purpose of comparability.
- 11 The above statement of standalone financial results was reviewed and recommended by the Audit Committee of the Board and subsequently approved by the Board of Directors at their respective meetings held on July 21, 2021.

Place: Bengaluru

Date: July 21, 2021

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Sanjay Nayak

CEO and Managing Director

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For and on behalf of the Board of Directors

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