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INITIAL PUBLIC OFFERING OF UP TO 62,00,000 EQUITY SHARES OF FACE VALUE OF ₹10 EACH ("EQUITY SHARES") OF SRM CONTRACTORS LIMITED ("OUR COMPANY" OR THE "ISSUER") FOR CASH AT A PRICE OF ₹[*] PER EQUITY SHARE (INCLUDING A SECURITIES PREMIUM OF ₹[*] PER EQUITY SHARE) ("ISSUE PRICE") AGGREGATING UP TO ₹[*] LAKHS ("THE ISSUE"). THE ISSUE WILL CONSTITUTE [*] % OF OUR POST-ISSUE PAID-UP EQUITY SHARE CAPITAL.

Our Company is an engineering construction and development company engaged primarily in the construction of tunnels, slope stabilisation works, roads (including bridges) and other miscellaneous civil construction activities in the Union Territories of Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh.

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THE FLOOR PRICE IS 20 TIMES THE FACE VALUE OF THE EQUITY SHARES AND THE CAP PRICE IS 21 TIMES THE FACE VALUE OF THE EQUITY SHARES

THE PRICE/EARNINGS RATIO BASED ON DILUTED EPS FOR FINANCIAL YEAR 2023 FOR THE ISSUER AT THE UPPER END OF THE PRICE BAND IS AS HIGH AS 2.31 AS COMPARED TO THE AVERAGE INDUSTRY PEER GROUP PE RATIO OF 32.15 WEIGHTED AVERAGE RETURN ON NET WORTH FOR FISCAL 2023, 2022 AND 2021 IS 28.21%

BIDS CAN BE MADE FOR A MINIMUM OF 70 EQUITY SHARES AND IN MULTIPLES OF 70 EQUITY SHARES THEREAFTER

In accordance with the recommendation of Independent Directors of our Company, pursuant to their resolution dated March 16, 2024, the above provided price band is justified based on quantitative factors/ KPIs disclosed in the "Basis for the Issue Price" section on pages 121 of the RHP vis-a-vis the weighted average cost of acquisition ("WACA") of primary and secondary transaction(s), as applicable, disclosed in the "Basis for the Issue Price" section on pages 121 of the RHP.

In making an investment decision, potential investors must only rely on the information included in the Red Herring Prospectus and the terms of the Issue, including the risks involved and not rely on any other external sources of information about the Issue available in any manner.

RISKS TO INVESTORS:

- In past, our Promoter namely, Sanjay Mehta have made secondary sale of the Equity Shares held by him at ₹ 49 per equity shares dated June 19, 2023 and transfer price for such secondary sale is lower than the Issue price the Cap price is ₹ 210.
- Our business is concentrated in the Union Territory of Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh and we are exposed to risks emanating from economic, regulatory and other changes in the Union Territory of Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh.

Our business is primarily dependent on projects undertaken or awarded in the Union Territory of Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh, by our client such as National Highways & Infrastructure Development Corporation Limited - Ministry of Road Transport & Highways, Government of India (NHIDCL), Konkan Railway Corporation Limited (KRCL), Government of Jammu and Kashmir Economic Reconstruction Agency (ERA, Jammu), Border Road Organisation (BRO), Public Work (R&B) Department, Jammu & Kashmir (PWD, J&K), Northern Railway, Irrigation & Flood Control Department, J&K, J&K Rural Roads Development Agency (JKRRDA), other entities funded by the Government of India, J&K Government and Third party major infrastructure and construction entities executing projects in the Union Territory of Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh.

- We derive a significant portion of our revenues from a limited number of clients. The loss of any significant clients may have an adverse effect on our business, financial condition, results of operations, and prospects

(in ₹ lakhs)

No.	Particulars	For nine (9) months period ending December 31, 2023		Financial Year 2022-23		Financial Year 2021-22		Financial Year 2020-21	
		Revenue	%	Revenue	%	Revenue	%	Revenue	%
1.	Revenue from Top five (5) Clients	18,945.15	80.77%	21,518.48	71.66%	21,050.37	79.85%	12,440.27	77.72%
2.	Revenue from Top ten (10) Clients	22,926.67	97.74%	27,626.16	92.00%	25,280.30	95.90%	14,597.40	91.20%

- Our business is working capital intensive involving relatively long implementation periods. We require substantial financing for our business operations. Our indebtedness and the conditions and restrictions imposed on by our financing arrangements could adversely affect our ability to conduct our business.

Typically, projects in the infrastructure sector which we undertake are working capital intensive in nature and involve long implementation periods. Majority of the working capital funds of our Company are blocked due to providing margin money for Bank Guarantee, Earnest Money Deposit, Performance Deposit and Security deposit (for our Projects) on which the banks are not providing finance. As on December 31, 2023, our Company's net working capital consisted of ₹ 8,622.13 Lakhs. Further, As on March 31, 2023, our Company's net working capital consisted of ₹7,056.79 Lakhs as against ₹4,585.17 lakhs as on March 31, 2022 and ₹27,32.52 lakhs as on March 31, 2020. As on December 31, 2023, our total borrowings stood at ₹ 4,232.28 lakhs. We may incur additional indebtedness in the future. Additional debt financing could increase our interest costs and require us to comply with additional restrictive covenants in our financing agreements.

- We derive majority of our revenues from construction of Roads, Tunnel and Slope Stabilisation work and our financial condition would be materially and adversely affected if we fail to obtain new Roads, Tunnel and slope stabilisation work or our current Roads, Tunnel and Slope Stabilisation work are terminated.

(in ₹ lakhs)

Our operations	As on nine (9) months December 31, 2023	As % of Revenue from Operations	As on March 31, 2023	As % of Revenue from Operations	As on March 31, 2022	As % of Revenue from Operations	As on March 31, 2021	As % of Revenue from Operations
Road Projects	17,585.32	74.97%	13,532.93	45.07%	10,277.71	38.99%	8,729.29	54.54%
Tunnel Projects	62.87	0.27%	7,822.08	26.05%	10,857.19	41.22%	6,742.26	42.12%
slope stabilisation works	5,676.72	24.20%	8,390.26	27.94%	4,904.58	18.61%	228.71	1.43%
Other miscellaneous civil Construction Activity	130.13	0.55%	283.80	0.94%	311.66	1.18%	305.62	1.91%

- The average cost of acquisition of Equity Shares by our Promoters could be lower than the floor price.

Promoters	Average cost of acquisition per Equity Share (in ₹)
Sanjay Mehta	0.72
Ashley Mehta	NIL
Puneet Pal Singh	49

- Our Company is not in strict compliance with the Corporate Social Responsibility as required under the provision of Companies Act 2013.

As per the applicable laws, Our Company is required to spend 2% of its average net profits made during preceding three financial year on CSR activities. we have undertaken CSR activities financial contributions in Prime Minister Cares Fund and local welfare trusts undertaking activities pertaining to the welfare of old age people and education of children and have spent 17.04 lakhs, 1.80 lakhs and 1.81 lakhs in FY 2022-23, 2021-22 and 2020-2021, respectively. However, our Company has not met with its statutory requirement of spending ₹ 25.55 lakhs, ₹ 13.39, ₹ 11.21 in FY 2022-23, 2021-22 and 2020-2021, respectively and has not complied with requirement of parking the embarked CSR contribution funds into a separate account within the stipulated timelines.

- Weighted Average Cost of Acquisition for all Equity Shares transacted in one year, eighteen months and three years preceding the date of the Red Herring Prospectus by our Promoters and Promoter group:

Period	Weighted Average Cost of Acquisition (in ₹)*	Upper end of the Price band (₹ 210) is 'X' times the Weighted Average Cost of Acquisition	Range of acquisition price: Lowest Price - Highest Price (in ₹)
Last 1 year	0.32	656.25	Lowest and Highest price ₹ 0.32
Last 18 months	0.32	656.25	Lowest and Highest price ₹ 0.32
Last 3 years	0.32	656.25	Lowest and Highest price ₹ 0.32

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- Weighted Average Cost of Acquisition for all Equity Shares transacted during eighteen months preceding the date of the Red Herring Prospectus by our Promoters and Promoter group:

Period	Weighted Average Cost of Acquisition (in ₹)*	Floor Price (i.e, ₹200)	Cap Price (i.e, ₹210)
WACA of Primary Transaction	NA	NA	NA
WACA of Secondary Transaction	0.32	625 times	656.25 times

BID / ISSUE PROGRAMME

ANCHOR INVESTOR BID/ISSUE PERIOD ON MARCH 22, 2024

BID / ISSUE OPENS ON MARCH 26, 2024*

BID / ISSUE CLOSES ON MARCH 28, 2024**

*Our Company may, in consultation with the BRLM, consider participation by Anchor Investors in accordance with the SEBI ICDR Regulations. The Anchor Investor Bidding Date shall be 1 (one) Working Day prior to the Bid/Issue Opening Date.

**Our Company may, in consultation with the BRLM, consider closing the Bid/Issue Period for QIBs 1(one) Working Day prior to the Bid/Issue Closing Date in accordance with the SEBI ICDR Regulations. The UPI mandate end time and date shall be at 5:00 p.m. on Bid/Issue Closing Date.

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Submission of Electronic Applications (Online ASBA through 3-in-1 accounts)	Only between 10:00 am and 5:00 pm IST
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Modification/ Revision/cancellation of Bids

Upward Revision of Bids by QIBs and Non-Institutional Bidders categories*	Only between 10:00 a.m. and up to 5:00 p.m. IST on Bid/ Issue Closing Date
Upward or downward Revision of Bids or cancellation of Bids by RIBs	Only between 10:00 am and 5:00 pm IST

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Post Issue Schedule:

Event	Indicative Date
Bid/ Issue Closing Date	Thursday, March 28, 2024
Finalisation of Basis of Allotment with the Designated Stock Exchange	On or about Monday, April 01, 2024
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In case of any revision in the Price Band, the Bid/ Issue Period will be extended by at least 3 (three) additional Working Days after such revision in the Price Band, subject to the Bid/ Issue Period not exceeding 10 (ten) Working Days. In cases of force majeure, banking strike or similar circumstances, our Company may, in consultation with the BRLM, for reasons to be recorded in writing, extend the Bid/ Issue Period for a minimum of 3 (three) Working Days, subject to the Bid/ Issue Period not exceeding 10 (ten) Working Days. Any revision in the Price Band and the revised Bid/ Issue Period, if applicable, shall be widely disseminated by notification to the Stock Exchanges, by issuing a public notice, and also by indicating the change on the website of the BRLM and at the terminals of the Members of the Syndicate and by intimation to Designated Intermediaries and the Sponsor Bank, as applicable.

This Issue is being made in terms of Rule 19(2)(b) of the SCRR read with Regulation 31 of the SEBI ICDR Regulations. The Issue is being made for at least 25% of the post-Issue paid-up Equity Share capital of our Company. This Issue is being made through the Book Building Process in accordance with Regulation 6(1) of the SEBI ICDR Regulations wherein not more than 50% of the Issue shall be available for allocation on a proportionate basis to Qualified Institutional Buyers ("QIBs" and such portion the "QIB Portion"), provided that our Company in consultation with the BRLM may allocate up to 60% of the QIB Portion to Anchor Investors on a discretionary basis in accordance with SEBI ICDR Regulations ("Anchor Investor Portion"). One-third of the Anchor Investor Portion shall be reserved for domestic Mutual Funds, subject to valid Bids being received from the domestic Mutual Funds at or above the Anchor Investor Allocation Price. In the event of under-subscription, or non-allocation in the Anchor Investor Portion, the balance Equity Shares shall be added to the Net QIB Portion. Further, 5% of the QIB Portion (excluding the Anchor Investor Portion) shall be available for allocation on a proportionate basis to Mutual Funds only, and the remainder of the QIB Portion shall be available for allocation on a proportionate basis to all QIB Bidders (other than Anchor Investors), including Mutual Funds, subject to valid Bids being received at or above the Issue Price. Further, not less than 15% of the Issue shall be available for allocation on a proportionate basis to Non-Institutional Bidders out of which (a) one third of such portion shall be reserved for applicants with application size of more than ₹2.00 lakhs and up to ₹10.00 lakhs and (b) two-third of such portion shall be reserved for applicants with application size of more than ₹10.00 lakhs, provided that the unsubscribed portion in either of such sub-categories may be allocated to applicants in the other sub-category of Non-Institutional Bidders and not less than 35% of the Issue shall be available for allocation to Retail Individual Bidders in accordance with the SEBI ICDR Regulations subject to valid Bids being received at or above the Issue Price. All Potential Bidders, other than Anchor Investors, are required to participate in the Issue by mandatorily utilising the Application Supported by Blocked Amount ("ASBA") process by providing details of their respective ASBA Account (as defined hereinafter) and UPI ID in case of UPI Bidders using the UPI Mechanism, as applicable, pursuant to which their corresponding Bid Amounts will be blocked by the Self Certified Syndicate Banks ("SCSBs") or by the Sponsor Banks under the UPI Mechanism, as the case may be, to the extent of respective Bid Amounts. Anchor Investors are not permitted to participate in the Issue through the ASBA process. For details, see "Issue Procedure" on page 351 of the RHP.

Bidders/Applicants should ensure that DP ID, PAN and the Client ID and UPI ID (for UPI Bidders bidding through UPI Mechanism) are correctly filled in the Bid cum Application Form. The DP ID, PAN and Client ID provided in the Bid cum Application Form should match with the DP ID, PAN, Client ID and UPI ID available (for UPI Bidders bidding through the UPI Mechanism) in the Depository database, otherwise, the Bid cum Application Form is liable to be rejected. Bidders/Applicants should ensure that the beneficiary account provided in the Bid cum Application Form is active. Bidders/Applicants should note that on the basis of the PAN, DP ID, Client ID and UPI ID (for UPI Bidders bidding through the UPI mechanism) as provided in the Bid cum Application Form, the Bidder/Applicant may be deemed to have authorized the Depositories to provide to the Registrar to the Issue, any requested Demographic Details of the Bidder/Applicant as available on the records of the depositories. These Demographic Details may be used, among other things, for giving Allotment Advice or unblocking of ASBA Account or for other correspondence(s) related to the Issue. Bidders/Applicants are advised to update any changes to their Demographic Details as available in the records of the Depository Participant to ensure accuracy of records. Any delay resulting from failure to update the Demographic Details would be at the Bidders/Applicants' sole risk.

ASBA*

Simple, Safe, Smart way of Application!!!!

*Applications Supported by Blocked Amount ("ASBA") is a better way of applying to Issue by simply blocking the fund in the bank account. For further details, check section on ASBA. **Mandatory in public issues. No cheque will be accepted.**

UPI

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ASBA has to be availed by all the investors except Anchor Investors. UPI may be availed by (i) Retail Individual Bidders in the Retail Portion; (ii) Non-Institutional Bidders with an application size of up to ₹ 500,000, applying through Registered Brokers, Syndicate, CDPs & RTAs. Retail Individual Investors and Non-Institutional Investors also have the option to submit the application directly to the ASBA Bank (SCSBs) or to use the facility of linked online trading, demat and bank account. Investors are required to ensure that the bank account used for bidding is linked to their PAN. Bidders must ensure that their PAN is linked with Aadhaar and are in compliance with CBOT notification dated February 13, 2020 and press release dated June 25, 2021 read with press release dated September 17, 2021, CBOT Circular No. 7 of 2022 dated March 30, 2022 read with the press release dated March 28, 2023 and any subsequent press releases in this regard.

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BOOK RUNNING LEAD MANAGER	REGISTRAR TO THE ISSUE	COMPANY SECRETARY AND COMPLIANCE OFFICER
<div></div> <div>Interactive Financial Services Limited Office No. 508, Fifth Floor, Priviera, Nehru Nagar, Ahmedabad - 380 015, Gujarat, India Tel: +91 079-4908 8019 / +91 98980 55647; Email: mbd@ifinservices.in Investor Grievance Email: info@ifinservices.in; Website: www.ifinservices.in Contact Person: Jaini Jain; SEBI Registration No: INM000012856</div>	<div></div> <div>Bigshare Services Private Limited Office No. S6-2, 6th Floor, Pinnacle Business Park, Next to Ahura Center, Mahakali Caves Road, Andheri East, Mumbai-400093 Tel: +91 22-6263 8200; Contact Person: Babu Rapheal C. Website: www.bigshareonline.com; E-mail: ipo@bigshareonline.com SEBI Registration No.: INR000001385; Investor Grievance E-mail: investor@bigshareonline.com</div>	<div>Mr. Arun Mathur SRM CONTRACTORS LIMITED Sector 3, Near BJP Head Office, Trikuta Nagar, Jammu - 180012 Jammu and Kashmir, India Tel: +91 84918 77114 / + 0191 2472729; E-mail: cs@smcpl.com Website: www.smcpl.com</div> <div>Investors may contact the Company Secretary and Compliance Officer or the Registrar to the Issue in case of any Pre-Issue or Post-Issue related grievances including non-receipt of letters of Allotment, non-credit of Allotted Equity Shares in the respective beneficiary account, non-receipt of refund orders or non-receipt of funds by electronic mode, etc. For all Issue related queries and for redressal of complaints, investors may also write to the BRLM.</div>

AVAILABILITY OF THE RHP: Investors are advised to refer to the RHP and the "Risk Factors" beginning on page 31 of the RHP before applying in the Issue. A copy of the RHP is available on the website of SEBI at www.sebi.gov.in and is available on the website of the BRLM, Interactive Financial Services Limited at www.ifinservices.in, the website of the Company, SRM Contractors Limited at www.srmcpl.com and the websites of the Stock Exchanges, for BSE at www.bseindia.com and for NSE Limited at www.nseindia.com.

AVAILABILITY OF BID CUM APPLICATION FORM: Bid cum Application Form can be obtained from the Registered Office of our Company, **SRM CONTRACTORS LIMITED:** Tel: +91 84918 77114 / +0191 2472729; **BRLM:** Interactive Financial Services Limited, Tel: +91 079-4908 8019 / +91 98980 55647 and **Syndicate Member:** BEELINE BROKING LIMITED, Tel: 07966664040 and Registered Brokers, SCSBs, Designated RTA Locations and Designated CDP Locations for participating in the Issue. Bid cum Application Forms will also be available on the websites of the Stock Exchanges at www.bseindia.com and www.nseindia.com and at all the Designated Branches of SCSBs, the list of which is available on the websites of the Stock Exchanges and SEBI.

SRM CONTRACTORS LIMITED is proposing, subject to receipt of requisite approvals, market conditions and other considerations, to make an initial public offer of its Equity Shares and has filed a red herring prospectus dated March 16, 2024 with the RoC. The RHP is made available on the website of the SEBI at www.sebi.gov.in as well as on the website of the BRLM i.e., Interactive Financial Services Limited at www.ifinservices.in, the website of the NSE at www.nseindia.com and the website of the BSE at www.bseindia.com and the website of the Company at www.srmcpl.com. Any potential investor should note that investment in equity shares involves a high degree of risk and for details relating to such risks, please see the section titled "Risk Factors" beginning on page 31 of the RHP. Potential investors should not rely on the DRHP for making any investment decision but can only rely on the information included in the Red Herring Prospectus.

The Equity Shares offered in the Issue have not been and will not be registered under the U.S. Securities Act of 1933, as amended ("U.S. Securities Act"), or any state law of the United States and, unless so registered, may not be offered or sold within the United States, except pursuant to an exemption from, or in a transaction not subject to, the registration requirements of the U.S. Securities Act and applicable state securities laws. Accordingly, the Equity Shares are being offered and sold outside the United States in "offshore transactions" as defined in and in compliance with Regulation S under the U.S. Securities Act and the applicable laws of the jurisdiction where those offers and sales are made. There will be no public offering of the Equity Shares in the United States.

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PROCUREMENT OF IMPERVA
DATABASE ACTIVITY MONITORING TOOL
BID NO: GEM/2024/B/4813686
DATED: 22.03.2024**
The Above GEM Tender document is also available and can be downloaded from the following websites www.iob.in & www.gem.gov.in
For Tender details and future amendments, if any, keep referring to the following website www.gem.gov.in

Indian Bank

Corporate Office, Chennai.

Indian Bank, a leading Public Sector Bank has floated the following RFPs in GeM portal:
1. RFP for Procurement of Microsoft Office 365 Licenses for a Period of 3 Years Along with Manpower Support from Service Provider and Professional Support from OEM
2. RFP for Identification and Engagement of NETC (FASTag) service provider & on-boarding partner for Migration of existing FASTag business and for FASTag supply, sales, etc. for a period of 3 years.
Interested parties may refer Bank's Website: <https://www.indianbank.in/tenders> for details.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the public at large that our son **Mr. Harshil Chaitanya Parekh**, age: 24 year is major and not residing with us. We are not liable for any financial transactions, loan or any other transactions with him. Please note.
(Chaitanya Chandrakant Parekh)
(Bhakti Chaitanya Parekh)
A-902, Varahi apartments,
Near Laxmi Temple, Gokul Nagar-4,
Pune - 411 048
Place :- Pune Dated :- 26/03/2024

कृषी उत्पन्न बाजार समिती पुणे
श्री छत्रपती शिवाजी मार्केट याई,
गुलटेकडी, पुणे-३७
जाहीर सूचना

श्री छत्रपती शिवाजी मार्केट याई गुलटेकडी पुणे येथील फळे भाजीपाला विभागातील गाळा क्रमांक १२७
१) श्री. श्रीमती अर्चना खट्टे २) श्री. संजय श्रीमती खट्टे यांचा निव्विनि शेतजिवाण्या टोक व्यवसायासाठी चाबडपुढेने देणेत आला आहे. संजय श्रीमती खट्टे यांचे दिनांक ३१/०३/२०२३ रोजी निमत झाले असून त्यांचे दिनांक १) श्रीमती मनिषा संजय खट्टे (पुलनी) २) कु. अश्वय संजय खट्टे (पुलना) तर्फे अज्ञातपालनकर्ती आई श्रीमती मनिषा संजय खट्टे ३) कु. ओम संजय खट्टे (पुलना) तर्फे अज्ञातपालनकर्ती आई श्रीमती मनिषा संजय खट्टे ४) कु. तनिका संजय खट्टे (पुलनी) तर्फे अज्ञातपालनकर्ती आई श्रीमती मनिषा संजय खट्टे ५) श्रीमती मयुरा श्रीमती खट्टे (आई) यांचे के. श्रीमती अर्चना खट्टे यांचे दिनांक ३०/३/२०२३ यांचे निमत झाले असून त्यांचे दिनांक १) श्रीमती मयुरा श्रीमती खट्टे (पुलनी) २) सी. माहिती युवराज पोपण (पुलनी) ३) सी. राधा राजेन्द्रकाय पोपण (पुलनी) ४) श्रीमती मनिषा संजय खट्टे (पुलनी) ५) कु. अश्वय संजय खट्टे (पुलना) तर्फे अज्ञातपालनकर्ती आई श्रीमती मनिषा संजय खट्टे ६) कु. ओम संजय खट्टे (पुलना) तर्फे अज्ञातपालनकर्ती आई श्रीमती मनिषा संजय खट्टे ७) कु. तनिका संजय खट्टे (पुलनी) तर्फे अज्ञातपालनकर्ती आई श्रीमती मनिषा संजय खट्टे ८) या वारसांनी वारसांदे होणेकरी या कार्यवाहीकरिता अर्ज सारून केलेला आहे. तरी, या वारसांदेहीवाच कोणत्या भीती तक्रार/हकत असल्या, ही जाहीर सूचना प्रसिध्द झालेपासून पंधरा दिवसांत कृषी उत्पन्न बाजार समिती पुणे यांचे कार्यालयामध्ये लेखी स्वरूपात कळवणे. त्यानंतर कोणतीही तक्रार/हकत विचारात घेतली जाणार नाही.

सविध सहायणी
कृषी उत्पन्न बाजार समिती पुणे
पुणे
दि. २६/०३/२०२४

PUBLIC NOTICE

THIS NOTICE issued to general Public at large that under instructions from my client who approached to 1. Mr. Subhash Nimbalkar, 2. Mr.Jhal Khurshid Parekh, 3. Mr. Navaz Hoshi Merchant and 4. Mr. Khurshed Parekh Sr. No. 2 to 4 their attorney Mr. Aspandiar Nari Kaga who assured my client that property described below is having clean, clear and marketable Title without possession and no other person is having any right, title or interest or claim therein their Title is clear, clear, marketable and free from any encumbrances. The owners declared that the following original link Tile Sale Deed dated 11.05.1979 R. NO. 1276/1978 by Nicolas J Fernandes and Ms. Fernandes to Eugene O Brien and Eleanor O Brien AND Deeds Agreement to Sell R. No. 706/1985 dated 17.1.1985 and Sale deed R. No. 2427/1985 dated 5.3.1985 by Peter O Brien to Mr. Sattar with its correction Deed DATED 5.03.1985 R. NO. 2670/1985 AT SRO HVL NO. 2 Pune are lost, missing and not traceable.
Before entering into the Sale transaction for the confirmation of the Title of the said property and custody of missing documents my clients Publishes this Notice as under - That Any person /s having any custody of above said original documents, or right, title and/or interest of whatsoever nature any encumbrance by an Agreement, Sale, Gift, Mortgage, Charge, Partition, Release, Court Order or any type of Transfer whatsoever, then inform the undersigned in writing within a period of 15 days from the date of this notice and take a receipt thereof. It is further warned that no claims of any type shall be entertained thereafter by my client and He shall complete the purchase transaction.
Description of property
Land bearing CTS No. 1082 plot no. 02 admeasuring area 510.60 sq. m. in sanction layout of S. No. 28 Hissa No. 1/20 A1 and B on Solapur Road, in the Saint Lawrence Colony situated village Wanavadi, Pune along with an Existing 2 story Bungalow having Built up 1200 sq. ft. / 111.52 sq. m. on ground floor and 600 sq. ft. / 55.76 sq. m. on first floor and garage area 360 sq. ft. / 33.46 sq. m. duly bounded as under East - plot No. 12, West - Plot No. 1, South Plot no. 1, North - Road
sd/-
Adv. Laxman Khilari,
Flat no. 02, Shirole Estate, Lane no. 6 end, Bhandarkar Road, Pune 411004 Mob no. 9890070412 9370374290

Form No. INC-19
Notice

[Pursuant to rule 22 the Companies (Incorporation) Rules, 2014]

1. Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of sub-section (4)(ii) of section 8 of the Companies Act, 2013, an application has been made to the Registrar of Companies, Pune for surrendering the licence no. 109900 issued to **Essence Seekers Foundation**, a company incorporated under the provisions of Section 8 of the Companies Act, 2013 and converting the company into private limited company with proposed name Essence Seekers Private Limited.
2. The principal objects of the company are as follows :
a. To promote, inspire, mentor, develop the intellectuals for New Era, in terms of inculcating & enhancing their attitudes & abilities for clear, creative, critical, contemplative, pragmatic & interdisciplinary thinking which would help them to They should go beyond information & knowledge to obtain deeper insight & learn to enjoy being persons with deeper insights for its own sake & also for coming out with constructive win-win solutions for the society at large.
b. To enable the new intellectuals to ground their views on universally valid firm grounds, by way of making the axioms, paradigms, maxims they hold and rigorous deductive logic that goes into theory building, explicit and well-articulated.
c. To advocate and contribute for into technological, organizational and systematic innovations for attainment of economic growth, abundance merited towards compassion, generosity, forgiveness in inter-human relations, whereby personal quality of life improves hand in hand with social quality of life.
d. To help and assist physically and mentally challenged individuals, by way of coordinating their financial support and their institutional and health needs.
e. To promote, develop and conduct analytical appreciation courses and to produce and deliver electronic learning aid in case of fine arts especially Indian classical music. No objects of the company shall be carried out without permission of competent authorities whomsoever.
3. A copy of the draft memorandum and articles of the proposed company may be seen at 2 Sneh Classics, Cts N/5/1 P N 7/1 Erandavana Nr, Pune - 411004.
4. Notice is hereby given that any person, firm, company, corporation or body corporate, objecting to this application may communicate such objection to the Registrar of Companies, Pune within thirty days from the date of publication of this notice, by a letter addressed to the Registrar at PCNTDA Green Building, BLOCK A, 1st & 2nd Floor, Near Akurdi Railway Station, Akurdi, Pune-411044 a copy of which shall be forwarded to in the Applicant at 2 Sneh Classics, Cts N/5/1 P N 7/1 Erandavana Nr., Pune - 411004.
For Essence Seekers Foundation
Sanjeevani Raghunath Chaphekar
Director
Dated this 25th day of March 2024
DIN : 00199014



This is a public announcement for information purposes only and is not a prospectus announcement and does not constitute an invitation or offer to acquire, purchase or subscribe to securities. Not for release, publication or distribution directly or indirectly, outside India. Initial public Issue of equity shares on the main board of National Stock Exchange of India Limited ("NSE") and BSE Limited ("BSE", and together with NSE, the "Stock Exchanges") in compliance with Chapter II of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018, as amended ("SEBI ICDR Regulations").

SRM CONTRACTORS LIMITED

Our Company was incorporated on September 4, 2008 as "SRM Contractors Private Limited", a private limited company under the Companies Act, 1956, pursuant to a certificate of incorporation dated September 4, 2008 issued by the Registrar of Companies, Jammu. Subsequently, our Company was converted to a public limited company, pursuant to a special resolution passed by the shareholders of our Company at the extraordinary general meeting held on June 30, 2023 and the name of our Company was changed from "SRM Contractors Private Limited" to "SRM Contractors Limited", pursuant conversion from private to public company and a fresh certificate of incorporation dated August 11, 2023 issued by the Registrar of Companies, Jammu. For details of change in the name and registered office of our Company, see "History and Certain Corporate Matters" on page 217 of the red herring prospectus dated March 16, 2024 filed with the RoC ("RHP" or "Red Herring Prospectus").

Corporate Identity Number: U45400JK2008PLC002933

Registered Office: Sector 3, Near BJP Head Office, Trikuta Nagar, Jammu - 180012, Jammu and Kashmir, India. Contact Person: Arun Mathur, Company Secretary and Compliance Officer; Tel: +91 84918 77114 / +0191 2472729

E-mail: cs@srmcpl.com; Website: www.srmcpl.com



(Please scan the QR code to view the RHP)

OUR PROMOTERS: SANJAY MEHTA, ASHLEY MEHTA AND PUNEET PAL SINGH

INITIAL PUBLIC OFFERING OF UP TO 62,00,000 EQUITY SHARES OF FACE VALUE OF ₹10 EACH ("EQUITY SHARES") OF SRM CONTRACTORS LIMITED ("OUR COMPANY" OR THE "ISSUER") FOR CASH AT A PRICE OF ₹[•] PER EQUITY SHARE (INCLUDING A SECURITIES PREMIUM OF ₹[•] PER EQUITY SHARE) ("ISSUE PRICE") AGGREGATING UP TO ₹[•] LAKHS ("THE ISSUE"). THE ISSUE WILL CONSTITUTE [•]% OF OUR POST-ISSUE PAID-UP EQUITY SHARE CAPITAL.

Our Company is an engineering construction and development company engaged primarily in the construction of tunnels, slope stabilisation works, roads (including bridges) and other miscellaneous civil construction activities in the Union Territories of Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh.

The Issue is being made through the Book Building Process in accordance with Regulation 6(1) of the SEBI ICDR Regulations.

• QIB Portion: Not more than 50% of the Issue • Non-Institutional Portion: Not less than 15% of the Issue • Retail Portion: Not less than 35% of the Issue

PRICE BAND: ₹200 TO ₹210 PER EQUITY SHARE OF FACE VALUE OF ₹10 EACH

THE FLOOR PRICE IS 20 TIMES THE FACE VALUE OF THE EQUITY SHARES AND THE CAP PRICE IS 21 TIMES THE FACE VALUE OF THE EQUITY SHARES

THE PRICE/EARNINGS RATIO BASED ON DILUTED EPS FOR FINANCIAL YEAR 2023 FOR THE ISSUER AT THE UPPER END OF THE PRICE BAND IS AS HIGH AS 2.31 AS COMPARED TO THE AVERAGE INDUSTRY PEER GROUP PE RATIO OF 32.15 WEIGHTED AVERAGE RETURN ON NET WORTH FOR FISCAL 2023, 2022 AND 2021 IS 28.21%

BIDS CAN BE MADE FOR A MINIMUM OF 70 EQUITY SHARES AND IN MULTIPLES OF 70 EQUITY SHARES THEREAFTER

In accordance with the recommendation of Independent Directors of our Company, pursuant to their resolution dated March 16, 2024, the above provided price band is justified based on quantitative factors/ KPIs disclosed in the "Basis for the Issue Price" section on pages 121 of the RHP vis-a-vis the weighted average cost of acquisition ("WACA") of primary and secondary transaction(s), as applicable, disclosed in the "Basis for the Issue Price" section on pages 121 of the RHP.

In making an investment decision, potential investors must only rely on the information included in the Red Herring Prospectus and the terms of the Issue, including the risks involved and not rely on any other external sources of information about the Issue available in any manner.

RISKS TO INVESTORS:

- In past, our Promoter namely, Sanjay Mehta have made secondary sale of the Equity Shares held by him at ₹ 49 per equity shares dated June 19, 2023 and transfer price for such secondary sale is lower than the Issue price the Cap price is ₹ 210.
- Our business is concentrated in the Union Territory of Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh and we are exposed to risks emanating from economic, regulatory and other changes in the Union Territory of Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh.

Our business is primarily dependent on projects undertaken or awarded in the Union Territory of Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh, by our client such as National Highways & Infrastructure Development Corporation Limited - Ministry of Road Transport & Highways, Government of India (NHIDCL), Konkan Railway Corporation Limited (KRCL), Government of Jammu and Kashmir Economic Reconstruction Agency (ERA, Jammu), Border Road Organisation (BRO), Public Work (R&B) Department, Jammu & Kashmir (PWD, J&K), Northern Railway, Irrigation & Flood Control Department, J&K, J&K Rural Roads Development Agency (JKRRDA), other entities funded by the Government of India, J&K Government and Third party major infrastructure and construction entities executing projects in the Union Territory of Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh.

- We derive a significant portion of our revenues from a limited number of clients. The loss of any significant clients may have an adverse effect on our business, financial condition, results of operations, and prospects

(in ₹ lakhs)

No.	Particulars	For nine (9) months period ending December 31, 2023		Financial Year 2022-23		Financial Year 2021-22		Financial Year 2020-21	
		Revenue	%	Revenue	%	Revenue	%	Revenue	%
1.	Revenue from Top five (5) Clients	18,945.15	80.77%	21,518.48	71.66%	21,050.37	79.85%	12,440.27	77.72%
2.	Revenue from Top ten (10) Clients	22,926.67	97.74%	27,626.16	92.00%	25,280.30	95.90%	14,597.40	91.20%

- Our business is working capital intensive involving relatively long implementation periods. We require substantial financing for our business operations. Our indebtedness and the conditions and restrictions imposed on by our financing arrangements could adversely affect our ability to conduct our business.

Typically, projects in the infrastructure sector which we undertake are working capital intensive in nature and involve long implementation periods. Majority of the working capital funds of our Company are blocked due to providing margin money for Bank Guarantee, Earnest Money Deposit, Performance Deposit and Security deposit (for our Projects) on which the banks are not providing finance. As on December 31, 2023, our Company's net working capital consisted of ₹ 8,622.13 Lakhs. Further, As on March 31, 2023, our Company's net working capital consisted of ₹7,056.79 Lakhs as against ₹4,585.17 lakhs as on March 31, 2022 and ₹27,32.52 lakhs as on March 31, 2020. As on December 31, 2023, our total borrowings stood at ₹ 4,232.28 lakhs. We may incur additional indebtedness in the future. Additional debt financing could increase our interest costs and require us to comply with additional restrictive covenants in our financing agreements.

- We derive majority of our revenues from construction of Roads, Tunnel and Slope Stabilisation work and our financial condition would be materially and adversely affected if we fail to obtain new Roads, Tunnel and slope stabilisation work or our current Roads, Tunnel and Slope Stabilisation work are terminated.

(in ₹ lakhs)

Our operations	As on nine (9) months December 31, 2023	As % of Revenue from Operations	As on March 31, 2023	As % of Revenue from Operations	As on March 31, 2022	As % of Revenue from Operations	As on March 31, 2021	As % of Revenue from Operations
Road Projects	17,585.32	74.97%	13,532.93	45.07%	10,277.71	38.99%	8,729.29	54.54%
Tunnel Projects	62.87	0.27%	7,822.08	26.05%	10,857.19	41.22%	6,742.26	42.12%
slope stabilisation works	5,676.72	24.20%	8,390.26	27.94%	4,904.58	18.61%	228.71	1.43%
Other miscellaneous civil Construction Activity	130.13	0.55%	283.80	0.94%	311.66	1.18%	305.62	1.91%

- The average cost of acquisition of Equity Shares by our Promoters could be lower than the floor price.

Promoters	Average cost of acquisition per Equity Share (in ₹)
Sanjay Mehta	0.72
Ashley Mehta	NIL
Puneet Pal Singh	49

- Our Company is not in strict compliance with the Corporate Social Responsibility as required under the provision of Companies Act 2013.

As per the applicable laws, Our Company is required to spend 2% of its average net profits made during preceding three financial year on CSR activities. we have undertaken CSR activities financial contributions in Prime Minister Cares Fund and local welfare trusts undertaking activities pertaining to the welfare of old age people and education of children and have spent 17.04 lakhs, 1.80 lakhs and 1.81 lakhs in FY 2022-23, 2021-22 and 2020-2021, respectively. However, our Company has not met with its statutory requirement of spending ₹ 25.55 lakhs, ₹ 13.39, ₹ 11.21 in FY 2022-23, 2021-22 and 2020-2021, respectively and has not complied with requirement of parking the embarked CSR contribution funds into a separate account within the stipulated timelines.

- Weighted Average Cost of Acquisition for all Equity Shares transacted in one year, eighteen months and three years preceding the date of the Red Herring Prospectus by our Promoters and Promoter group:

Period	Weighted Average Cost of Acquisition (in ₹)*	Upper end of the Price band (₹ 210) is 'X' times the Weighted Average Cost of Acquisition	Range of acquisition price: Lowest Price - Highest Price (in ₹)
Last 1 year	0.32	656.25	Lowest and Highest price ₹ 0.32
Last 18 months	0.32	656.25	Lowest and Highest price ₹ 0.32
Last 3 years	0.32	656.25	Lowest and Highest price ₹ 0.32

- This is the first Main Board Public Issue being handle by BRLM associated with Issue. The BRLM has handled 14 SME public issues in the past three years, out of which 7 issue closed below the issue price on listing date.

- Weighted Average Cost of Acquisition for all Equity Shares transacted during eighteen months preceding the date of the Red Herring Prospectus by our Promoters and Promoter group:

Period	Weighted Average Cost of Acquisition (in ₹)*	Floor Price (i.e., ₹200)	Cap Price (i.e., ₹210)
WACA of Primary Transaction	NA	NA	NA
WACA of Secondary Transaction	0.32	625 times	656.25 times

BID / ISSUE PROGRAMME

ANCHOR INVESTOR BID/ISSUE PERIOD ON MARCH 22, 2024

BID / ISSUE OPENS ON MARCH 26, 2024*

BID / ISSUE CLOSES ON MARCH 28, 2024**

*Our Company may, in consultation with the BRLM, consider participation by Anchor Investors in accordance with the SEBI ICDR Regulations. The Anchor Investor Bidding Date shall be 1 (one) Working Day prior to the Bid/Issue Opening Date.

**Our Company may, in consultation with the BRLM, consider closing the Bid/Issue Period for QIBs 1(one) Working Day prior to the Bid/Issue Closing Date in accordance with the SEBI ICDR Regulations. *The UPI mandate end time and date shall be at 5:00 p.m. on Bid/Issue Closing Date.

An indicative timetable in respect of the Issue is set out below:

Submission of Bids (other than Bids from Anchor Investors):

Bid/ Issue Period (except the Bid/ Issue Closing Date)	
Submission and Revision in Bids	Only between 10:00 am and 5:00 pm (Indian Standard Time ("IST"))
Bid/ Issue Closing Date*	
Submission of Electronic Applications (Online ASBA through 3-in-1 accounts)	Only between 10:00 am and 5:00 pm IST
Submission of Electronic Applications (Bank ASBA through Online channels like Internet Banking, Mobile Banking and Syndicate UPI ASBA applications where Bid Amount is up to ₹500,000)	Only between 10:00 am and 4:00 pm IST
Submission of Electronic Applications (Syndicate Non-Retail, Non-Individual Applications)	Only between 10:00 am and 3:00 pm IST
Submission of Physical Applications (Bank ASBA)	Only between 10:00 am and 1:00 pm IST
Submission of Physical Applications (Syndicate Non-Retail, Non-Individual Applications where Bid Amount is more than ₹500,000)	Only between 10:00 am and 12:00 pm IST

Modification/ Revision/cancellation of Bids	
Upward Revision of Bids by QIBs and Non-Institutional Bidders categories*	Only between 10:00 a.m. and up to 5:00 p.m. IST on Bid/ Issue Closing Date
Upward or downward Revision of Bids or cancellation of Bids by RiBs	Only between 10:00 am and 5:00 pm IST

* UPI mandate end time and date shall be at 5:00 pm on Bid/Issue Closing Date.

* QIBs and Non-Institutional Bidders can neither revise their bids downwards nor cancel/withdraw their bids.

Post Issue Schedule:

Event	Indicative Date
Bid/ Issue Closing Date	Thursday, March 28, 2024
Finalisation of Basis of Allotment with the Designated Stock Exchange	On or about Monday, April 01, 2024
Initiation of refunds (if any, for Anchor Investors) / unblocking of funds from ASBA Account	On or about Tuesday, April 02, 2024
Credit of the Equity Shares to demat accounts of Allottees	On or about Tuesday, April 02, 2024
Commencement of trading of the Equity Shares on the Stock Exchanges	On or about Wednesday, April 03, 2024

THE EQUITY SHARES OF OUR COMPANY WILL GET LISTED ON MAIN BOARD PLATFORM OF NSE AND BSE

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● NAVEEN JINDAL JOINS BJP



Industrialist and former Congress MP Naveen Jindal (left) being welcomed by BJP general secretary Vinod Tawde as the former joins the BJP, in New Delhi, on Sunday

● PROTEST TO BE HELD AT RAMLILA MAIDAN

INDIA bloc to hold rally on March 31

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
New Delhi, March 24

IN HIS FIRST “direction” to the Delhi government after being sent to the custody of the ED until March 28, CM Arvind Kejriwal has asked Water Minister Atishi to resolve water and sewer-related issues in various parts of the Capital.

“Take help from Lieutenant Governor if needed, he will definitely help you,” Atishi Sunday quoted Kejriwal as saying, adding, “He is in jail but the work for Delhi people will not stop... Even in jail, he is thinking about the people of Delhi.”

Meanwhile, leaders of the Opposition INDIA bloc announced they would hold a joint rally at Ramlila Maidan in Delhi on March 31 to protest Kejriwal’s arrest and display solidarity against “authoritarianism” and “suppression of democracy.”

Kejriwal was arrested last Thursday by the ED in connection with its probe into the Delhi excise policy case. The agency obtained his custody Friday evening, hours after it told a Delhi court that he was the “kingpin” of the “scam” under investigation — a charge Kejriwal’s lawyers rejected. The ED also alleged that kickbacks received following changes in the excise policy were used to fund AAP’s Assembly poll campaign in Goa. At a press confer-



Delhi ministers and AAP leaders Atishi (third from left), Gopal Rai and Saurabh Bharadwaj with Delhi Congress president Arvinder Singh Lovely and others during a press conference of INDIA leaders, in New Delhi, on Sunday

ence, Atishi, quoting the “written directions” of the CM, said, “I have come to know that a few areas of Delhi have been facing problems related to water and sewerage... Summer is also coming... Where there is a shortage of water, deploy water tankers in sufficient quantity and give orders to the Chief Secretary and officers so that the public does not face any trouble.”

Atishi said, “He has given me these directions from ED custody. My eyes welled up with tears when I received this... Who thinks like this even in a situation like this? Even from jail, he is a person who is thinking about the people of Delhi... No person except Arvind Kejriwal can think like this because

he considers 2 crore people his family.” “I want to tell the BJP people that you can arrest Kejriwal and put him in jail but you cannot arrest his love for the people of Delhi, you cannot stop him from fulfilling his responsibilities,” she said.

Asked whether Kejriwal, through his letter, is proving that he will continue to run the Delhi government, Atishi said, “CM Arvind Kejriwal has been reviewing the ongoing works and developments in all departments. All the projects and matters have been under his supervision. Now he is under the custody of the Central government... Department and the officers will be directed as per the direction given by the CM.”

Airtel plans tariff hike post Lok Sabha polls

“WE EXPECT TARIFF hikes to be announced post elections (July to October time frame). We expect a strong 15% tariff hike. The tariff hike will be led by Bharti and that will see Arpu stabilising to ₹260+ levels by FY26,” Bernstein said in its recent report.

“We will keep seeing what opportunities are there to raise tariffs, and at some stage, if there has to be some move, we will make it. If competitors do not follow, we will reverse it,” Bharti Airtel CEO and managing director Gopal Vittal told FE in a recent interaction.



The market continues to consolidate with Jio and Bharti having close to 82% of the market share, and Vodafone Idea at 18.5%. In recent quarters, Jio’s subscriber share increased to 46% in October-December

period, up from 41.6% in October-December quarter of FY21. Besides, subscriber share for Bharti increased to 33.5% in October-December period, from 31.2% in the same period of FY21.

“We expect further consolidation of the market by 2026 with revenue share of Jio at 48% and Bharti at 40%.

Jio subscriber share is expected to reach 47% while Bharti share should reach 36%,” Bernstein said. In the October-December quarter, mobile revenue growth has been steady across telcos.

Private credit deals go creative

EXPERTS SAID THE Shapoorji debt deal was a bullet payment deal and such deals are just 10% of the total private credit deals in the market. “Lenders are taking extra risk, hence taking bullet payments. There are very few transactions like this,” said a senior executive at an auditing firm who did not want to be quoted. Shapoorji Pallonji and Vedanta did not respond to the mails.

That’s not all, when real-estate firm Damji Shamji raised \$11 million from ASK Property Fund, it did so in a zero-coupon bond that carried an 81% redemption premium, REDD said. Piramal Alternatives’ deal with Transaction Solutions gave it a return of 16% via compulsorily convertible debentures or equity value, whichever is higher. The Goswami Infratech bond contained both step-up clauses, and a most-favoured nation clause that would increase the pricing on the bond to match any new refinancing of

bonds issued by another group unit, REDD said. “Most lenders like to get regular coupon from borrowers, only in some cases, they want equity or premiums at the end,” the executive quoted earlier, said. Redemption premiums are charged when lenders take a bet on the business believing there is value in the business in the end, he said.

As Indian private credit market is evolving, skilled investors are bringing new structures to the country, said Bharat Gupta, debt and special situations partner, EY India. “Some of which may have been extensively deployed in developed markets. Securitisation of income streams, bullet payments and redemption premiums are select examples of such innovation happening in India,” Gupta said.

As of now, such structures form a small percentage of overall private credit market but should rise going forward as borrowers demand greater customisation, he said.

Google, Apple break-ups on the agenda as regulators target tech

“IF THEY DON’T comply with the DMA, you can imagine what Parliament will ask for. Break-ups. The ultimate goal is to make markets open, fair and allow more innovation,” he said on Friday.

It is far from certain that regulators will issue break-up orders as they mull options and any action may just result in a fine. Legal experts also suggested the case against Apple, drawing from the 1998 case against Microsoft, could be more difficult this time.

“In the EU, there is less of a tradition, with splitting a company seen as a last resort. It has never happened before,” said a Commission official, speaking on condition of anonymity.

Apple’s highly integrated system would also make a break-up difficult compared with Google, said lawyer Damien Geradin at Geradin Partners, who is advising several app developers in other cases against Apple. “It seems to me much more complicated. You are talking about something that is integrated, for example you can’t force Apple to divest its App Store. That doesn’t make sense,” he said.

He said it would be better to impose behavioural remedies on Apple that obligates it to do certain things while in the case of Google, a break-up order could simply target acquisitions made to strengthen its key services. —REUTERS

UK & Oman FTAs likely in commerce min’s 100-day list

THE SCHEDULE ON goods and services will lay down how each partner will deal with imports from the other side.

The majority of difficult issues are towards resolution and a couple of priority areas to seal the deal are being ironed out, some officials added. The sticking points in the negotiations have been issues around rules of origin, social security, duty cuts on cars and whisky, liberal visas for professionals, national treatment for businesses in the services sector.

The negotiations for an FTA with the UK started in January 2022 and officials from both sides have held 14 rounds of talks so far. In between the rounds of negotiations, the top officials and even the prime ministers have intervened when the talks have got stuck somewhere. PM Modi and UK

PM Rishi Sunak spoke on March 12 and noted the progress made in the FTA. Along with the FTA, both sides are also negotiating a Bilateral Investment Treaty and both these pacts are expected to be signed simultaneously. Within BIT, the major issue of contention is how investment disputes will be settled.

With Oman also, the negotiations are nearing conclusion for a Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement (CEPA). Both sides started formal negotiations for CEPA in November last year and within four months, Oman became India’s third largest export destination among the Gulf Cooperation Council countries. Once the FTA is signed, it could also be a gateway to other countries of the grouping. India has so far signed 14 FTAs with individual countries and economic blocs.

The Boeing 737 we are flying is safe: Akasa CEO

THE 737 COMPETES directly with the Airbus A320, which is the most widely used aircraft-type in India led by market leader IndiGo. The single aisle, narrow-body 737 MAX, which became the fast-selling commercial jet in Boeing’s history, has had a troubled past since its maiden flight in early 2016. The model was grounded worldwide in 2019 following two fatal crashes resulting in 346 deaths.

“I also want to be unequivocal about the fact that what we are flying today is safe. Some of the issues (that are reported) are not just about a different variant

but a modification of a different variant. At Akasa we are not only not flying that variant, we are also not modifying our aircraft in any way,” Dube added.

Akasa Air’s entire fleet of 24 aircraft comprises the 737 MAX-8. About 82% or 28 of SpiceJet’s fleet comprises the 737 model of which the older generation is 21. Air India Express has the biggest fleet of the 737 comprising 40 aircraft, of which 15 are the 737 MAX-8.

Over the past 12 months, Air India and Akasa Air have placed firm orders for 340 units of the 737 MAX.

Ministries seek more socio-economic surveys

THE NSSO ALSO collects data on rural and urban prices for retail inflation index, conducts crop estimation surveys for state agencies and maintains a frame of urban-area units for use in sample surveys.

Its survey arm has four divisions — Survey Design and Research Division (SDRD), Field Operations Division (FOD), Data Processing Division (DPD), and Survey Coordination Division (SCD). The FOD has a network of six zonal offices, 52 regional

offices and 117 sub-regional offices spread throughout the country, and is responsible for the collection of primary data for the surveys.

Experts say that due to the massive network of FOD, the NSSO is capable of conducting additional surveys. “MoSPI has a huge network of statistical officers, posted in centre, states and districts. All the officers are well-trained and have the requisite experience and skills in gathering data,” said NR

Bhanumurthy, vice chancellor, BASE University. “However, in recent years, the FOD’s strength at the district level in particular has dwindled, and therefore, they need to expand capacities for conducting the extra surveys,” he added.

PC Mohanan, former acting chairman of National Statistical Commission, said that the governing council for NSSO — dissolved in 2006 — needs to be reinstated first. “Earlier, NSSO had a governing council, which

had members that were experts and not part of the government. Their suggestions were useful in fixing gaps in the survey exercise, which field officers were not necessarily aware of.”

Official sources said MoSPI will give the contract of conducting certain surveys to private agencies, as they don’t currently possess the adequate resources. However, the surveys done have a ‘certain bias’ and they don’t always reflect accurate results, said Mohanan.

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In case of any revision in the Price Band, the Bid/ Issue Period will be extended by at least 3 (three) additional Working Days after such revision in the Price Band, subject to the Bid/ Issue Period not exceeding 10 (ten) Working Days. In cases of force majeure, banking strike or similar circumstances, our Company may, in consultation with the BRLM, for reasons to be recorded in writing, extend the Bid/ Issue Period for a minimum of 3 (three) Working Days, subject to the Bid/ Issue Period not exceeding 10 (ten) Working Days. Any revision in the Price Band and the revised Bid/ Issue Period, if applicable, shall be widely disseminated by notification to the Stock Exchanges, by issuing a public notice, and also by indicating the change on the website of the BRLM and at the terminals of the Members of the Syndicate and by intimation to Designated Intermediaries and the Sponsor Bank, as applicable.

This Issue is being made in terms of Rule 19(2)(b) of the SCRR read with Regulation 31 of the SEBI ICDR Regulations. The Issue is being made for at least 25% of the post-Issue paid-up Equity Share capital of our Company. This Issue is being made through the Book Building Process in accordance with Regulation 6(1) of the SEBI ICDR Regulations wherein not more than 50% of the Issue shall be available for allocation on a proportionate basis to Qualified Institutional Buyers (“QIBs” and such portion the “QIB Portion”), provided that our Company in consultation with the BRLM may allocate up to 80% of the QIB Portion to Anchor Investors on a discretionary basis in accordance with SEBI ICDR Regulations (“Anchor Investor Portion”). One-third of the Anchor Investor Portion shall be reserved for domestic Mutual Funds, subject to valid Bids being received from the domestic Mutual Funds at or above the Anchor Investor Allocation Price. In the event of under-subscription, or non-allocation in the Anchor Investor Portion, the balance Equity Shares shall be added to the Net QIB Portion. Further, 5% of the QIB Portion (excluding the Anchor Investor Portion) shall be available for allocation on a proportionate basis to Mutual Funds only, and the remainder of the QIB Portion shall be available for allocation on a proportionate basis to all QIB Bidders (other than Anchor Investors), including Mutual Funds, subject to valid Bids being received at or above the Issue Price. Further, not less than 15% of the Issue shall be available for allocation on a proportionate basis to Non-Institutional Bidders out of which (a) one third of such portion shall be reserved for applicants with application size of more than ₹2.00 lakhs and up to ₹10.00 lakhs and (b) two-third of such portion shall be reserved for applicants with application size of more than ₹10.00 lakhs, provided that the unsubscribed portion in either of such sub-categories may be allocated to applicants in the other sub-category of Non-Institutional Bidders and not less than 35% of the Issue shall be available for allocation to Retail Individual Bidders in accordance with the SEBI ICDR Regulations subject to valid Bids being received at or above the Issue Price. All Potential Bidders, other than Anchor Investors, are required to participate in the Issue by mandatorily utilising the Application Supported by Blocked Amount (“ASBA”) process by providing details of their respective ASBA Account (as defined hereinafter) and UPI ID in case of UPI Bidders using the UPI Mechanism, as applicable, pursuant to which their corresponding Bid Amounts will be blocked by the Self Certified Syndicate Banks (“SCSBs”) or by the Sponsor Banks under the UPI Mechanism, as the case may be, to the extent of respective Bid Amounts. Anchor Investors are not permitted to participate in the Issue through the ASBA process. For details, see “**Issue Procedure**” on page 351 of the RHP.

Bidders/Applicants should ensure that DP ID, PAN and the Client ID and UPI ID (for UPI Bidders bidding through UPI Mechanism) are correctly filled in the Bid cum Application Form. The DP ID, PAN and Client ID provided in the Bid cum Application Form should match with the DP ID, PAN, Client ID and UPI ID available (for UPI Bidders bidding through the UPI Mechanism) in the Depository database, otherwise, the Bid cum Application Form is liable to be rejected. Bidders/Applicants should ensure that the beneficiary account provided in the Bid cum Application Form is active. Bidders/Applicants should note that on the basis of the PAN, DP ID, Client ID and UPI ID (for UPI Bidders bidding through the UPI Mechanism) as provided in the Bid cum Application Form, the Bidder/Applicant may be deemed to have authorized the Depositories to provide to the Registrar to the Issue, any requested Demographic Details of the Bidder/Applicant as available on the records of the depositories. These Demographic Details may be used, among other things, for giving Allotment Advice or unblocking of ASBA Account or for other correspondence(s) related to the Issue. Bidders/Applicants are advised to update any changes to their Demographic Details as available in the records of the Depository Participant to ensure accuracy of records. Any delay resulting from failure to update the Demographic Details would be at the Bidders/Applicants’ sole risk.

ASBA*

Simple, Safe, Smart way of Application!!!!

*Applications Supported by Blocked Amount (“ASBA”) is a better way of applying to Issue by simply blocking the fund in the bank account.

For further details, check section on ASBA.

Mandatory in public issues.

No cheque will be accepted.

UPI-Now available in ASBA for Retail Individual Investors and Non Institutional Investor applying in public issues where the application amount is up to ₹ 500,000, applying through Registered Brokers, Syndicate, CDPs & RTAs. Retail Individual Investors and Non-Institutional Investors also have the option to submit the application directly to the ASBA Bank (SCSBs) or to use the facility of linked online trading, demat and bank account. Investors are required to ensure that the bank account used for bidding is linked to their PAN. Bidders must ensure that their PAN is linked with Aadhaar and are in compliance with CDBT notification dated February 13, 2020 and press release dated June 25, 2021 read with press release dated September 17, 2021, CDBT Circular No. 7 of 2022 dated March 30, 2022 read with the press release dated March 28, 2023 and any subsequent press releases in this regard.

ASBA has to be availed by all the investors except Anchor Investors. UPI may be availed by (i) Retail Individual Bidders in the Retail Portion; (ii) Non-Institutional Bidders with an application size of up to ₹ 500,000 in the Non-Institutional Portion. For details on the ASBA and UPI process, please refer to the details given in the Bid Cum Application Form and abridged prospectus and also please refer to the section “**Issue Procedure**” on page 351 of the RHP. The process is also available on the website of Association of Investment Banks of India (“**AIBI**”) and Stock Exchanges and in the General Information Document. The Bid Cum Application Form and the Abridged Prospectus can be downloaded from the websites of BSE Limited (“**BSE**”) and National Stock Exchange of India Limited (“**NSE**”), and together with BSE, the “**Stock Exchanges**”) and can be obtained from the list of banks that is displayed on the website of SEBI at www.sebi.gov.in/sebiweb/other/OtherAction.do?doRecognisedFpi=yes&intmid=35 and <https://www.sebi.gov.in/sebiweb/other/OtherAction.do?doRecognisedFpi=yes&intmid=43>, respectively as updated from time to time. For the list of UPI apps and banks live on IPO, please refer to the link: www.sebi.gov.in. UPI Bidders Bidding using the UPI Mechanism may apply through the SCSBs and mobile applications whose names appear on the website of SEBI, as updated from time to time. ICICI Bank Limited has been appointed as the Sponsor Bank for the Issue, in accordance with the requirements of SEBI circular dated November 1, 2018 as amended. For issue related queries, please contact the Book Running Lead Manager (“**BRLM**”) on their respective email IDs as mentioned below. For UPI related queries, investors can contact NPCI at the toll free number: 18001201740 and mail id: ipo.upi@npci.org.in.

Investors must ensure that their PAN is linked with Aadhaar and are in compliance with the notification issued by Central Board of Direct Taxes notification dated February 13, 2020 and read with press releases dated June 25, 2021, read with press release dated September 17, 2021 and CDBT circular no.7 of 2022, dated March 30, 2022 read with press release dated March 28, 2023 and any subsequent press releases in this regard.

CONTENTS OF THE MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF OUR COMPANY AS REGARDS ITS OBJECTS: For information on the main objects of our Company, investors are requested to see “**History and Certain Corporate Matters**” beginning on page 217 of the RHP. The Memorandum of Association of our Company is a material document for inspection in relation to the Issue. For further details, see “**Material Contracts and Documents for Inspection**” beginning on page 412 of the RHP.

LIABILITY OF THE MEMBERS OF OUR COMPANY: Limited by shares.

AMOUNT OF SHARE CAPITAL OF OUR COMPANY AND CAPITAL STRUCTURE: As on the date of the RHP, the authorised share capital of our Company is ₹ 25,00,00,000 divided into 2,50,00,000 Equity Shares of face value of ₹10 each. The Issued, subscribed and paid-up Equity share capital of our Company is ₹ 16,74,42,000 divided into 1,67,44,200 Equity Shares of face value of ₹10 each. For details of the capital structure of our Company, see “**Capital Structure**” beginning on page 89 of the RHP.

NAMES OF THE INITIAL SIGNATORIES TO THE MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF OUR COMPANY AND THE NUMBER OF EQUITY SHARES SUBSCRIBED BY THEM: The names of the initial signatories of the Memorandum of Association of our Company along with their allotment are: Subscription to the MoA of 1000 Equity Shares each to Sanjay Mehta and Sudhir Mehta. For details of the share capital history and capital structure of our Company see “**Capital Structure**” beginning on page 89 of the RHP.

LISTING: The Equity Shares offered through the RHP are proposed to be listed on the Stock Exchanges. Our Company has received ‘in-principle’ approvals from the BSE and the NSE for the listing of the Equity Shares pursuant to letters each dated January 9, 2024 and January 10, 2024, respectively. For the purposes of the Issue, the Designated Stock Exchange shall be NSE. A signed copy of the RHP and the Prospectus shall be filed with the RoC in accordance with Section 26(4) and 32 of the Companies Act, 2013. For details of the material contracts and documents available for inspection from the date of the RHP until the Bid/ Issue Closing Date, see “**Material Contracts and Documents for Inspection**” on page 412 of the RHP.

DISCLAIMER CLAUSE OF SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE BOARD OF INDIA (“SEBI”): SEBI only gives its observations on the offer documents and this does not constitute approval of either the Issue or the specified securities stated in the Offer Document. The investors are advised to refer to page 331 of the RHP for the full text of the disclaimer clause of SEBI.

DISCLAIMER CLAUSE OF BSE: It is to be distinctly understood that the permission given by BSE Limited should not in any way be deemed or construed that the RHP has been cleared or approved by BSE Limited nor does it certify the correctness or completeness of any of the contents of the RHP. The investors are advised to refer to the page 334 of the RHP for the full text of the disclaimer clause of BSE.

DISCLAIMER CLAUSE OF NSE (the Designated Stock Exchange): It is to be distinctly understood that the permission given by NSE should not in any way be deemed or construed that the Offer Document has been cleared or approved by NSE nor does it certify the correctness or completeness of any of the contents of the Offer Document. The investors are advised to refer to page 334 of the RHP for the full text of the disclaimer clause of NSE.

GENERAL RISKS: Investments in equity and equity-related securities involve a degree of risk and investors should not invest any funds in the Issue unless they can afford to take the risk of losing their investment. Investors are advised to read the risk factors carefully before taking an investment decision in the Issue. For taking an investment decision, investors must rely on their own examination of our Company and the Issue, including the risks involved. The Equity Shares in the Issuer have not been recommended or approved by SEBI, nor does SEBI guarantee the accuracy or adequacy of the contents of the RHP. Specific attention of the investors is invited to “**Risk Factors**” on page 31 of the RHP.

BOOK RUNNING LEAD MANAGER	REGISTRAR TO THE ISSUE	COMPANY SECRETARY AND COMPLIANCE OFFICER
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AVAILABILITY OF THE RHP: Investors are advised to refer to the RHP and the “**Risk Factors**” beginning on page 31 of the RHP before applying in the Issue. A copy of the RHP is available on the website of SEBI at www.sebi.gov.in and is available on the website of the BRLM, Interactive Financial Services Limited at www.ifinservices.in, the website of the Company, SRM Contractors Limited at www.srmpcl.com and the websites of the Stock Exchanges, for BSE at www.bseindia.com and for NSE Limited at www.nseindia.com.

AVAILABILITY OF BID CUM APPLICATION FORM: Bid cum Application Form can be obtained from the Registered Office of our Company, **SRM CONTRACTORS LIMITED:** Tel: +91 84918 77114 / +91 191 2472729; **BRLM:** Interactive Financial Services Limited. Tel: +91 079-4908 8019 / +91 98980 55647 and **Syndicate Member:** BEELINE BROKING LIMITED. Tel: 07966684040 and Registered Brokers, SCSBs, Designated RTA Locations and Designated CDP Locations for participating in the Issue. Bid cum Application Forms will also be available on the websites of the Stock Exchanges at www.bseindia.com and www.nseindia.com and at all the Designated Branches of SCSBs, the list of which is available on the websites of the Stock Exchanges and SEBI.

SRM CONTRACTORS LIMITED is proposing, subject to receipt of requisite approvals, market conditions and other considerations, to make an initial public offer of its Equity Shares and has filed a red herring prospectus dated March 16, 2024 with the RoC. The RHP is made available on the website of the SEBI at www.sebi.gov.in as well as on the website of the BRLM i.e., Interactive Financial Services Limited at www.ifinservices.in, the website of the NSE at www.nseindia.com and the website of the Company at www.srmpcl.com. Any potential investor should note that investment in equity shares involves a high degree of risk and for details relating to such risks, please see the section titled “**Risk Factors**” beginning on page 31 of the RHP. Potential investors should not rely on the DRHP for making any investment decision but can only rely on the information included in the Red Herring Prospectus.

The Equity Shares offered in the Issue have not been and will not be registered under the U.S. Securities Act of 1933, as amended (“**U.S. Securities Act**”), or any state law of the United States and, unless so registered, may not be offered or sold within the United States, except pursuant to an exemption from, or in a transaction not subject to, the registration requirements of the U.S. Securities Act and applicable state securities laws. Accordingly, the Equity Shares are being offered and sold outside the United States in “offshore transactions” as defined in and in compliance with Regulation S under the U.S. Securities Act and the applicable laws of the jurisdiction where those offers and sales are made. There will be no public offering of the Equity Shares in the United States.

BANKER(S) TO THE ISSUE: ICICI Bank Limited.
UPI: UPI Bidders can also Bid through UPI Mechanism.

All capitalised terms used herein and not specifically defined shall have the same meaning as ascribed to them in the RHP.

Place: Jammu
Date: March 23, 2024

For **SRM CONTRACTORS LIMITED**
On behalf of the Board of Directors
Sd/-
Arun Mathur
Company Secretary & Compliance Officer