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Independent Auditor's Review Report On consolidated unaudited quarterly financial results of the Company for the quarter ended 30th June, 2020, Pursuant to the Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015

To
The Board of Directors,
Aban Offshore Limited,
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India.

1. We have reviewed the accompanying statement of consolidated unaudited financial results of **Aban Offshore Limited** ("the Holding company") and its subsidiaries (the Holding company and its subsidiaries together referred to as "the Group") for the quarter ended 30th June, 2020 ("the Statement"), being submitted by "the Holding company" pursuant to the requirement of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended. Attention is drawn to the fact that the consolidated figures for the corresponding quarter ended 30th June, 2019, as reported in these financial results have been approved by the Holding Company's Board of Directors.

2. This Statement, which is the responsibility of the Holding company's Management and approved by the Holding company's 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 Statement" based on our review.

3. We conducted our review of "the 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. 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.

We also performed procedures in accordance with the Circular issued by the Securities and Exchange board of India under Regulation 33(8) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended, to the extent applicable

"The Statement" includes the results of the following entities:

- (a) **Aban Holdings Pte Ltd, Singapore** - Wholly owned Foreign subsidiary (includes its subsidiary corporations)





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(b) **Aban Energies Ltd, India** - Wholly owned Indian subsidiary

5. Disclaimer Conclusion

Our review of the accompanying statements of unaudited financial results of "the Group" indicates that, because of the significance of the matters described in the Basis for Disclaimer Conclusion section of our report, we are unable to conclude as to whether the preparation of the accompanying interim financial information of "the Group" is appropriate.

Basis for Disclaimer Conclusion:

- (a) In case of wholly owned foreign subsidiary of the company "Aban Holdings Pte Ltd, Singapore and its subsidiary corporations" whose financial information have been reviewed by other auditors "Nexia IS Public Accounting Corporation, Public accountants and Chartered Accountants, Singapore" have expressed disclaimer conclusion on these Interim financial information for the financial period from 1st April, 2020 To 30th June, 2020, which is reproduced below:

"Basis for disclaimer Conclusion:

Going concern

In preparing this interim financial information, the Board of Directors have considered the operations of the Group as going concerns notwithstanding that the Group incurred a net loss of US\$30,751,000 (30 June 2019: US\$55,507,000) for the three-month period then ended and as at 30 June 2020, the Group is in net current liabilities position and net liabilities position of US\$2,498,721,000 and US\$2,007,414,000 (31 March 2020: US\$2,473,576,000 and US\$1,976,663,000) respectively.

The carrying amount of the Group's rigs amounting to US\$445,425,000 (31 March 2020: US\$449,999,000) have been pledged as security for the borrowings of the Group. An impairment loss on the rigs amounting to US\$868,815,000 was made during the financial year ended 31 March 2020. In addition, the Group has defaulted on payment of their borrowings which have fallen due and have breached the covenants of their borrowings which give the lenders the right to demand the related borrowings be due and payable immediately. The lenders have issued recall notices to the Group. Management had reclassified these borrowings of the Group, with original repayment terms beyond 12 months from the balance sheet date as current liabilities. As of the date of this report, the Group is in discussions with its lenders to obtain approval for and implementation of an appropriate debt resolution plan.

The above conditions indicate the existence of material uncertainties which may cast significant doubt on the Group's ability to continue as going concern. Nevertheless, the Board of Director believes that the use of the going concern assumption on the preparation of the interim financial information of the Group for the three-month period then ended is still appropriate after taking into consideration of the above actions and measures.





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The ability of the Group to continue in operational existence in the foreseeable future and to meet their financial obligations as and when they fall due are dependent on the actions and measures undertaken as disclosed above and it is uncertain whether the Group will raise further funds through any fund raising exercises. Therefore, we are unable to conclude as to whether the going concern basis of preparation of the accompanying interim financial information of the Group is appropriate.

If the Group is unable to continue in operational existence in the foreseeable future, the Group may be unable to discharge their liabilities in the normal course of business and adjustments may have to be made to reflect the situation that assets, in particularly the rigs of the Group, may need to be realised other than in the normal course of business and at amounts which could differ significantly from the amounts at which they are currently recorded in the consolidated balance sheet. In addition, the Group may have to reclassify non-current assets and liabilities to current assets and liabilities respectively. The interim financial information does not include any adjustment which may arise from these uncertainties.

"Disclaimer Conclusion

Our review indicates that, because of the matters as described in the Bases for Disclaimer Conclusion, we are unable to conclude as to whether the preparation of the accompanying interim financial information of the Group is appropriate."

The above Disclaimer conclusion indicating the existence of material uncertainties which may cast doubt on the ability to continue as a going concern of the subsidiary "Aban Holdings Pte Ltd and its Subsidiary Corporations" which is material to the Group, also cast a significant doubt on the ability of "the Group" to continue as a going concern and on the appropriateness of the preparation of accompanying financial information of "the Group" as a going concern.

6. We refer to material uncertainty related to Going Concern and Emphasis of Matter Paragraph in Independent Auditor's Limited review report on Standalone unaudited financial results for the Quarter ended 30th June, 2020.

Material uncertainty relating to Going Concern:

"The Company" has accumulated losses on account of which the net worth is eroded and also, current liabilities exceeded current assets and the company has defaulted in respect of instalments and payment of interest on term loans and dues on account of cash credit from banks, these indicate that material uncertainty exists that may cast a significant doubt on the company's ability to continue as a going concern. However, the Management believes that the use of the going concern assumption on the preparation of the financials of "The Company" is still appropriate in view of its continuing discussions with its lenders to obtain approval for and implementation of an appropriate debt resolution plan, and also that, the Company will continue to be in operation in the foreseeable future.

Our conclusion is not modified in respect of this matter.





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Emphasis of matter Paragraph

Disclosure is made by "the Company" on the effect of COVID-19 on the performance of the Company's operations as - "Some of the Company's offshore drilling operations in India were partially suspended during the quarter ended 30th June 2020 due COVID-19 pandemic. Normal operations were restored during the quarter. As a result of this partial suspension in operations, the income from operations for the quarter ended 30th June 2020 has been impacted. Management believes that it has taken into account all the possible impact on account of COVID-19 pandemic in preparation of the financial statements".

"Our conclusion is not modified in respect of this matter."

7. We did not review the interim financial statements/financial information/ financial results of "Aban Holdings Pte Ltd, Singapore and it's subsidiary corporations" included in the consolidated unaudited financial results of "the group", whose interim financial statements/financial information/ financial results reflect total revenue of Rs.2,283.10 Million and total comprehensive loss of Rs.2,332.11 Million, for the Quarter ended 30th June, 2020.


These interim financial statements/financial information/ financial results have been reviewed by other auditors whose reports have been furnished to us by the management and our conclusion on "the statement", in so far as it relates to the amounts and disclosures included in respect of "Aban Holdings Pte Ltd and it's subsidiary corporations", is based solely on the report of the other auditors and the procedures performed by us as stated in paragraph 3 above.

Our conclusion is not modified in respect of this matter.

The consolidated unaudited financial results include the interim financial results of Aban Energies Limited, Chennai, India, an Indian subsidiary which reflects the total revenue of Rs.3.21 million and total comprehensive loss of Rs.1.20 million for the Quarter ended 30th June, 2020 which are certified by the management. According to the information and explanations given to us by the management, these interim financial results are not material to "the Group".

Our conclusion is not modified in respect of this matter.

For P. Murali & Co,
Chartered Accountants
Firm Registration No: 0072575


A Krishna Rao
Partner
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Place: Hyderabad
Date: 10-08-2020

STATEMENT OF (UNAUDITED) CONSOLIDATED RESULTS
FOR THE QUARTER ENDED 30th JUNE 2020

Rs. Millions

PARTICULARS	QUARTER ENDED 30.06.2020 (UNAUDITED)	QUARTER ENDED 31.03.2020 (AUDITED)	QUARTER ENDED 30.06.2019 (UNAUDITED)	YEAR ENDED 31.03.2020 (AUDITED)
I. INCOME				
INCOME FROM OPERATIONS	2,966.65	2,043.97	1,367.95	2,740.28
OTHER INCOME	52.95	53.91	16.65	181.34
TOTAL INCOME	3,019.60	2,097.88	1,384.60	2,921.62
II. EXPENSES				
COST OF MATERIALS CONSUMED	306.53	600.92	302.65	1,473.92
EMPLOYEE BENEFITS EXPENSE	640.72	507.42	447.09	2,113.27
FINANCE COSTS	2,042.92	2,007.84	2,016.55	12,829.03
DEPRECIATION AND AMORTISATION EXPENSES	300.92	2,917.67	1,359.74	9,446.58
IMPAIRMENT LOSS OF RECEIVABLES	-	1,207.00	-	1,207.30
IMPAIRMENT LOSS OF PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT	-	73,154.20	-	73,134.20
OTHER EXPENDITURE	762.31	2,209.91	651.17	5,456.47
TOTAL EXPENSES	5,113.40	34,505.96	3,786.11	103,070.47
3. LOSS FROM ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE EXCEPTIONAL ITEMS (1-2)	(2,093.80)	(30,408.08)	(4,381.51)	(90,148.85)
4. EXCEPTIONAL ITEMS				
5. LOSS FROM ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAX (3-4)	(2,093.80)	(30,408.08)	(4,381.51)	(90,148.85)
6. TAX EXPENSES				
-CURRENT TAX	42.02	83.39	30.94	(63.60)
-DEFERRED TAX (NET)	12.62	(2,548.60)	(548.48)	(4,214.24)
7. NET LOSS FROM ORDINARY ACTIVITIES AFTER TAX (5-6)	(2,144.16)	(30,324.69)	(4,350.57)	(85,912.65)
8. EXTRAORDINARY ITEMS (NET OF TAX EXPENSE)				
9. NET LOSS FOR THE PERIOD (7-8)	(2,144.16)	(30,324.69)	(4,350.57)	(85,912.65)
10. SHARE OF PROFIT/(LOSS) OF ASSOCIATE	5.34	(9.89)	(0.14)	(8.00)
11. NON CONTROLLING INTERESTS				
12. NET LOSS AFTER NON CONTROLLING INTEREST AND SHARE OF PROFIT OF ASSOCIATE (9+10+11)	(2,138.82)	(30,334.58)	(4,350.71)	(85,920.65)
13. OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (NET OF TAX)	395.15	(0,700.90)	387.20	(10,364.52)
14. TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE PERIOD (12+13)	(1,743.67)	(31,035.48)	(3,963.51)	(96,285.17)
15. PAID UP EQUITY SHARE CAPITAL (Equity Share of Rs. 2/-each)	118.73	118.73	118.73	118.73
16. Net worth				(135,958.00)
17. Reserves excluding Revaluation Reserve				(1,00,323.70)
18. (i) Earning per share (before extraordinary items) (of Rs. 2/- each) (not annualised)				
(a) Basic	(96.87)	(1,337.50)	(53.60)	(1,537.46)
(b) Diluted	(96.87)	(1,337.50)	(53.60)	(1,537.46)
(ii) Earning per share (after extraordinary items) (of Rs. 2/- each) (not annualised)				
(a) Basic	(96.87)	(1,337.50)	(53.60)	(1,537.46)
(b) Diluted	(96.87)	(1,337.50)	(53.60)	(1,537.46)



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Notes:

- I. The financial results were reviewed by the Audit Committee and then approved at the meeting of the Board of Directors of the Company held on 10th August 2020. The limited review of the financial results for the Quarter ended 30th June 2020 has been carried out by the Statutory Auditors of the Company.
- II. The above consolidated financial results have been prepared in accordance with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in the Ind AS 34 - Interim Financial Reporting prescribed under Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with the relevant rules issued thereunder and the other accounting principles generally accepted in India.
- III. The Company is engaged primarily in the business of Offshore Drilling Services. The Wind Energy Division of the Company does not meet the quantitative threshold as per IND AS 108. According there is no requirement of segment reporting as per the said Accounting Standard.
- IV. Some of the Company's offshore drilling operations in India were partially suspended during the quarter ended 30th June 2020 due COVID-19 pandemic. Normal operations were restored during the quarter. As a result of this partial suspension in operations, the income from operations for the quarter ended 30th June 2020 has been impacted. Management believes that it has taken into account all the possible impact on account of COVID-19 pandemic in preparation of the financial statements.
- V. The figures for the previous period have been regrouped wherever necessary.
- VI. The standalone financial results are as under:

Particulars	Quarter ended	Quarter ended	Quarter ended	Year ended
	30.06.2020 (Unaudited)	31.03.2020 (Audited)	30.06.2019 (Unaudited)	31.03.2020 (Audited)
Total Income	839.45	776.88	552.11	2,504.13
Profit before tax	199.60	(47,315.87)	(550.52)	(48,788.10)
Total comprehensive income for the period	186.78	(44,338.47)	(1.59)	(44,569.46)

For and on behalf of the Board


Reji Abraham
Managing DirectorPlace: Chennai
Date: 10th August 2020