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Limited review report on unaudited quarterly consolidated financial results and consolidated year-to-date results of Sterling and Wilson Solar Limited under Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015

# To the Board of Directors of Sterling and Wilson Solar Limited

- 1. We have reviewed the accompanying Statement of unaudited consolidated financial results of Sterling and Wilson Solar Limited ("the Parent") and its subsidiaries (the Parent and its subsidiaries together referred to as "the Group") for the quarter ended and year-to-date results for the period from 1 April 2020 to 31 December 2020 ("the Statement"), attached herewith, in which are incorporated returns from branches in Australia, Argentina, Chile, Dubai, Egypt, Indonesia, Jordan, Kenya, Mexico, Morocco, Namibia, Philippines, Vietnam and Zambia, being submitted by the Parent pursuant to the requirements of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended ('Listing Regulations').
- 2. This Statement, which is the responsibility of the Parent's management and approved by the Parent'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 and in compliance with Regulation 33 of the Listing Regulations. 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 SEBI under Regulation 33 (8) of the Listing Regulations, to the extent applicable.

4. The Statement includes results of the following entities:

Name of the Entity	Relationship
Sterling & Wilson – Waaree Private Limited	Wholly owned subsidiary
Esterlina Solar Engineers Private Limited	Wholly owned subsidiary
Sterling and Wilson International Solar FZCO	Wholly owned subsidiary
Sterling and Wilson Singapore Pte. Ltd.	Wholly owned subsidiary
Sterling and Wilson Kazakhstan LLP	Wholly owned subsidiary
Sterling and Wilson International LLP	Wholly owned subsidiary
Sterling and Wilson Solar Solutions Inc	Wholly owned subsidiary
Sterling and Wilson Solar Solutions LLC	Wholly owned subsidiary

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4. The Statement includes results of the following entities: (Continued)

Name of the Entity	Relationship
Sterling and Wilson Brasil Servicos Ltda (upto 26 August 2019)	Wholly owned subsidiary
Sterling and Wilson (Thailand) Limited	Wholly owned subsidiary
Sterling and Wilson Saudi Arabia Limited	Wholly owned subsidiary
Sterling and Wilson Solar Australia Pty. Ltd. (w.e.f. 16 April 2019)	Wholly owned subsidiary
Sterling and Wilson Solar Malaysia Sdn. Bhd. (w.e.f. 4 June 2019)	Subsidiary
Sterling Wilson-SPCPL-Chint Moroccan Venture	Subsidiary
Sterling and Wilson Middle East Solar Energy LLC	Subsidiary
GCO Solar Pty Ltd. (formerly known as GCO Electrical Pty Ltd.)	Subsidiary
Sterling and Wilson Engineering (Pty) Ltd	Subsidiary
Sterling and Wilson Solar Spain S.L. (formerly known as Renovable Energia Contracting S.L.)	Subsidiary
Sterling and Wilson Solar LLC	Subsidiary

### **Basis for Qualified Conclusion**

- 5. We draw attention to the following matters:
  - note 5 to the unaudited consolidated financial results relating to outstanding inter-corporate deposits and loans of Rs. 575.34 crores and Rs 614.96 crores (net) respectively (including interest accrued on inter-corporate deposits of Rs. 53.80 crores and on loans of Rs 100. 30 crores) as at 31 December 2020. This amount is the balance of inter-corporate deposits of Rs 1,765.02 crores (including interest accrued thereon of Rs 173.56 crores) and loans of Rs 576.51 crores (net) (including interest accrued thereon of Rs 75.81 crores) that were outstanding as on 30 September 2019 made to fellow subsidiaries by the Group which were to be repaid within 90 days period from the date of listing as stated in the Red Herring Prospectus for the purpose of Offer of Sale to public of the Parent's shares by the Selling Shareholders. The Board of Directors of the Parent had in December 2019 extended the repayment period at the request of the Selling Shareholders with enhanced rate of interest. Thereafter considering the current economic slowdown and the challenges to their business due to COVID, the Selling Shareholders made a further request on 15 September 2020 to extend the timelines for payment till 30 September 2021. The Board of Directors in their meeting held on 15 September 2020 have approved further extension of the repayment timelines up to 30 September 2021 and levied an additional interest spread of 400 basis points p.a. over the average interest rate on borrowings of the respective entities of the Group.

The Parent has received queries from SEBI, Registrar of Companies, Mumbai (ROC) and certain shareholders regarding matters connected with delay in facilitating repayment of inter-corporate deposits and loans by the Selling Shareholders on which the Parent has submitted its replies. Until the final conclusions are received from the regulators, we cannot ascertain the impact of non-compliance with laws and regulations, if any, by the Parent. Although the Parent has represented to us that, based on independent legal opinions obtained by it, it is of the view that there is no non-compliance with any laws and regulations by the Group in respect of this matter, in our opinion, there exists a possibility for a contrary view in the matter.

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### Basis for Qualified Conclusion (Conclusion)

The Parent has obtained partial security and efforts are being made to obtain security for the remaining amount after obtaining necessary approvals. In view of the steps taken/being taken by the Parent as discussed in the said note, management believes that no provision towards expected credit losses is required as at 31 December 2020. In our view, however, a provision for expected credit losses on the amounts overdue should be estimated by the management.

As a result of the above, we are unable to quantify the impact of the non-compliance with laws and regulations, if any, in particular for delay in the repayment by borrowers of inter-corporate deposits and loans in the earlier quarters and default in repayment of instalments of inter-corporate deposits and loans due in the nine months period ended 31 December 2020 in the absence of final conclusions from the regulators in this regard; the uncertainty regarding the timing of repayment of outstanding inter-corporate deposits and loans by the borrowers; and adjustments that may arise from the aforementioned matters including non-measurement of expected credit losses on inter-corporate deposits on the unaudited consolidated financial results of the Group for the quarter ended 31 December 2020 and year-to-date results for the period from 1 April 2020 to 31 December 2020.

(ii) the following qualification included in the review report on the unaudited consolidated financial results of Sterling and Wilson International Solar FZCO, an overseas subsidiary of the Parent, for the quarter ended and year-to-date results for the period from 1 April 2020 to 31 December 2020 issued by the independent auditors vide their report dated 11 February 2021 is reproduced by us as under:

The unaudited consolidated financial results of the overseas subsidiary of the Parent includes a loan along with accrued interest due from a related party in the amount of AED 309,645,723 (net) equivalent to Rs 614.96 crores (net), which was repayable on demand. The Board of the overseas subsidiary has received a request from the ultimate Promoters of the related party to extend the repayment timeline, in lieu of obtaining security to cover the amount outstanding and also levy penal interest. Accordingly, the Board of the overseas subsidiary has taken a decision to extend the repayment timelines till September 2021 and levy additional penal interest. Further, on behalf of the overseas subsidiary, the Parent in India has obtained partial security for the aforesaid amount due to the overseas subsidiary, and efforts are ongoing to fully secure this receivable. Considering the steps taken/being taken by the overseas subsidiary, the management believes that no provision for expected credit losses is required as at 31 December 2020. In our view, however, a provision for expected credit losses on the amounts overdue should be estimated by the management. As a result of the uncertainty relating to timing of repayment of the outstanding balance we are unable to quantify the impact of adjustments that may arise from non-measurement of expected credit losses on the unaudited consolidated financial results of the overseas subsidiary for the quarter ended 31 December 2020 and year to date

results for the period from 1 April 2020 to 31 December 2020.

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### **Qualified Conclusion**

6. Based on our review conducted and procedures performed as stated in paragraph 3 above and based on the consideration of the review reports of the branch auditors and other auditors referred to in paragraph 8 below, except for the effects of the matters described in the *Basis for Qualified Conclusion* section above, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying Statement, prepared in accordance with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in the aforesaid Indian Accounting Standard and other accounting principles generally accepted in India, 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.

### Material Uncertainty Related to Going Concern

7. We draw attention to Note 8 to the unaudited consolidated financial results, which indicates that Shapoorji Pallonji and Company Private Limited, the Holding Company, has applied to its lenders for the One Time Restructuring ('OTR') facility, resulting in its credit rating downgrade as well as that of the Parent during the current quarter which has impacted the Group's ability to fully utilise its existing banking limits, rollover existing facilities and/or obtain fresh banking limits. Particularly, during the last three months and the period from 1 January 2021 to the date of this report, there is a decrease in the net short-term borrowings of the Group. As a result, the Group is facing uncertainty related to funding for cash outflows in respect of timely repayment of borrowings and other activities. These conditions, along with other matters as stated in the said note, indicate that a material uncertainty exists that may cast significant doubt on the Group's ability to continue as a going concern.

However, in the opinion of the Parent, based on the projected financial results for the next 12 months prepared by the management of the Parent and approved by the Board of Directors, the order book, the existing financing arrangements and the proposed repayment by Sterling and Wilson Private Limited and Sterling and Wilson International FZE, the Group will be able to realise its assets and discharge its liabilities in its normal course of business and hence the unaudited consolidated financial results have been prepared on a going concern basis.

Our conclusion is not modified in respect of this matter.

### **Other Matters**

8. We did not review the interim financial information of 15 branches included in the unaudited standalone interim financial information of the entities included in the Group, whose interim financial information reflect total revenues (before consolidation adjustments) of Rs 400.66 crores and Rs 874.17 crores, total net profit after tax (before consolidation adjustments) of Rs 0.51 crores and Rs 68.27 crores and total comprehensive income (before consolidation adjustments) of Rs 3.99 crores and Rs 66.05 crores for the quarter ended 31 December 2020 and for the period from 1 April 2020 to 31 December 2020 respectively, as considered in the respective unaudited standalone interim financial information of the entities included in the Group. The interim financial information of these branches have been reviewed by the branch auditors whose reports have been furnished to us, and our conclusion in so far as it relates to the amounts and disclosures included in respect of these branches, is based solely on the report of such branch auditors and the procedures performed by us as stated in paragraph 3 above.

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### Other Matters (Continued)

We did not review the interim financial information of nine subsidiaries included in the Statement, whose interim financial information reflect total revenues (before consolidation adjustments) of Rs 583.27 erores and Rs 2,160.56 erores, total net (loss) / profit after tax (before consolidation adjustments) of Rs 7.22 erores and Rs 16.55 erores and total comprehensive (loss) (before consolidation adjustments) of Rs 52.28 erores and Rs 24.72 erores for the quarter ended 31 December 2020 and for the period from 1 April 2020 to 31 December 2020 respectively, as considered in the unaudited consolidated financial results. These interim financial information 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 these subsidiaries, is based solely on the reports of the other auditors and the procedures performed by us as stated in paragraph 3 above.

Certain of these branches and subsidiaries referred to above are located outside India whose interim financial information have been prepared in accordance with the accounting principles generally accepted in their respective countries and which have been reviewed by the branch auditors and other auditors under generally accepted auditing standards applicable in their respective countries. The Parent's management has converted the interim financial information of such branches and subsidiaries located outside India from the accounting principles generally accepted in their respective countries to the accounting principles generally accepted in India. We have reviewed these conversion adjustments made by the Parent's management. Our conclusion in so far as it relates to the amounts and disclosures included in respect of these branches and subsidiaries located outside India is based on the report of such branch auditors and other auditors and the conversion adjustments prepared by the management of the Parent and reviewed by us.

Our conclusion on the Statement is not modified in respect of the above matters.

9. The Statement includes the interim financial information of seven subsidiaries which have not been reviewed, whose interim financial information reflect total revenues (before consolidation adjustments) of Rs Nil crores and Rs Nil crores, total net (loss) after tax (before consolidation adjustments) of Rs 1.84 crores and Rs 5.23 crores and total comprehensive (loss) (before consolidation adjustments) of Rs 1.82 crores and Rs 5.54 crores for the quarter ended 31 December 2020 and for the period from 1 April 2020 to 31 December 2020 respectively, as considered in the Statement. According to the information and explanations given to us by the management, these interim financial information are not material to the Group.

Our conclusion on the Statement is not modified in respect of the above matter.

For BSR & Co. LLP

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Mumbai 12 February 2021



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	Statement Of Unaudited Consolidated Fina						(₹ in crore
		Fo	or the quarter end	ed	For the nine	months ended	Year ended
Sr No.	Particulars	31-Dec-20	30-Sep-20	31-Dec-19	31-Dec-20	31-Dec-19	31-Mar-20
		(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
1	Income	(======	(ciliaaitea)	(Chadaitea)	(Cimuaiteu)	(chadated)	(/kuarteu)
	Revenue from operations	1,311.73	1,336.63	1,076.38	3,716.26	3,514.66	5,575.29
	Other income	35.91	39.31	106.90	106.70	243.61	303.49
	Total Income	1,347.64	1,375.94	1,183.28	3,822.96	3,758.27	5,878.7
2	Expenses						,
	Cost of construction materials, stores and spare parts	605.06	759.02	778.89	1,999.83	2,192.66	3,589.3
	Direct project costs	612.93	461.06	213.86	1,391.92	860.17	1,270.9
	Employee benefits expense	49.73	53.65	56.91	153.06	170.93	240.2
	Finance costs	23.11	22.42	50.93	70.16	164.00	194.9
	Depreciation and amortisation expense	3.88	3.73	3.76	11.50	10.80	14.2
	Other expenses	29.57	58.54	16.86	136.07	120.30	170.5
	Total expenses	1,324.28	1,358.42	1,121.21	3,762.54	3,518.86	5,480.2
3	Profit before tax	23.36	17.52	62.07	60.42	239.41	398.5
4	Tax expense						
	- Current tax	3.94	2.84	13.00	7.97	57.91	98.5
	- Current tax relating to earlier period / year	(0.00)	0.11	(0.28)	0.11	(0.28)	(0.0)
-	- Deferred tax (credit) / charge	(3.03)	(0.52)	(0.92)	(2.42)	6.09	(4.2
5 6	Profit for the period / year	22.45	15.09	50.27	54.76	175.69	304.2
O	Other comprehensive income for the period / year Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss						
	- Remeasurements of defined benefit liability	(0.46)	(0.45)	(0.15)	(1.27)	(0.45)	(2.2
	Income tax relating to items that will not be reclassified to	(0.46)	(0.45)	(0.15)	(1.37)	(0.45)	(3.2
	profit or loss	0.11	0.12	0.04	0.34	0.12	0.4
	Items that will be reclassified to profit or loss						
	- Exchange differences in translating financial statements of	(24.95)	(16.38)	2.69	(40.40)	12.50	49.7
	foreign operations	(24.93)	(10.38)	2.09	(40.49)	13.58	49.7
	- Effective portion of (losses) on hedging instruments in cash	(104.06)	(1.77)		(169.24)	_	
	flow hedges	(104.00)	(1.77)	_	(109.24)		-
	- Income tax relating to items that will be reclassified to profit	15.56	6.61	_	34.04	_	_
	or loss	10.00	0.01		51.01		_
9	Other comprehensive (loss) / income for the period / year	(113.80)	(11.87)	2.58	(176.72)	13.25	46.9
	(net of tax)	(110100)	(11101)	2100	(170172)	15.25	40.7
7	Total comprehensive (loss) / income for the period / year	(91.35)	3.22	52.85	(121.96)	188.94	351.1
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8	Profit / (loss) for the period / year attributable to:						
	- Owners of the Company	21.63	23.42	49.61	61.47	177.78	310.0
	- Non-controlling interests	0.82	(8.33)	0.66	(6.71)	(2.09)	(5.7
9	Other comprehensive (loss) / income for the period / year						
	(net of tax) attributable to:				NATIONAL PORTON		
	- Owners of the Company	(113.36)	(10.98)	3.26	(174.71)	13.74	46.0
10	- Non-controlling interests	(0.44)	(0.89)	(0.68)	(2.01)	(0.49)	0.9
10	Total comprehensive (loss) / income for the period / year	1					
	attributable to: - Owners of the Company	(01.72)	12.44	52.07	(112.24)	101.53	251.0
	- Non-controlling interests	(91.73) 0.38	12.44 (9.22)	52.87 (0.02)	(113.24) (8.72)	191.52	356.0
11	Paid-up equity share capital (face value ₹ 1/-)	16.04	16.04	16.04	16.04	(2.58) 16.04	(4.8
12	Other equity	10.04	10.04	10.04	10.04	16.04	16.04 1,064.92
	Earnings per equity share (EPS) (of ₹ 1 each) (not annualised)						1,004.9
	(or vice) (not annualised)	1					
	(a) Basic	1.35	1.46	3.09	3.83	11.09	19.3
	(b) Diluted	1.35	1.46	3.09	3.83	11.09	19.33
	See accompanying notes to the unaudited consolidated financial	1.00		5.07	5.05	11.09	17.3.
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# Unaudited Consolidated Segment-Wise Revenue, Assets, Liabilities And Capital Employed For The Quarter And Nine Months Ended December 31, 2020

						(₹ in crore
Particulars	THE R. P. LEWIS CO., LANSING, MICH. 49-14039-1-1-120-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1	For the quarter ended For the nine months ended				Year ended
	31-Dec-20	30-Sep-20	31-Dec-19	31-Dec-20	31-Dec-19	31-Mar-20
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
Segment Revenue						
Solar EPC business	1,250.91	1,278.77	1,018.06	3,534.12	3,378.75	5,391.2
Operation and maintenance service	58.94	57.84	54.30	180.24	131.70	183.5
Total	1,309.85	1,336.61	1,072.36	3,714.36	3,510.45	5,574.8
Other operating income	1.88	0.02	4.02	1.90	4.21	0.4
Revenue from operations	1,311.73	1,336.63	1,076.38	3,716.26	3,514.66	5,575.2
Segment Results						
Solar EPC business	68.07	83.48	66.73	235.00	404.37	657.2
Operation and maintenance service	19.84	16.25	12.88	66.47	53.25	88.7
Total	87.91	99.73	79.61	301.47	457.62	746.0
Add: Unallocable income	35.15	36.58	110.92	101.76	247.82	255.0
Less: Unallocable expenditure	(99.70)	(118.79)	(128.46)	(342.81)	(466.03)	(602.6
Total profit before tax	23.36	17.52	62.07	60.42	239.41	398.5
Segment Assets						
Solar EPC business	2,030.73	2,006.99	2,677.94	2,030.73	2,677.94	2,898.6
Operation and maintenance service	139.42	137.77	86.45	139.42	86.45	116.79
Unallocated	2,085.95	2,158.32	2,374.34	2,085.95	2,374.34	2,019.0
Total	4,256.10	4,303.08	5,138.73	4,256.10	5,138.73	5,034.4
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Segment Liabilities						
Solar EPC business	2,116.32	2,049.17	2,515.76	2,116.32	2,515.76	2,528.7
Operation and maintenance service	78.87	72.70	47.53	78.87	47.53	24.0
Unallocated	1,110.19	1,139.17	1,549.58	1,110.19	1,549.58	1,409.0
Total	3,305.38	3,261.04	4,112.87	3,305.38	4,112.87	3,961.8
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Capital Employed (Segment Assets - Segment Liabilities)						
Solar EPC business	(85.59)	(42.18)	162.18	(85.59)	162.18	369.9
Operation and maintenance service	60.55	65.07	38.92	60,55	38.92	92.7
Unallocated	975.76	1,019.15	824.76	975.76	824.76	609.9
Total	950.72	1,042.04	1,025.86	950.72		1,072.6
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### Statement Of Unaudited Consolidated Financial Results For The Quarter And Nine Months Ended December 31, 2020

#### Notes:

- The above unaudited consolidated financial results which are published in accordance with Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 as amended ('Listing Regulations') have been reviewed by the Audit Committee and approved by the Board of Directors at their meeting held on February 12, 2021. These unaudited consolidated financial results have been prepared in accordance with recognition and measurement principles of Indian Accounting Standards ("Ind AS") 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.
- The above unaudited consolidated financial results have been subjected to "limited review" by the statutory auditors of the Parent. There are qualifications as well as a reference to material uncertainty relating to going concern paragraph in the review report for the quarter and nine months ended December 31, 2020.
- 3 Financial results of Sterling and Wilson Solar Limited (Standalone information):

(₹ in crore)

Particulars	Fo	r the quarter end	ed	For the nine i	Year ended	
	31-Dec-20	30-Sep-20	31-Dec-19	31-Dec-20	31-Dec-19	31-Mar-20
Total Income	824.62	499.09	959.83	1,977.60	3,266.52	4,900.33
Profit / (Loss) before tax	33.35	(19.03)	41.83	(2.47)	195.75	424.43
Profit / (Loss) for the period / year	22.69	(18.12)	30.38	(8.78)	133.05	311.44

- The Group is primarily engaged in the business of complete Turnkey solution for Engineering, Procurement, Construction, Operation and maintenance of Solar Power projects. The Parent's Chief Operating Decision Maker (CODM) reviews the internal management reports prepared based on financial information for Solar EPC business and Solar Operation and maintenance service. Accordingly, the Group has determined its reportable segments under Ind AS 108 "Operating Segments" as follows:
  - Engineering, Procurement and Construction (Solar EPC) business; and
  - Operation and maintenance service.

The financial information of these segments has been provided in the unaudited consolidated financials results as per Ind AS 108.

The Red Herring Prospectus dated 29 July 2019 stated that the Shapoorji Pallonji and Company Private Limited and Khurshed Yazdi Daruvala ("Selling Shareholders") shall use a portion of net offer proceeds towards funding full repayment of the outstanding inter-corporate deposits/ loans payable by fellow subsidiaries to the Parent and its subsidiary company by 18 November 2019. The Selling Shareholders pursuant to their letter dated 14 November 2019 however requested the Board of Directors of the Parent and its subsidiary to consider a revised payment schedule for the outstanding inter-corporate deposits/ loans of Rs 2,341.53 crore (net) (including interest thereon of Rs. 249.37 crore) as at 30 September 2019 with additional interest of 50 basis points per annum.

The Board of Directors in their meeting held on 31 December 2019 had considered the revised payment schedule of the outstanding inter-corporate deposits/ loans of Rs 1,650.84 crore (net) (including accrued interest thereon of Rs. 115.53 crore) as at that date, in three quarterly installments of Rs 500.00 crore by 31 March 2020, Rs 500.00 crore by 30 June 2020 and balance amount by 30 September 2020 (which would include further accruals of interest beyond 31 December 2019).

Considering the current economic slowdown and the challenges which the selling shareholders (promoter group) are facing due to their business being significantly impacted by COVID-19, the selling shareholders made a further request to extend the time lines for payment of the outstanding of Rs. 1,167.36 (net) (including principal and interest and includes an amount outstanding of overseas subsidiary amounting to Rs 607.07 crore (net)) as at 30 September 2020 till 30 September 2021. The Board of Directors has taken a decision to extend the repayment timelines till September 2021 and levy additional interest spread of 400 basis points over and above the average interest rate. The Selling Shareholders have provided immovable properties as security worth about Rs. 460.00 crore and are in the process of perfecting securities of Rs 740.00 crore, after obtaining necessary approvals, making the total security package of Rs 1,200.00 crore. The Selling Shareholders have already facilitated the repayment of inter-corporate deposits/ loans amounting to Rs 1,619.32 crore by the fellow subsidiary to the Parent and its subsidiary, from the date of listing i.e. 20 August 2019 till 31 December 2020. In view of the steps taken/being taken by the Parent, management believes that no provision towards expected credit losses is required as at 31 December 2020 for inter-corporate deposits / loans are outstanding aggregating to Rs 1,190.30 crore (including interest accrued thereon).

The Parent has also responded to queries on this matter (including from Shareholders, SEBI, ROC and media reports). The Parent, based on independent opinions from legal experts, has determined that there is no non-compliance with any provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and/or SEBI (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018 by the Parent, in respect of this matter.







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#### Statement Of Unaudited Consolidated Financial Results For The Quarter And Nine Months Ended December 31, 2020

#### Notes : (Continued)

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BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS For Sterling and Wilson Solar Limited

> Mr. Khurshed Daruvala Chairman

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Date: February 12, 2021

Place: Mumbai



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Limited review report on unaudited quarterly standalone financial results and standalone year-to-date results of Sterling and Wilson Solar Limited under Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015

# To the Board of Directors of Sterling and Wilson Solar Limited

- 1. We have reviewed the accompanying Statement of unaudited standalone financial results of Sterling and Wilson Solar Limited ('the Company') for the quarter ended and year to date results for the period from 1 April 2020 to 31 December 2020 ("the Statement"), attached herewith, in which are incorporated returns from branches in Australia, Argentina, Chile, Dubai, Egypt, Indonesia, Jordan, Kenya, Mexico, Namibia, Philippines, Vietnam and Zambia.
- 2. This 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 and in compliance with Regulation 33 of the Listing Regulations. Our responsibility is to issue a report 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. This standard requires that we plan and perform the review to obtain moderate assurance as to whether the Statement is free of material misstatement. A review is limited primarily to inquiries of company personnel and analytical procedures applied to financial data and thus provides less assurance than an audit. We have not performed an audit and accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

### **Basis for Qualified Conclusion**

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4. We draw attention to note 4 to the unaudited standalone financial results relating to outstanding inter-corporate deposits of Rs 562.51 crores (including interest accrued thereon of Rs 51.72 crores) as at 31 December 2020. This amount is the balance of inter-corporate deposits of Rs 1,727.18 crores (including interest accrued thereon of Rs 170.82 crores) that were outstanding as on 30 September 2019 made to a fellow subsidiary by the Company which were to be repaid within 90 days period from the date of listing as stated in the Red Herring Prospectus for the purpose of Offer of Sale to public of the Company's shares by the Selling Shareholders. The Board of Directors of the Company had in December 2019 extended the repayment period at the request of the Selling Shareholders with enhanced rate of interest. Thereafter, considering the current economic slowdown and the challenges to their business due to COVID, the Selling Shareholders made a further request on 15 September 2020 to extend the timelines for payment till 30 September 2021. The Board of Directors in their meeting held on 15 September 2020 have approved further extension of the repayment timelines up to 30 September 2021 and levied an additional interest spread of 400 basis points p.a. over the average interest rate on borrowings of

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### Basis for Qualified Conclusion (Continued)

The Company has received queries from SEBI, Registrar of Companies, Mumbai (ROC) and certain shareholders regarding matters connected with delay in facilitating repayment of inter- corporate deposits by the Selling Shareholders on which the Company has submitted its replies. Until the final conclusions are received from the regulators, we cannot ascertain the impact of non-compliance with laws and regulations, if any, by the Company. Although the Company has represented to us that, based on independent legal opinions obtained by it, it is of the view that there is no non-compliance with any laws and regulations by the Company in respect of this matter, in our opinion, there exists a possibility for a contrary view in the matter.

The Company has obtained partial security and efforts are being made to obtain security for the remaining amount after obtaining necessary approvals. In view of the steps taken/being taken by the Company as discussed in the said note, management believes that no provision towards expected credit losses is required as at 31 December 2020. In our view, however, a provision for expected credit losses on the amounts overdue should be estimated by the management.

As a result of the above, we are unable to quantify the impact of the non-compliance with laws and regulations, if any, in particular for delay in the repayment by borrower of inter-corporate deposits in the earlier quarters and default in repayment of instalments of inter-corporate deposits due in the nine months period ended 31 December 2020 in the absence of final conclusions from the regulators in this regard; the uncertainty regarding the timing of repayment of outstanding inter-corporate deposits by the borrower; and adjustments that may arise from the aforementioned matters including non-measurement of expected credit losses on inter-corporate deposits on the unaudited standalone financial results of the Company for the quarter ended 31 December 2020 and year-to-date results for the period from 1 April 2020 to 31 December 2020.

### **Qualified Conclusion**

5. Based on our review conducted as above and based on the consideration of the review reports of the branch auditors referred to in paragraph 7 below, except for the effects of the matters described in the Basis for Qualified Conclusion section above, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying Statement, prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards and other recognised accounting practices and policies has not disclosed the information required to be disclosed in terms of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 including the

manner in which it is to be disclosed, or that it contains any material misstatement.

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### Material Uncertainty Related to Going Concern

6. We draw attention to Note 7 to the unaudited standalone financial results, which indicates that Shapoorji Pallonji and Company Private Limited, the Holding Company, has applied to its lenders for the One Time Restructuring ('OTR') facility, resulting in its credit rating downgrade as well as that of the Company during the current quarter which has impacted the Company's ability to fully utilise its existing banking limits, rollover existing facilities and/or obtain fresh banking limits. Particularly, during the last three months and the period from 1 January 2021 to the date of this report, there is a decrease in the net short-term borrowings of the Company. As a result, the Company is facing uncertainty related to funding for cash outflows in respect of timely repayment of borrowings and other activities. These conditions, along with other matters as stated in the said note, indicate that a material uncertainty exists that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern.

However, in the opinion of the Company, based on the projected financial results for the next 12 months prepared by the management of the Company and approved by the Board of Directors, the order book, the existing financing arrangements and the proposed repayment by Sterling and Wilson Private Limited, the Company will be able to realise its assets and discharge its liabilities in its normal course of business and hence the unaudited standalone financial results have been prepared on a going concern basis.

Our conclusion is not modified in respect of this matter.

### **Other Matters**

7. We did not review the interim financial information of 14 branches included in the unaudited standalone financial results of the Company, whose interim financial information reflect total revenues (before consolidation adjustments) of Rs 400.66 crores and Rs 874.17 crores, total net profit after tax (before consolidation adjustments) of Rs 3.19 crores and Rs 64.58 crores and total comprehensive income (before consolidation adjustments) of Rs 3.19 crores and Rs 64.58 crores for the quarter ended 31 December 2020 and for the period from 1 April 2020 to 31 December 2020 respectively, as considered in the unaudited standalone financial results of the Company. The interim financial information of these branches have been reviewed by the branch auditors whose reports have been furnished to us, and our conclusion in so far as it relates to the amounts and disclosures included in respect of these branches, is based solely on the report of such branch auditors and the procedures performed by us as stated in paragraph 3 above.

Certain of these branches referred to above are located outside India whose interim financial information have been prepared in accordance with the accounting principles generally accepted in their respective countries and which have been reviewed by the branch auditors under generally accepted auditing standards applicable in their respective countries. The Company's management has converted the interim financial information of such branches located outside India from the accounting principles generally accepted in their respective countries to the accounting principles generally accepted in India.

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Other Matters (Continued)

We have reviewed these conversion adjustments made by the Company's management. Our conclusion in so far as it relates to the amounts and disclosures included in respect of these branches located outside India is based on the report of such branch auditors and the conversion adjustments prepared by the management of the Company and reviewed by us.

Our conclusion on the Statement is not modified in respect of the above matter.

For BSR & Co. LLP

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Aniruddha Godbole

Partner

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	Statement Of Unaudited Standalone Fi	nancial Results F	or The Quarter A	nd Nine Months E	nded December 3	1, 2020		
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Sr No.	Particulars	31-Dec-20	30-Sep-20	31-Dec-19	31-Dec-20	31-Dec-19	31-Mar-20	
<u> </u>		(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)	
1	Income							
	Revenue from operations	790.90	460.59	873.09	1,874.65	3,060.24	4,535.10	
	Other income	33.72	38.50	86.74	102.95	206.28	365.23	
2	Total Income	824.62	499.09	959.83	1,977.60	3,266.52	4,900.33	
	Expenses	110.61	105 55					
	Cost of construction materials, stores and spare parts	440.61	185.55	683.48	1,016.50	1,624.60	2,718.91	
	Purchase of stock-in-trade	0.01	0.15	29.18	0.78	412.44	408.99	
	Direct project costs	273.16	230.06	116.14	686.37	715.69	920.88	
	Employee benefits expense Finance costs	26.51	30.99	31.85	83.78	92.73	138.37	
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	Depreciation and amortisation expense	2.18	1.81	1.78	5.85	4.93	6.32	
	Other expenses	32.80	53.48	9.75	136.01	92.67	136.25	
3	Total expenses	791.27	518.12	918.00	1,980.07	3,070.77	4,475.90	
4	Profit / (Loss) before tax	33.35	(19.03)	41.83	(2.47)	195.75	424.43	
-4	Tax expense - Current tax	5:10		12.16		56.01	100.04	
	6.0000000000000000000000000000000000000	5.10	-	12.16	5.10	56.31	109.95	
	- Current tax relating to earlier period / year	-	- (0.01)	(0.28)	-	(0.28)	(0.28)	
5	- Deferred tax charge / (credit)	5.56	(0.91)	(0.43)	1.21	6.67	3.32	
6	Profit / (Loss) for the period / year	22.69	(18.12)	30.38	(8.78)	133.05	311.44	
0	Other comprehensive income for the period / year							
	Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss							
	- Remeasurements of defined benefit liability	(0.46)	(0.45)	(0.15)	(1.37)	(0.45)	(1.82)	
	- Income tax relating to items that will not to reclassified	0.11	0.12	0.04	0.34	0.12	0.46	
	to profit or loss	0.11	0.12	0.04	0.54	0.12	0.40	
	Items that will be reclassified to profit or loss							
	- Exchange differences in translating financial statements	(10.28)	(1.27)	1.68	(8.32)	5.88	14.84	
	of foreign operations	(10.28)	(1.27)	1.08	(6.32)	3.00	14.04	
	- Effective portion of (losses) on hedging instruments in	(61.84)	(26.26)	_	(135.27)			
	cash flow hedges	(01.04)	(20.20)	_	(133.27)	-	-	
	- Income tax relating to items that will be reclassified to	15.56	6.61	_	34.04			
	profit or loss	13.30	0.01		54.04		- 1	
	Other comprehensive (loss) / income for the period /	(56.91)	(21.25)	1.57	(110.58)	5.55	13.48	
	year (net of tax)	(30.71)	(21.23)	1.57	(110.36)	3.33	13.40	
7	Total comprehensive (loss)/ income for the period /	(34.22)	(39.37)	31.95	(119.36)	138.60	324.92	
	year	(===)	(62.67)		(117,100)	150.00	324.72	
8	Paid-up equity share capital (face value ₹ 1/-)	16.04	16.04	16.04	16.04	16.04	16.04	
9	Other equity		100000000000000000000000000000000000000				645.19	
10	Earnings per equity share (EPS) (of ₹ 1 each) (not						550000000000000000000000000000000000000	
	annualised)	-						
	(a) Basic	1.41	(1.13)	1.90	(0.55)	8.30	19.42	
	(b) Diluted	1.41	(1.13)	1.90	(0.55)	8.30	19.42	
	See accompanying notes to the unaudited standalone	-						
	financial results							
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# Unaudited Standalone Segment-Wise Revenue, Assets, Liabilities and Capital Employed For The Quarter And Nine Months Ended December 31, 2020

(	₹	in	crore	)

						(₹ in crore)
Particulars	For the quarter ended			For the Nine	Year ended	
	31-Dec-20	30-Sep-20	31-Dec-19	31-Dec-20	31-Dec-19	31-Mar-20
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
Segment Revenue						
Solar EPC business	735.56	408.07	821.99	1,708.21	2,940.76	4,365.44
Operation and maintenance service	53.46	52.52	51.10	164.56	119.44	169.62
Total	789.02	460.59	873.09	1,872.77	3,060.20	4,535.06
Other operating income	1.88		0.00	1.88	0.04	0.04
Revenue from operations	790.90	460.59	873.09	1,874.65	3,060.24	4,535.10
Segment Results						
Solar EPC business	58.20	18.68	30.23	101.24	267.55	466.83
Operation and maintenance service	13.09	9.35	14.06	46.77	39.92	51.34
Total	71.29	28.03	44.29	148.01	307.47	518.17
Add: Unallocable income	33.01	35.76	86.75	98.05	206.32	318.09
Less: Unallocable expenditure	(70.95)	(82.82)	(89.21)	(248.53)	(318.04)	(411.83)
Total (loss) / profit before tax	33.35	(19.03)	41.83	(2.47)	195.75	424.43
Segment Assets						
Solar EPC business	1,410.60	1,351.26	1,819.92	1,410.60	1,819.92	2,041.55
Operation and maintenance service	127.94	135.14	87.35	127.94	87.35	116.69
Unallocated	2,003.90	1,978.08	1,976.62	2,003.90	1,976.62	1,716.60
Total	3,542.44	3,464.48	3,883.89	3,542.44	3,883.89	3,874.84
Segment Liabilities						
Solar EPC business	2,407.91	2,248.83	2,512.21	2,407.91	2,512.21	2,438.78
Operation and maintenance service	76.85	76.62	52.71	76.85	52.71	72.63
Unallocated	515.78	562.93	741.27	515.78	741.27	702.20
Total	3,000.54	2,888.38	3,306.19	3,000.54	3,306.19	3,213.61
Capital Employed (Segment Assets - Segment Liabilities)						
Solar EPC business	(997.31)	(897.57)	(692.29)	(997.31)	(692.29)	(397.23)
Operation and maintenance service	51.09	58.52	34.64	51.09	34.64	44.06
Unallocated	1,488.12	1,415.15	1,235.35	1,488.12	1,235.35	1,014.40
Total	541.90	576.10	577.70	541.90	577.70	661.23







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#### Statement Of Unaudited Standalone Financial Results For The Quarter And Nine Months Ended December 31, 2020

#### Notes:

- The unaudited standalone financial results which are published in accordance with Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 as amended ('Listing Regulations') have been reviewed by the Audit Committee and approved by the Board of Directors at their meeting held on February 12, 2021. These unaudited standalone financial results have been prepared in accordance with recognition and measurement principles of Indian Accounting Standards ("Ind AS") 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.
- The above results have been subjected to "limited review" by the statutory auditors of the Company. There are qualifications as well as a reference to material uncertainty relating to going concern paragraph in the review report for the quarter and nine months ended December 31, 2020.
- 3 The Company is primarily engaged in the business of complete Turnkey solution for Engineering, Procurement, Construction, Operation and maintenance of Solar Power projects. The Company's Chief Operating Decision Maker (CODM) reviews the internal management reports prepared based on financial information for Solar EPC business and Solar Operation and maintenance service. Accordingly, the Company has determined its reportable segments under Ind AS 108 "Operating Segments" as follows:
  - Engineering, Procurement and Construction (Solar EPC) business; and
  - Operation and maintenance service.

The financial information of these segments has been provided in the unaudited standalone financials results as per Ind AS 108.

The Red Herring Prospectus dated 29 July 2019 stated that the Shapoorji Pallonji and Company Private Limited and Khurshed Yazdi Daruvala ("Selling Shareholders") shall use a portion of net offer proceeds towards funding full repayment of the outstanding inter-corporate deposits payable by a fellow subsidiary to the Company by 18 November 2019. The Selling Shareholders pursuant to their letter dated 14 November 2019 however requested the Board of Directors of the Company to consider a revised payment schedule for the outstanding inter-corporate deposits of Rs 1,727.18 crore (including interest thereon of Rs. 170.82 crore) as at 30 September 2019 with additional interest of 50 basis points per annum.

The Board of Directors in their meeting held on 31 December 2019 had considered the revised payment schedule of the outstanding inter-corporate deposits of Rs 1,045.78 crore (including accrued interest thereon of Rs. 49.92 crore) as at that date, in three quarterly installments by 31 March 2020, by 30 June 2020 and balance amount by 30 September 2020 (which would include further accruals of interest beyond 31 December 2019).

Considering the current economic slowdown and the challenges which the Selling Shareholders (promoter group) are facing due to their business being significantly impacted by COVID-19, the Selling Shareholders made a further request to extend the time lines for payment of the outstanding of Rs. 547.88 crore (including interest accrued) as at 30 September 2020 till 30 September 2021. The Board of Directors has taken a decision to extend the repayment timelines till September 2021 and levy additional interest spread of 400 basis points over and above the average interest rate. The Selling Shareholders have provided immovable properties as security worth about Rs. 460.00 crore and are in the process of perfecting securities of Rs 740.00 crore, after obtaining necessary approvals, making the total security package of Rs 1,200.00 crore. The Selling Shareholders have already facilitated the repayment of inter-corporate deposits amounting to Rs 1,548.61 crore by the fellow subsidiary to the Company, from the date of listing i.e. 20 August 2019 till 31 December 2020. In view of the steps taken/being taken by the Company, management believes that no provision towards expected credit losses is required as at 31 December 2020 for inter-corporate deposits outstanding aggregating to Rs 562.51 crore (including interest accrued thereon).

The Company has also responded to queries on this matter (including from Shareholders, SEBI, ROC and media reports). The Company, based on independent opinions from legal experts, has determined that there is no non-compliance with any provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and/or SEBI (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018 by the Company, in respect of this matter.







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BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

For Sterling and Wilson Solar Limited

Mr. Khurshed Daruvala Chairman DIN: 00216905

Date : February 12, 2021 Place : Mumbai

