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POLICY ON DETERMINATION OF MATERLITY OF EVENTS & INFORMATION

[Pursuant to Regulation 30(4) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015]

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1. Objective:

The objective of the Policy is to determine materiality of events or information of the Company and to ensure that such information is adequately disseminated in pursuance with the Regulations and to provide an overall governance framework for such determination of materiality.

All the words and expressions used in this Policy, unless defined hereafter, shall have meaning respectively assigned to them under the SEBI Listing Agreement and in the absence of its definition or explanation therein, as per the Companies Act, 2013 and the Rules, Notifications and Circulars made / issued thereunder, as amended from time to time, to the extend applicable to the Company.

2. Definitions:

"Act" shall mean the Companies Act, 2013 and the Rules framed thereunder, including any modifications, clarifications, circulars or re-enactment thereof.

"Board of Directors" or "Board" means the Board of Directors of Fredun Pharmaceuticals Limited, as constituted from time to time.

"Company" means Fredun Pharmaceuticals Limited.

"**Key Managerial Personnel**" mean Key Managerial Personnel as defined in sub-section (51) of section 2 of the Companies Act, 2013.

"Listing agreement" shall mean an agreement that is to be entered into between a recognised Stock Exchange and the Company pursuant to Securities and Exchange Board (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements), 2015.

"Material Event" or "Material Information" shall mean such event or information as set out in the Schedule III of SEBI Listing Regulations, 2015 or as may be determined in terms of Clause 3 of the Policy. In the Policy, the words, "material" and "materiality" shall be construed accordingly.

"Material Subsidiary" shall mean any subsidiary Company of the Company which is or has been determined as a material subsidiary as per the provisions of the Regulations.

"**Policy**" means this Policy for Determination of Materiality of Events and Information of Fredun Pharmaceuticals Limited and as may be amended from time to time.

"Listing Regulations" mean Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 including any modifications, clarifications, circulars or re-enactment thereof.

"Schedule" means a Schedule III of (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

3. Criteria for determination of Materiality of Events / Information:

The Company shall consider following criteria as specified in Clause (i) of Sub-regulation (4) of Regulation 30 of the Listing Regulations for Determination of Materiality of Events / Information:

a) The omission of an event or information, which is likely to result in discontinuity or alteration of event or information already available publicly; or

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- b) The omission of an event or information is likely to result in significant market reaction if the said omission came to light at a later date;
- c) In case where the criteria specified in Sub-Clauses (a) and (b) are not applicable, an event / information may be treated as being material if in the opinion of the Board of Directors of the Company, the event / information is considered material.

4. Disclosures of Events or Information:

- a) Events specified in Annexure I are deemed to be material events and the Company shall make disclosure of such events or information as soon as reasonably possible and not later than twenty-four (24) hours from the occurrence of such event or information in the following manner:
 - i. inform the Stock Exchange(s) in which the securities of the Company are listed;
 - ii. upload on the website of the Company.

Provided that in case the disclosure is made after twenty-four (24) hours of occurrence of such event or information, the Company shall, along with such disclosure(s) provide an explanation for delay.

- b) The Company shall make disclosure of events as specified in Annexure II based on application of guidelines for determining Materiality as per clause 3 of the Policy.
- c) The Company shall make disclosures updating Material developments on a regular basis, till such time the event is resolved / closed, with relevant explanations.
- d) The Company shall disclose all events or information with respect to its Material Subsidiaries.
- e) The Company shall provide specific and adequate reply to all queries raised by Stock Exchange(s) with respect to any events or information and on its own initiative. Further it shall confirm or deny any event or information to stock exchange(s) reported in the media.
- f) In case where an event occurs or information is available with the Company, which has not been indicated in Annexure I or Annexure II, but which may have material effect on it, the Company will make adequate disclosures in regard thereof.

All the above disclosures would be hosted on the website of the Company for a minimum period of five years and thereafter archived as per Company's policy for Preservation and Archival of Documents.

5. Authority to Determine Materiality & Disclosure Process:

The Chairman / Managing Director / Compliance Officer of the Company are severally authorised for the purpose of determining materiality of an event / information and to make the disclosure of such material event / information to the Stock Exchange(s). Subsequent to the disclosure to the Stock Exchange(s), material event / information should be hosted on the website of the Company at www.fredungroup.com

6. Amendments:

In case of any amendments to the Regulations which makes any of the provisions in the Policy inconsistent, the provisions of the Regulations shall prevail. Further, in case there are any Regulatory changes, which require modifications to the Policy, the Policy shall be reviewed and amended with due approval from the Chairman or the Managing Director & Compliance Officer of the Company.

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Annexure I

Events which shall be disclosed without any application of the guidelines for Materiality:

1. Acquisition(s) (including agreement to acquire), Scheme of Arrangement (amalgamation / merger / demerger / restructuring), or sale or disposal of any unit(s), division(s) or subsidiary of the Company or any other restructuring.

Explanation. - 'Acquisition' shall mean, -

- i. acquiring control, whether directly or indirectly; or
- ii. acquiring or agreeing to acquire shares or voting rights in, a company, whether directly or indirectly, such that
 - **a**) the Company holds shares or voting rights aggregating to five per cent or more of the shares or voting rights in the said company, or;
 - **b**) there has been a change in holding from the last disclosure and such change exceeds two per cent of the total shareholding or voting rights in the said company.
- 2. Issuance or forfeiture of securities, split or consolidation of shares, buyback of securities, any restriction on transferability of securities or alteration in terms or structure of existing securities including forfeiture, reissue of forfeited securities, alteration of calls, redemption of securities etc.;
- 3. Revision in credit rating(s);
- 4. Outcome of Meetings of the board of directors: The listed entity shall disclose to the Exchange(s), within 30 minutes of the closure of the meeting, held to consider the following:
 - **a.** dividends and / or cash bonuses recommended or declared or the decision to pass any dividend and the date on which dividend shall be paid/dispatched;
 - **b.** any cancellation of dividend with reasons thereof;
 - c. the decision on buyback of securities;
 - **d.** the decision with respect to fund raising proposed to be undertaken;
 - **e.** increase in capital by issue of bonus shares through capitalization including the date on which such bonus shares shall be credited/dispatched;
 - **f.** reissue of forfeited shares or securities, or the issue of shares or securities held in reserve for future issue or the creation in any form or manner of new shares or securities or any other rights, privileges or benefits to subscribe to;
 - g. short particulars of any other alterations of capital, including calls;
 - **h.** financial results;
 - i. decision on voluntary delisting by the listed entity from Stock Exchange(s).
- 5. Agreements (viz. shareholder agreement(s), joint venture agreement(s), family settlement agreement(s) (to the extent that it impacts management and control of the listed entity), agreement(s)/treaty(ies)/contract(s) with media companies) which are binding and not in normal course of business, revision(s) or amendment(s) and termination(s) thereof.
- 6. Fraud / defaults by Promoter or Key Managerial Personnel or by Listed Entity or arrest of Key Managerial Personnel or Promoter.

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- 7. Change in Directors, Key Managerial Personnel (Managing Director, Chief Executive Officer, Chief Financial Officer, Company Secretary etc.) Auditor and Compliance Officer.
- 8. Appointment or discontinuation of share transfer agent.
- 9. Corporate debt restructuring.
- 10. One-time settlement with a bank.
- 11. Reference to BIFR and winding-up petition filed by any party / creditors.
- 12. Issuance of Notices, call letters, resolutions and circulars sent to shareholders, debenture holders or creditors or any class of them or advertised in the media by the listed entity.
- 13. Proceedings of Annual and extraordinary general meetings of the listed entity.
- 14. Amendments to memorandum and articles of association of listed entity, in brief.
- 15. Schedule of Analyst or institutional investor meet and presentations on financial results made by the listed entity to analysts or institutional investors.

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Annexure II

Illustrative list of events which shall be disclosed upon application of the guidelines for materiality as per Clause 3 of the Policy:

- 1. Commencement or any postponement in the date of commencement of commercial production or commercial operations of any unit / division;
- 2. Change in the general character or nature of business brought about by arrangements for strategic, technical, manufacturing, or marketing tie-up, adoption of new lines of business or closure of operations of any unit / division (entirety or piecemeal);
- 3. Capacity addition or product launch;
- 4. Awarding, bagging / receiving, amendment or termination of awarded / bagged orders / contracts not in the normal course of business;
- 5. Agreements (viz. loan agreement(s) (as a borrower) or any other agreement(s) which are binding and not in normal course of business) and revision(s) or amendment(s) or termination(s) thereof;
- 6. Disruption of operations of any one or more units or division of the Company due to natural calamity (earthquake, flood, fire etc.) force majeure or events such as strikes, lockouts etc.;
- 7. Effect(s) arising out of change in the regulatory framework applicable to the Company;
- 8. Litigation(s) / dispute(s) / regulatory action(s) with impact;
- 9. Fraud / defaults etc. by directors (other than Key Managerial Personnel) or employees of Company;
- 10. Options to purchase securities including any ESOP / ESPS Scheme;
- 11. Giving of guarantees or indemnity or becoming a surety for any third party;
- 12. Granting, withdrawal, surrender, cancellation or suspension of key licenses or regulatory approvals;
- 13. Any other information / event viz. major development that is likely to affect business, e.g. emergence of new technologies, expiry of patents, any change of accounting policy that may have a significant impact on the accounts, etc. and brief details thereof and any other information which is exclusively known to the Company which may be necessary to enable the holders of securities of the Company to appraise its position and to avoid the establishment of a false market in such securities.

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