

DiGiSPICE Technologies Limited

<u>Disclosures relating to DTL Employees Stock Option Plan-2018</u> (Erstwhile SML Employees Stock Option Plan-2018) ('ESOP Plan')

The Board of Directors of the Company had formulated an ESOP Plan to provide incentive benefits to the employees of the Company, its holding company and subsidiary companies. The said plan has been approved by the shareholders of the Company. During the year, there has been no change in the aforesaid plan.

S. No.	Particulars	Details	
A.	Relevant disclosures in terms of the accounting standards prescribed by the Central Government in terms of section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 (18 of 2013) including the 'Guidance note on accounting for employee share-based payments' issued in that regard from time to time.	Refer Note No. 38 in Notes to Standalone Financial Statement {attached as Annexure-I}	
В.	Diluted EPS on issue of shares pursuant to all the schemes covered under the regulations shall be disclosed in accordance with 'Accounting Standard 20 - Earnings Per Share' issued by Central Government or any other relevant accounting standards as issued from time to time.	Refer Note No. 33 in Notes to Standalone Financial Statement {Attached as Annexure-II}	
C. Details related to ESOS			
(i)	A description of each ESOS that existed at any time during the year, including the general terms and conditions of each ESOS, including –		
(a)	Date of shareholders' approval	11 th February, 2018	
(b)	Total number of options approved under ESOS	2,53,18,220	
(c)	Vesting requirements	At the end of 1st year 40% from the date of Grant At the end of 2nd year 30% from the date of Grant At the end of 3rd year 30% from the date of Grant	
(d)	Exercise price or pricing formula	Rs. 13.25 per option	
(e)	Maximum term of options granted	Three years from the date of vesting1	
(f)	Source of shares (primary, secondary or combination)	Primary	

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¹ Subsequent to closure of financial year ended 31st March, 2022, the Nomination and Remuneration Committee has approved the increase of exercise period from earlier three years to five years.



(g)	Variation in terms of options	There has been no variation in terms	
(g)	variation in terms of options	of ESOPs during the year.	
		Subsequent to close of financial year,	
		the Nomination and Remuneration	
		Committee has approved (a) the	
		increase of exercise period from	
		earlier three years to five years; (b)	
		change in title of ESOP Plan.	
(ii)	Method used to account for ESOS - Intrinsic or	Fair Value	
	fair value.		
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(iii)	Where the company opts for expensing of the	Not Applicable	
	options using the intrinsic value of the options, the difference between the employee		
	the difference between the employee compensation cost so computed and the		
	employee compensation cost that shall have been		
	recognized if it had used the fair value of the		
	options shall be disclosed. The impact of this		
	difference on profits and on EPS of the company		
	shall also be disclosed.		
(iv)	Option Movement during the year (for each ESOS)		
	Particulars	Details	
	Number of options outstanding at the beginning	1,03,50,186	
	of the period		
	Number of options granted during the year	NIL	
	Number of options forfeited / lapsed during the	7,53,300 *	
	year		
	Number of options vested during the year	31,42,500	
	Number of options exercised during the year	25,38,227	
	Number of shares arising as a result of exercise of options	25,38,227	
	Money realized by exercise of options (INR), if	3,36,31,507.75	
	scheme is implemented directly by the company		
	Loan repaid by the Trust during the year from	Not Applicable	
	exercise price received	1	
	Number of options outstanding at the end of the	70,58,659	
	year		
	Number of options exercisable at the end of the	70,58,659	
	year		

^{* 7,53,300} options got lapsed due to exit of employees.



(v)	Weighted-average exercise prices and weighted- average fair values of options shall be disclosed separately for options whose exercise price either equals or exceeds or is less than the market price of the stock	Weighted Average Rs. 13.25 Exercise Price per option Weighted Average Rs. 6.41 Fair Value per option
(vi)	Employee wise details (name of employee, designation, number of options granted during the year, exercise price) of options granted to –	
(a)	senior managerial personnel as defined under Regulation 16(d) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015	Not Applicable
(b)	any other employee who receives a grant in any one year of option amounting to 5% or more of option granted during that year; and	Not Applicable
(c)	identified employees who were granted option, during any one year, equal to or exceeding 1% of the issued capital (excluding outstanding warrants and conversions) of the company at the time of grant.	Not Applicable
(vii)	A description of the method and significant assumptions used during the year to estimate the fair value of options including the following information:	
(a)	the weighted-average values of share price, exercise price, expected volatility, expected option life, expected dividends, the risk-free interest rate and any other inputs to the model;	
(b)	the method used and the assumptions made to incorporate the effects of expected early exercise;	Not Applicable
(c)	how expected volatility was determined, including an explanation of the extent to which expected volatility was based on historical volatility; and	
(d)	whether and how any other features of the option grant were incorporated into the measurement of fair value, such as a market condition.	

Disclosures in respect of grants made in three years prior to IPO under each ESOS

Until all options granted in the three years prior to the IPO have been exercised or have lapsed, disclosures of the information specified above in respect of such options shall also be made: **Not Applicable**

38. Share-based payments

The Company has granted stock options under the SML Employees stock option Plan 2018 (ESOP) to the eligible employees of the Company. Under ESOP, the company has granted 21,381,000 options on 18th September, 2018 and 3,439,000 options on 5th February, 2019. 40%, 30% and 30% of total options granted would vest in after one year, two year and three year from the date of respective grant subject to fulfilment of vesting conditions. The maximum period for exercise of options is three year from the date of vesting. Each option when exercised would be converted into one fully paid-up equity share of Rs.3 each of the Company. The options granted under ESOP carry no rights to dividends and voting rights till the date of exercise.

The fair value of the options are estimated at the grant dates using Black and Scholes Model, taking into account the terms and conditions upon which the options were granted.

During the year, certain unvested options were cancelled on non-fulfilment of certain vesting conditions under ESOP. As at the end of the financial year, details and movements of the outstanding options are as follows:

Particulars	As at 31st March 2022		As at 31st March 2021	
	No of Options	Weighted Average exercise price (Rs.)	No of Options	Weighted Average exercise price (Rs.)
Options outstanding at the beginning of the year (1)	1,03,50,186	-	1,14,82,250	-
Options granted under ESOP 2018 (2)	-		-	
Options exercised during the year	25,38,227	-	4,94,314	-
Options cancelled during the year	7,53,300	13.25	6,37,750	13.25
Options expired during the year	-	-	-	-
Options outstanding at the end of the year (3)	70,58,659	13.25	1,03,50,186	13.25
Options exercisable at the end of the year	70,58,659	13.25	1,03,50,186	13.25
Range of exercise price of outstanding options (Rs.)	13.25		13.25	
Remaining contractual life of outstanding options granted on September 18, 2018	0.47 years (40% vesting) 1.47 years (30% vesting) 2.47 years (30% vesting)		1.47 years (40% vesting) 2.47 years (30% vesting) 3.47 years (30% vesting)	
Remaining contractual life of outstanding options granted on February 05, 2019	0.85 years (40% vesting) 1.85 years (30% vesting) 2.85 years (30% vesting)		1.85 years (40% vesting) 2.85 years (30% vesting) 3.85 years (30% vesting)	

¹⁾ a) Options outstanding at the beginning of the current year includes 52,32,000 options hold by employees of Holding company (48,93,000 options) and subsidiary companies (3,39,000 options).

¹⁾ b) Options outstanding at the beginning of the previous year includes 52,86,750 options hold by employees of Holding company (48,95,000 options) and subsidiary companies (3,91,750 options).

- 2) a) Current Year- Options exercised includes 4,62,500 options granted to employees of Holding company (4,62,500 options) and subsidiary Companies (Nil).
- 2) b) Previous Year- Options exercised includes 2,000 options granted to employees of Holding company (2,000 options) and subsidiary Companies (Nil).
- 3) a) Current Year- Options cancelled includes 42,000 options granted to employees of Holding company (Nil options) and subsidiary Companies (42,000 options).
- 3) b) Previous year Options cancelled includes 52,750 options granted to employees of Holding company (Nil options) and subsidiary Companies (52,750 options).
- 4) a) Current year Options outstanding at the end of the year includes options 47,27,500 options hold by employees of Holding company (44,30,500 options) and subsidiary Companies (2,97,000 options).
- 4) b) Previous year Options outstanding outstanding at the end of the year includes options 52,32,000 options hold by employees of Holding company (48,93,000 options) and subsidiary Companies (3,39,000 options).

The fair value of each option is estimated on the date of grant based on the following assumptions:

Particulars	As at 31st March 2022	
Grant Date	18th September,2018	5th Feburary,2019
No of options outstanding at the end of the year	70,43,859	14,800
Dividend yield (%)	-	-
Expected life	2.50,3.50 and 4.50 yrs.	2.50,3.50 and 4.50 yrs.
Risk free interest rate (%)	8.06% (2.50 yrs.) 8.11% (3.50 yrs.) 8.23% (4.50 yrs.)	7.02% (2.50 yrs.) 7.27% (3.50 yrs.) 7.42% (4.50 yrs.)
Expected Volatility (%)	62.56%	69.49%
Market price on date of grant/re-pricing (□)	13.25	9.70
Weighted Average Fair Value of option at grant date	6.73	4.43

33 Earnings per share (EPS)

Basic EPS amounts are calculated by dividing the profit/(loss) for the year attributable to equity holders of the Company by the weighted average number of Equity shares outstanding during the year.

Diluted EPS amounts are calculated by dividing the profit/(loss) attributable to equity holders (after adjusting impact on profit of dilutive potential equity shares) by the aggregate of weighted average number of equity shares outstanding during the year and the weighted average number of equity shares that would be issued on conversion of all the dilutive potential equity shares into equity shares.

The following reflects the profit and share data used in the basic and diluted EPS computations:

S	P	(Amount in Rs. Lakhs)
	For the year ended 31st March 2022	For the year ended 31st March 2021
Profit/(Loss) attributable to equity holders of the Company:		
Profit/(loss) for the year	(385.02)	(402.66)
Profit/(Loss) attributable to equity holders of the Company	(385.02)	(402.66)
Weighted average (net) number of equity shares in calculating basic and diluted EPS Weight Average no. of shares	22,93,74,638	22,79,42,474
Weight Average no. of shares of opening shares	22,83,96,379	22,79,02,065
Weight Average no. of shares issued during the year	9,78,259	40,409
Total weighted Average no. of shares Earnings per share	22,93,74,638	22,79,42,474
Basic	(0.17)	(0.18)
Diluted	(0.17)	(0.18)

Diluted negative earnings per share is decreased when taking the vested ESOP options into account, hence ignored in the calculation of diluted earnings per share being anti-dilutive. Therefore, diluted earnings per share is equivalent to basic earnings per share.