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# Sub: Intimation under Regulation 30 read with Schedule III of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 - Cessation of Subsidiaries

We refer to our letter dated 17th September, 2022 informing about execution of Share Purchase Agreement and Shareholders' Agreement ("Agreements") between Mahindra Holdings Limited ("MHL"), a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company, Mahindra Susten Private Limited ("MSPL"), a subsidiary of MHL and of the Company, and 2452991 Ontario Limited ("2OL"), a wholly owned subsidiary of Ontario Teachers' Pension Plan Board which *inter alia* provided for:

- Formation of an Infrastructure Investment Trust ("InvIT") with MSPL and 2OL or any of its affiliates ("Ontario Teachers") as Sponsors, which will own identified operational assets housed in Special Purpose Vehicles ("Project SPVs") pursuant to the transfer of the Project SPVs to the InVIT resulting in the Company, MSPL, Ontario Teachers' and other investors holding Units of InvIT;
- > Sale/transfer/hiving off of identified operational assets (pertaining to ~ 360 MWp portfolio) by MSPL to a new company to be incorporated or any other entity ("NewCo"), which would ultimately be transferred / sold to InvIT to be settled against units of InvIT;
- > Divestment of entire 100% stake by MSPL in Megasolis Renewables Private Limited (Formerly known as Mahindra Renewables Private Limited) ("MRPL") and Mega Suryaurja Private Limited ("MSUPL"), wholly owned subsidiaries of MSPL and that of MHL and the Company to InvIT by way of transfer/ sale of shares to be settled against units of InvIT.

In this connection, we would like to inform you that:

- > The Company has today executed a Share Purchase Agreement with Sustainable Energy Infra Investment Managers Private Limited ("IM"), Investment Manager to the Sustainable Energy Infra Trust ("SEIT") i.e. the InvIT, Axis Trustee Services Limited, Trustee to SEIT ("Trustee"), 2OL, MSPL and Emergent Solren Private Limited ("ESPL"), a subsidiary of the Company referred to as NewCo in the letter dated 17th September, 2022 ("ESPL SPA"), for :
  - a) Sale of its entire stake in ESPL (including equity share(s) held by nominees jointly with the Company) i.e. 60.01% of the paid-up capital of ESPL to SEIT to be settled against units of SEIT; and
  - b) Sale of entire 39.99 % stake of ESPL held by 2OL to SEIT.
- MSPL, a subsidiary of MHL and that of the Company, has today executed:
  - a) A Share Purchase Agreement with IM, Trustee and Mega Suryaurja Private Limited ("MSUPL"), a wholly owned subsidiary of MSPL and a subsidiary of MHL and the Company ("MSUPL SPA"), for sale of the entire stake i.e. 100% of the paid-up capital of MSUPL held by it in MSUPL to SEIT to be settled against units of SEIT; and
  - b) A Share Purchase Agreement with IM, Trustee and Megasolis Renewables Private Limited ("MRPL"), a wholly owned subsidiary of MSPL and a subsidiary of MHL and the Company ("MRPL SPA"), for sale of the entire stake i.e. 100% of the paid-up capital of MRPL held by it in MRPL to SEIT to be settled against units of SEIT.

Upon completion of the sale of stake as aforementioned:

- a) The shareholding of the Company in ESPL shall become Nil and ESPL shall cease to be a subsidiary of the Company.
- b) The shareholding of MSPL in MSUPL and MRPL shall become Nil and MSUPL and MRPL shall cease to be the subsidiaries of MSPL and that of MHL and the Company.
- c) Neo Solren Private Limited, Astra Solren Private Limited and Brightsolar Renewable Energy Private Limited, wholly owned subsidiaries of MRPL, would also cease to be subsidiaries of MSPL and that of MHL and the Company.

The Company has received an intimation on  $14^{th}$  December, 2023 at 1.46 a.m. that the execution of ESPL SPA, MSUPL SPA and MRPL SPA has been completed by the parties.



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The details as required under SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 read with SEBI Circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/CFD-PoD-1/P/CIR/2023/123 dated 13th July, 2023 are given in Annexures A and B to this letter.

The earlier letter dated 17th September, 2022 is enclosed as Annexure C to this letter.

Yours faithfully, For **Mahindra & Mahindra Limited** 

NARAYAN SHANKAR COMPANY SECRETARY Encl: a/a



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#### Annexure A

Cessation of Emergent Solren Private Limited, Mega Suryaurja Private Limited, Megasolis Renewables Private Limited, Neo Solren Private Limited, Astra Solren Private Limited and Brightsolar Renewable Energy Private Limited as Subsidiaries

* *	Details of Events that	Information of such events(s)				
No.	need to be provided					
a) The amount and		(Rs. in Crores				
percentage of the turnove				om operations	Net	Worth
	or revenue or income and net worth contributed by such unit or division or undertaking or subsidiary or associate of the		Amount	% to consolidated revenue from operations of the Company	Amount	% to consolidated Net Worth of the Company
	Company during the last financial year	i. Emergent Solren Private Limited	Nil	-	0.01	0.00002
		ii. Mega Suryaurja Private Limited	116.66	0.10	73.81	0.13
		iii. Megasolis Renewables Private Limited	333.29	0.27	433.65	0.77
		iv. Neo Solren Private Limited	37.00	0.03	80.74	0.14
		v. Astra Solren Private Limited	58.93	0.05	96.86	0.17
		vi. Brightsolar Renewable Energy Private Limited	10.77	0.01	24.58	0.04
b)	Date on which the agreement for sale has been entered into  The expected date of completion of	<ul> <li>The Company has today executed a Share Purchase Agreement with Sustainable Energy Infra Investment Managers Private Limited ("IM"), Investment Manager to the Sustainable Energy Infra Trust ("SEIT") i.e. the InvIT, Axis Trustee Services Limited, Trustee to SEIT ("Trustee"), 2OL, MSPL and Emergent Solren Private Limited ("ESPL"), a subsidiary of the Company referred to as NewCo in the letter dated 17th September, 2022 ("ESPL SPA"), for:-</li> <li>a) Sale of its entire stake in ESPL (including equity share(s) held by nominees jointly with the Company) i.e. 60.01% of the paid-up capital of ESPL to SEIT to be settled against units of SEIT; and</li> <li>b) Sale of entire 39.99 % stake of ESPL held by 2OL to SEIT</li> <li>MSPL, a subsidiary of MHL and that of the Company, has today executed:</li> <li>a) A Share Purchase Agreement with IM, Trustee and Mega Suryaurja Private Limited ("MSUPL"), a wholly owned subsidiary of MSPL and a subsidiary of MHL and the Company ("MSUPL SPA"), for sale of the entire stake i.e. 100% of the paid-up capital of MSUPL held by it in MSUPL to SEIT to be settled against units of SEIT; and</li> <li>b) A Share Purchase Agreement with IM, Trustee and Megasolis Renewables Private Limited ("MRPL"), a wholly owned subsidiary of MSPL and a subsidiary of MHL and the Company ("MRPL SPA"), for sale of the entire stake i.e. 100% of the paid-up capital of MRPL held by it in MRPL to SEIT to be settled against units of SEIT.</li> <li>The Completion of Sale of stake in ESPL, MSUPL and MRPL is expected by 31st January, 2024.</li> </ul>				



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d)	Consideration received			www.iiiaiiiidia.co
	from such sale/disposal	Name of the Company	% of stake sold	Consideration to be discharged by SEIT by way of issuance of Units
		i. Emergent Solren Private Limited	60.01	The consideration expected to be received by the Company would be approximately Rs. 300 Crores.
		ii. Mega Suryaurja Private Limited	100	The Consideration expected to be received by
		iii. Megasolis Renewables Private Limited	100	MSPL would be approximately Rs. 1,385 Crores.
		Agreements.	of Units will be finalis	sed prior to the Closing Date of the respective
e)	Brief details of buyers and whether any of the buyers belong to the promoter/promoter group /group companies. If yes, details thereof	20th July, 2023 a with SEBI (Infra The Company is SEIT proposes to Except as mer	nd registered with SEB structure Investment Tr considered as part of Sp have a focus on investi	726522 Ontario Limited and MSPL, established on I on 11 <sup>th</sup> August, 2023 as an InvIT in accordance rusts) Regulations, 2014 ("InvIT Regulations"). ponsor Group of SEIT under InvIT Regulations. ment in renewable energy projects. does not belong to the Promoter/Promoter any.
f)	Whether the transaction would fall within related party transactions? If yes, whether the same is done at "arm's length"	<ul> <li>SEIT is not a Rel         Disclosure Req             Regulations.     </li> <li>The transactions         (Listing Obligations)     </li> </ul>	ated Party of the Compa uirements) Regulations s are not Related Party	any or MSPL under SEBI (Listing Obligations and s, 2015 but is a Related Party under InvIT Transactions under Regulation 2(1)(zc) of SEBI (uirements) Regulations, 2015.
g)	Whether the sale, lease or disposal of the undertaking is outside Scheme of Arrangement? If yes, details of the same including compliance with regulation 37A of LODR Regulations.	Not Applicable		
h)	Additionally, in case of a slump sale, indicative disclosures provided for amalgamation /merger, shall be disclosed by the Company with respect to such slump sale	Not Applicable		



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#### Annexure B

Acquisition (including agreement to	acquire):
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Sr. No.	Details of Events that need to be provided	g agreement to acquire):  Information of such events(s)
a)	name of the target entity, details in brief such as size, turnover etc.;	<ul> <li>Sustainable Energy Infra Trust ("SEIT"), the Infrastructure Investment Trust formed by Mahindra Susten Private Limited ("MSPL"), a subsidiary of MHL and of the Company and 2726522 Ontario Limited, an affiliate of 2452991 Ontario Limited ("2OL"), a wholly owned subsidiary of Ontario Teachers' Pension Plan Board as Sponsors is engaged in the business of <i>inter alia</i>, investment in renewable energy projects.</li> <li>Turnover (revenue from operations) of SEIT for the year ended 31st March, 2023 – Not Applicable as the SEIT was formed on established on 20th July, 2023.</li> </ul>
b)	whether the acquisition would fall within related party transaction(s) and whether the promoter/ promoter group/ group companies have any interest in the entity being acquired?  If yes, nature of interest and details thereof and whether the same is done at "arm's length";	<ul> <li>SEIT is sponsored by 2726522 Ontario Limited and MSPL, established on 20th July, 2023 and registered with SEBI on 11th August, 2023 as an InvIT in accordance with SEBI (Infrastructure Investment Trusts) Regulations, 2014 ("InvIT Regulations").</li> <li>The Company is considered as part of Sponsor Group of SEIT under InvIT Regulations.</li> <li>Except as mentioned above, SEIT does not belong to the Promoter/Promoter Group/Group Companies of the Company.</li> <li>SEIT is not a Related Party of the Company under SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 but is a Related Party under InvIT Regulations.</li> <li>The acquisition of Units of SEIT is not a Related Party Transaction under Regulation 2(1)(zc) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.</li> <li>The transaction is done at arm's length.</li> </ul>
c)	industry to which the entity being acquired belongs;	Infrastructure Investment Trust
d)	objects and impact of acquisition (including but not limited to, disclosure of reasons for acquisition of target entity, if its business is outside the main line of business of the Company);	Acquisition of stake in SEIT is a part of Mahindra Group's endeavour to unlock value in the Renewable Energy Sector with Ontario Teachers' as partners in line with the earlier intimation dated 17th September 2022.
e)	brief details of any governmental or regulatory approvals required for the acquisition;	Not Applicable
f)	indicative time period for completion of the acquisition;	31st January 2024
g)	consideration - whether cash consideration or share swap or any other form and details of the same	The consideration expected to be received by the Company for sale of entire stake held by the Company in ESPL would be approximately Rs. 300 Crores in the form of Units of SEIT.
h)	cost of acquisition and/or the price at which the shares are acquired;	Same as mentioned in point g above.
i)	percentage of shareholding / control acquired and / or number of shares acquired;	SEIT is in the process of being Listed and the final percentage of holding in SEIT will be ascertained after the Issue Closing.
j)	brief background about the entity acquired in terms of products/line of business acquired, date of incorporation, history of last 3 years turnover, country in which the acquired entity has presence and any other significant information (in brief)	<ul> <li>Date of Formation of SEIT: 20th July, 2023</li> <li>Date of Registration of SEIT with SEBI: 11th August, 2023</li> <li>Business: Investment in Renewable Energy Projects.</li> <li>Turnover (revenue from operations) details on standalone basis (audited):</li> <li>✓ Year ended 31st March, 2021: Not Applicable</li> <li>✓ Year ended 31st March, 2022: Not Applicable</li> <li>✓ Year ended 31st March, 2023: Not Applicable</li> </ul>



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Agreement(s) for Partial Divestment of stake held by Mahindra Holdings Limited ("MHL"), a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company, in Mahindra Susten Private Limited, wholly owned subsidiary of MHL and of the Company and related transactions

With reference to the captioned subject, we would like to inform you that Mahindra Holdings Limited ("MHL") a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company, Mahindra Susten Private Limited ("MSPL") a wholly owned subsidiary of MHL and of the Company, and 2452991 Ontario Limited ("2OL"), a wholly owned subsidiary of Ontario Teachers' Pension Plan Board, have today entered into a Share Purchase Agreement and Shareholders' Agreement ("Agreements"). The terms of the Agreements inter alia provide for the following:-

- ✓ Sale of 30% of the Paid-Up Equity Share Capital of MSPL by MHL to 2OL;
- ✓ Sale of an additional 9.99% of the Paid-Up Equity Share Capital of MSPL by MHL to any other investor(s) or 2OL or any of its affiliates ("Ontario Teachers'") by 31st May, 2023; and
- ✓ Subject to applicable laws and regulations, formation of an Infrastructure Investment Trust ("InvIT") with MSPL and Ontario Teachers' as Sponsors, which will own identified operational assets housed in Special Purpose Vehicles ("Project SPVs").

This will enable the Mahindra Group to unlock value in the Renewable Energy Sector and it will continue to invest along with Ontario Teachers' to help realise its twin objectives of accelerated growth and global leadership in ESG.

Consequent to the sale of stake by MHL in MSPL, MSPL would cease to be a wholly owned subsidiary of MHL. However, with MHL holding more than 50% of the equity share capital of MSPL, it would continue to be a subsidiary of MHL and in turn of the Company.

The details as required under the Listing Regulations read with SEBI Circular No. CIR/CFD/CMD/4/2015 dated 9<sup>th</sup> September, 2015 are given in Annexures A and B to this letter. Please also find enclosed a Press Release being issued in this regard.

Yours faithfully,

For MAHINDRA & MAHINDRA LIMITED

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# Annexure A

# Sale of Stake in Mahindra Susten Private Limited ("MSPL")

		Limited ("MHL"), a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company
Sr. No.	Details of Events that need to be provided	Information of such events(s)
a.	The amount and percentage of the turnover or revenue or income and net worth contributed by such unit or division of the listed entity during the last financial year;	<ul> <li>Mahindra Susten Private Limited ("MSPL")</li> <li>The Revenue from Operations of MSPL for the year ended 31st March, 2022 was Rs. 595.48 Crores which contributed 0.66% to the Consolidated Revenue from Operations of the Company.</li> <li>The Net Worth of MSPL as on 31st March, 2022 was Rs. 997.67 Crores which contributed 2.12% of the Consolidated Net Worth of the Company.</li> </ul>
b.	Date on which the agreement for sale has been entered into;	17th September, 2022
C.	The expected date of completion of sale/disposal;	Around December, 2022
d.	Consideration received from such sale/disposal;	<ul> <li>Mahindra Holdings Limited ("MHL") has agreed to sell part of its shareholding in MSPL i.e. 30% of the paid-up equity share capital of MSPL to 2452991 Ontario Limited ("2OL") for a cash consideration of Rs. 711 Crores at an equity valuation of Rs. 2,371 Crores, subject to closing adjustments.</li> <li>Sale of additional 9.99% of the Paid-Up Equity Share Capital of MSPL by MHL to any other investor(s) or 2OL or any of its</li> </ul>
		affiliates ("Ontario Teachers' ") by 31st May, 2023 for such consideration as may be mutually agreed by the parties.
e.	Brief details of buyers and whether any of the buyers belong to the promoter/ promoter group/group companies. If yes, details thereof;	Buyer - 2OL  2OL is a subsidiary of Ontario Teachers' Pension Plan Board (OTPP) which is a global investor with net assets of CAD \$242.5 billion that invests in more than 50 countries in a broad array of assets including public and private equities, fixed income, credit, commodities, natural resources, infrastructure, real estate and venture growth to deliver retirement income for 333,000 working members and pensioners.  The Buyer does not belong to the promoter/promoter group/ group companies of the Company.
f.	Whether the transaction would fall within related party transactions? If yes, whether the same is done at "arms length";	The aforesaid transaction would not fall within the ambit of related party transactions.
g.	Additionally, in case of a slump sale, indicative disclosures provided for amalgamation/ merger, shall be disclosed by the listed entity with respect to such slump sale;	Not Applicable

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# Annexure B

Share Purchase Agreement and Shareholders' Agreement entered into between Mahindra Susten Private Limited ("MSPL") and Mahindra Holdings Limited ("MHL"), subsidiaries of the Company with 2452991 Ontario Limited

Sr. No.	Details of Events that need to be provided	Information of such events(s)
a)	Name of the entity(ies) with whom agreement/ JV is signed;	<ul> <li>The following entities have today entered into a Share Purchase Agreement and Shareholders' Agreement ("Agreements"):-</li> <li>a) Mahindra Holdings Limited ("MHL") a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company;</li> <li>b) Mahindra Susten Private Limited ("MSPL") a wholly owned subsidiary of MHL and in turn that of the Company; and</li> <li>c) 2452991 Ontario Limited ("2OL") a wholly owned subsidiary of Ontario Teachers' Pension Plan Board.</li> </ul>
b)	Area of agreement <del>/JV</del> ;	The Agreements inter alia provide for the following:-
		✓ Sale of 30% of the Paid-Up Equity Share Capital of MSPL by MHL to 2OL;
		✓ Sale of an additional 9.99% of the Paid-Up Equity Share Capital of MSPL by MHL to any other investor(s) or 2OL or any of its affiliates ("Ontario Teachers'") by 31st May, 2023;
		✓ Subject to applicable laws and regulations, formation of an Infrastructure Investment Trust ("InvIT") with MSPL and Ontario Teachers' as Sponsors, which will own identified operational assets housed in Project SPVs.
c)	Domestic/International;	Not Applicable
d)	Share exchange ratio / JV ratio;	Not Applicable
e)	Scope of business operation of agreement / JV;	The Agreements <i>inter alia</i> provide for the following series of transactions, subject to applicable laws and regulations and upon fulfillment of terms and conditions as laid down in the said Agreements:-
		Divestment by MHL of part of its shareholding in MSPL i.e. 30% of the paid-up equity share capital of MSPL to 2OL.
		Sale of an additional 9.99% of the Paid-Up Equity Share Capital of MSPL by MHL in the second tranche to any other investor(s) or Ontario Teachers' by 31st May, 2023.
		<ul> <li>Divestment by MSPL of its entire stake i.e. 100% of paid up equity share capital held in Mahindra Teqo Private Limited ("TEQO")</li> </ul>

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Details of Events that need to be provided	Information of such events(s)		
	and 51% of paid up equity share capital held in Marvel Solren Private Limited ("Solren"), subsidiaries of MSPL and in turn that of MHL and of the Company, to Mahindra Telecom Energy Management Services Private Limited, a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company.		
	Formation of an Infrastructure Investment Trust ("InvIT") with MSPL and Ontario Teachers' as Sponsors. The Company along with MSPL would effectively hold approximately 35% of the units of InvIT in the aggregate and the balance 65% would be effectively held by Ontario Teachers' and other investors.		
	Formation of Investment Management company ("IM") by the Company and/or any of its subsidiaries, wherein ultimately 40% shareholding would be held by the Company and/or any of its subsidiaries and the balance 60% would be held by Ontario Teachers'.		
	Formation of Project Management company as a subsidiary of IM.		
	➤ Sale/transfer/hiving off of identified operational assets (pertaining to ~360 MWp portfolio) by MSPL to a new company to be incorporated or any other entity ("NewCo"), which would ultimately be transferred/ sold to InvIT to be settled against units of InvIT.		
	Divestment of entire 100% stake by MSPL in Mahindra Renewables Private Limited ("MRPL") and Mega Suryaurja Private Limited ("MSUPL"), wholly owned subsidiaries of MSPL to InvIT, by way of transfer/ sale of shares to be settled against units of InvIT.		
	Partial sale of InvIT units by the Company and/or by MSPL to Ontario Teachers' and/or any other investors.		
	Subsequent to the formation of InvIT, MSPL would repay outstanding Loan(s) of Rs. 575 Crores advanced by the Company as of 31st March 2022, inter alia out of the funds realised by MSPL from partial sale of units of InvIT.		
	Mahindra Group and Ontario Teachers' have agreed to invest ar amount of around Rs. 4,550 Crores to grow MSPL's future portfolio. In addition, there would be contributions by each party to the InvIT.		

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Sr. No.	Details of Events that need to be provided	Information of such events(s)	
		<ul> <li>As a result of this transaction, Mahindra Group would receive ar inflow of around Rs. 1,300 Crores by way of:</li> <li>✓ sale of 30% stake in MSPL and</li> <li>✓ repayment of shareholder loan(s) by MSPL.</li> </ul>	
		Above inflow and funds received by Mahindra Group from sale of additional 9.99% stake in MSPL along with an incremental amount of approx. Rs. 1,750 Crores, will be deployed into the business of MSPL and InvIT over a period of 7 years.	
		➤ Ontario Teachers' has committed to deploy additional funds of upto Rs. 3,550 Crores into the business of MSPL and InvIT over a period of 7 years.	
f)	Details of consideration paid / received in agreement / JV;	MHL has agreed to sell part of its shareholding in MSPL i.e. 30% of the paid-up equity share capital of MSPL to 2OL for a cash consideration of Rs. 711 Crores at an equity valuation of Rs. 2,371 Crores, subject to closing adjustments.	
		Sale of additional 9.99% of the Paid-Up Equity Share Capital of MSPL by MHL to any other investor(s) or Ontario Teachers' by 31st May, 2023 for such consideration as may be mutually agreed by the parties.	
		The consideration for the InvIT and other related Transactions contemplated in the Agreements would <i>inter alia</i> be subject to requisite Regulatory Approvals and as mutually determined by the concerned parties.	
g)	Significant terms and conditions of agreement <del>/ JV</del> in brief;	<ul> <li>➤ Transaction is subject to regulatory and other approvals including inter alia Competition Commission of India, lender consents, etc.</li> <li>➤ While MHL would have the right to control the composition of the Board of Directors of MSPL, 2OL would have a right to appoint directors on the Board of MSPL.</li> <li>➤ 2OL would also get certain rights such as:         <ul> <li>✓ Pre-emptive rights to participate in future funding rounds,</li> <li>✓ Affirmative voting rights,</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
		<ul> <li>Exit options, etc.</li> <li>as stipulated in the Agreements.</li> <li>The parties shall work towards completing the setting up of the InvIT by FY 2024, subject to receipt of regulatory approvals.</li> </ul>	
h)	Whether the acquisition would fall within related party transactions and whether the promoter/ promoter	Sale of Stake in MSPL by MHL to 2OL would not fall within the ambit of related party transactions.	
	group/ group companies have any	Post-acquisition of stake in MSPL, Ontario Teachers' would become related party of MSPL and some of the transactions as	

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	interest in the entity being acquired? If yes, nature of interest and details thereof and whether the same is done at "arms length;	contemplated in Agreements thereafter would fall within the ambit of related party transactions and would be done at arms' length.	
i)	Size of the entity(ies);	Ontario Teachers' Pension Plan Board (OTPP) is a global investor with net assets of CAD \$242.5 billion.	
j)	Rationale and benefit expected.	The transaction combined with the future funding commitment will enable the Mahindra Group to:  ✓ Unlock value in the Renewable Energy Business;  ✓ Significantly scale up the platform by continuing to invest along with Ontario Teachers';  ✓ Achieve twin objectives of accelerated growth and leadership in ESG.	

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#### **Press Release**

# Mahindra Group and Ontario Teachers' to form a strategic partnership in the renewable energy space

**Mumbai, September 17, 2022:** Mahindra Group and Ontario Teachers' Pension Plan Board ("Ontario Teachers'") announced today a strategic partnership to capitalize on the growing renewables opportunity in India and contribute towards the country's decarbonization ambitions. The parties have signed binding agreements pursuant to which Ontario Teachers' will acquire a 30% equity stake in Mahindra Susten Private Limited ("Mahindra Susten") at an equity value of INR 2,371 crore (~USD 300 million).

The proposed transaction also envisages the setting up of an Infrastructure Investment Trust ("InvIT") in compliance with applicable regulations of the Securities and Exchange Board of India. The InvIT is initially proposed to comprise renewable power assets seeded by Mahindra Susten with operational capacity of around 1.54 GWp. As part of the proposed transaction, shareholder loans of INR 575 crore (~USD 73 million) advanced by Mahindra Group to Mahindra Susten will be repaid.

As a result of this transaction, Mahindra Group will receive an inflow of approximately INR 1,300 crore (~USD 165 million). Mahindra Group and Ontario Teachers' will jointly explore the sale of an additional 9.99% stake in Mahindra Susten by May 31, 2023. Mahindra Group will deploy these funds, plus an incremental amount of upto INR 1,750 crore (~USD 220 million), into the business & InvIT over the next seven years.

Over the same period, Ontario Teachers' has committed to deploy an additional amount of up to INR 3,550 crore (~USD 450 million) into the business and the InvIT over the next seven years.

This transaction will enable Mahindra Susten to build a strong renewable energy business focused on solar energy, hybrid energy, integrated energy storage & round-the-clock ("RTC") green energy plants.

Puneet Renjhen, Member of Group Executive Board and EVP, Partnerships & Alliances at the Mahindra Group said: "We are delighted to welcome Ontario Teachers' as a strategic partner in Mahindra Susten. The partnership with Ontario Teachers' will enable the Mahindra Group to unlock value in the renewable energy sector with continued joint investments towards accelerated growth. The Mahindra Group aims to be Planet Positive by 2040 and the continued inflow of patient, long-term capital in our climate positive businesses is validation of our commitment to be a global ESG leader."

Bruce Crane, Senior Managing Director, Asia Pacific, Infrastructure & Natural Resources at Ontario Teachers' said: "We are pleased to continue making significant investments in India and to acquire a meaningful stake in Mahindra Susten, one of India's leading renewable energy platforms. As part of our climate change strategy, we have committed to continue growing our portfolio of green assets around the globe with investments like Mahindra Susten. This strategic partnership marks the beginning of what we hope will be a long-term and mutually beneficial relationship with the Mahindra Group."

**Deepak Thakur, Managing Director & Chief Executive Officer, Mahindra Susten** said: "This partnership with Ontario Teachers' syncs with Mahindra Susten's plan to substantially grow our green energy portfolio across solar PV, wind, and energy storage. This platform will leverage our proven experience in development and deep knowledge of the Indian energy market. Our in-house EPC capabilities honed across renewable energy projects executed globally ensure Mahindra Susten engineers and delivers superior performing assets, thereby enabling our energy platform to provide clean, reliable power to millions of people across India."



Chris Ireland, Senior Managing Director, Greenfield Investments & Renewables, Infrastructure & Natural Resources at Ontario Teachers' said: "We are proud to invest in one of India's leading renewable energy platforms. We believe the renewable energy sector in India is poised for significant growth in the coming years as India works towards its ambitious clean energy goals, and are excited to partner with the Mahindra Group in this initiative."

As per the updated Nationally Determined Contributions ("NDCs") of the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change ("UNFCCC"), India now stands committed to reducing the emissions intensity of its GDP by 45% by 2030 from its 2005 levels, and achieve about 50% cumulative electric power installed capacity from non-fossil fuel-based energy resources by 2030. These are concrete steps towards achieving India's long-term goal of reaching net-zero by 2070. As a result, the Indian renewable industry is expected to continue to grow significantly in the long term.

It is expected that Ontario Teachers' acquisition of a 30% shareholding in Mahindra Susten, which is subject to closing conditions including regulatory approvals, will complete over the next few months. The InvIT is also expected to be formed during FY 2024 subject to requisite approvals.

Avendus Capital acted as financial advisor and Khaitan & Co. acted as legal advisor to the Mahindra Group for the transaction. Ambit acted as financial advisor and Cyril Amarchand Mangaldas acted as legal advisor to Ontario Teachers' for the transaction.

# **About Mahindra Group**

Founded in 1945, the Mahindra Group is one of the largest and most admired multinational federation of companies with 260,000 employees in over 100 countries. It enjoys a leadership positioning farm equipment, utility vehicles, information technology and financial services in India and is the world's largest tractor company by volume. It has a strong presence in renewable energy, agriculture, logistics, hospitality and real estate.

The Mahindra Group has a clear focus on leading ESG globally, enabling rural prosperity and enhancing urban living, with a goal to drive positive change in the lives of communities and stakeholders to enable them to Rise.

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#### **About Mahindra Susten**

Mahindra Susten is Mahindra Group's renewable energy platform, which includes one of the leading renewable engineering, procurement and construction ("EPC") businesses (capacity constructed of over 4 GWp), an independent power producer ("IPP") business with around 1.54 GWp of operational solar plants spread across several states in India, and plan to have a significant solar development pipeline. The IPP solar portfolio is spread across 5 key states in India and is backed by long-term power purchase agreements – approximately 75% of assets are backed by central government entities and the remaining with distribution companies backed by state governments. Besides its own in-house management team with extensive capabilities across both EPC and IPP domains, Mahindra Susten also benefits from solar plant operations and maintenance services and other technical expertise of Mahindra Tego Private Limited. For more information, visit https://www.mahindrasusten.com



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Ontario Teachers' Pension Plan Board (Ontario Teachers') is a global investor with net assets of C\$242.5 billion as at June 30, 2022. We invest in more than 50 countries in a broad array of assets including public and private equities, fixed income, credit, commodities, natural resources, infrastructure, real estate and venture growth to deliver retirement income for 333,000 working members and pensioners.

With offices in Hong Kong, London, Mumbai, San Francisco, Singapore and Toronto, our more than 350 investment professionals bring deep expertise in industries ranging from agriculture to artificial intelligence. We are a fully funded defined benefit pension plan and have earned an annual total-fund net return of 9.6% since the plan's founding in 1990. At Ontario Teachers', we don't just invest to make a return, we invest to shape a better future for the teachers we serve, the businesses we back, and the world we live in. For more information, visit otpp.com and follow us on Twitter @OtppInfo

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