

CODE OF CONDUCT ON INSIDER TRADING OF CSL FINANCE LIMITED

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PREAMBLE

The Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI), in its endeavor to protect the interests of investors in general, has formulated the SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015 under the powers conferred on it under the SEBI Act, 1992. It is mandatory in terms of the Regulations for every listed company to formulate a Code for regulating, monitoring and reporting of trading by Designated Persons. In order to comply with the mandatory requirement of the Regulations, it was necessary to formulate a specific Code for CSL Finance Limited (hereinafter referred to as 'the Company') for use by its Promoters, Directors, Designated Persons, Connected Persons and Insiders.

OBJECTIVE

This document embodies the Code for regulating, monitoring and reporting of trading by Designated Persons. The Code seeks to ensure timely, fair and adequate disclosure of price sensitive information to the investor community by the Company to enable them to take informed investment decisions with regard to the Company's Securities.

1. DEFINITIONS

1.1 "Act" means the Securities and Exchange Board of India Act, 1992.

1.2 "Board" means the Board of Directors of the Company;

1.3 "Code" means Code of Conduct for Regulating, Monitoring and Reporting of Trading by Insiders, as amended from time to time;

1.4 "Company" means CSL Finance Limited ;

1.5 "Compliance Officer" means Company Secretary of the Company or such other senior officer, who is financially literate and is capable of appreciating requirements for legal and regulatory compliance under these regulations designated so and reporting to the Board of Directors and who shall be responsible for compliance of policies, procedures, maintenance of records, monitoring adherence to the rules for the preservation of unpublished price sensitive information, monitoring of trades and the implementation of the codes specified in these regulations under the overall supervision of the Board of Directors of the Company.

1.6 "Connected Persons" means:

(i) any person who is or has been during the six months prior to the concerned act been associated with a company,, in any capacity, directly or indirectly, including by reason of frequent communication with its officers or by being in any contractual, fiduciary or employment relationship or by being a director, officer or an employee of the Company or holds any position including a professional or business relationship, whether temporary or permanent, with the company, that allows such a person,

directly or indirectly, access to unpublished price sensitive information or is reasonably expected to allow such access.

(ii) Without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing, the persons falling within the following categories shall be deemed to be connected persons unless the contrary is established:

- a) a relative of connected persons specified in above clause (i); or
- b) a holding company or associate company or subsidiary company; or
- c) an intermediary as specified in Section 12 of the Act or an employee or director thereof; or
- d) an investment company, trustee company, asset management company or an employee or director thereof; or
- e) an official of a stock exchange or of clearing house or corporation; or
- f) a member of board of trustees of a mutual fund or a member of the board of directors of the asset management company of a mutual fund or is an employee thereof; or
- g) a member of the Board of directors or an employee, of a public financial institution as defined in section 2 (72) of the Companies Act, 2013; or
- h) an official or an employee of a self-regulatory organization recognized or authorized by Securities and Exchange Board of India ("SEBI"); or
- i) a banker of the Company; or
- j) a concern, firm, trust, Hindu Undivided Family, company or association of persons wherein a director of the Company or his relative or banker of the Company, has more than ten per cent, of the holding or interest or;
- k) a firm or its partner or its employee in which a connected person specified above in (i) is also a partner; or
- l) a person sharing household or residence with a connected person specified above in (i).

1.7 "Designated Person(s)" shall include:

- i. All Directors, Executive and Non – Executive and Key Managerial Personnel (KMPs);
- ii. All the Promoters of the Company
- iii. All employees upto two levels below Managing Director of the Company
- iv. All Functional/ Departmental Heads posted at the Corporate Office of the Company;
- v. Company Secretary & Compliance Officer and all employees of Corporate Affairs/Secretarial Department;
- vi. Every employee in the Finance, Accounts, Wholesale, SME, Operations, Corporate Secretarial, Legal, Information Technology as may be determined and having access to UPSI;
- vii. Other employees / persons as may be designated by the Compliance Officer in consultation with the Co - Chairman / Managing Director of the Company from time to time.

1.8 "Employee" means every employee of a company

"Fiduciaries" means Professional firms such as auditors, accountancy firms, law firms analysts, insolvency professional entities, consultants, banks etc., assisting or advising the Company

1.9 "Generally available Information" means information that is accessible to the public on a non-discriminatory basis;

1.10 "Immediate Relative" means a spouse of a person, and includes parent, sibling, and child of such person or of the spouse, any of whom is either dependent financially on such person, or consults such person in taking decisions relating to trading in securities;

1.11 "Insider" means any person who is:

- (i) a Connected Person; or
- (ii) in possession of or having access to unpublished price sensitive information;
- (iii) Any person in receipt of unpublished price sensitive information pursuant to a "legitimate purpose" shall also be considered an "insider" for purposes of these regulations

1.12 "Key Managerial Personnel" means person as defined in Section 2(51) of the Companies Act, 2013;

"Material Subsidiary" shall have the same meaning as defined under sub-regulation (c) of Regulation 16 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations & Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

1.13 "Prohibited Period" means;

(i) From the end of the quarter pertaining to which the Board of Directors is to consider the financial results and ending after 48 hours from the time the said financial results are made public. In the case of other types of unpublished price sensitive information the trading window restrictions shall apply as determined by the Compliance Officer in terms of the provisions of the Regulations.

(ii) Such other period as may be specified by the Compliance Officer from time to time in consultation with the Co - Chairman / Managing Director in compliance with the Regulations.

"Free Period" means any Period other than the **"Prohibited Period"**.

1.14 "Promoter" shall have the meaning assigned to it under the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018 or any modification thereof;

"Promoter Group" shall have the meaning assigned to it under the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018 or any modification thereof

1.15 "Regulations" shall mean the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015 and any amendments thereto;

ss1.16 "Relative" shall mean the following: (Comment: Definition of Relative has been inserted)

- (i) spouse of the person;

- (ii) parent of the person and parent of its spouse;
- (iii) sibling of the person and sibling of its spouse;
- (iv) child of the person and child of its spouse;
- (v) spouse of the person listed at (iii); and
- (vi) spouse of the person listed at (iv)

1.17"Securities" shall have the meaning assigned to it under the Securities Contracts (Regulation) Act, 1956 (42 of 1956) or any modification thereof;

1.18"Takeover Regulations" means the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011 and any amendments thereto;

1.19 "Trading" means and includes subscribing, redeeming, switching buying, selling, dealing, or agreeing to subscribe, redeem, switch, buy, sell, deal in any securities of the Company, and "trade" shall be construed accordingly;

1.20"Trading Day" means a day on which the recognized stock exchanges are open for trading;

1.21 "Unpublished Price Sensitive Information" or "ÜPSI" means any information, relating to a company or its securities, directly or indirectly, that is not generally available which upon becoming generally available, is likely to materially affect the price of the securities and shall, ordinarily including but not restricted to, information relating to the following:

- (i) financial results;
- (ii) dividends;
- (iii) change in capital structure;
- (iv) mergers, de-mergers, acquisitions, delistings, disposals and expansion of business and such other transactions;
- (v) changes in key managerial personnel; and
- (vi) Any such other information which may materially affect the price of securities

Words and expressions used and not defined in the regulations but defined in the Securities and Exchange Board of India Act, 1992 (15 of 1992), the Securities Contracts (Regulation) Act, 1956 (42 of 1956), the Depositories Act, 1996 (22 of 1996) or the Companies Act, 2013 (18 of 2013) and rules and regulations made thereunder shall have the meanings respectively assigned to them in those legislation..

2. DUTIES OF COMPLIANCE OFFICER

- (i) The Compliance Officer shall be responsible for setting forth policies, procedures, monitoring adherence to the rules for preservation of Unpublished Price-sensitive Information, pre clearing of

trades by Designated Persons, monitoring of trades and the implementation of the Code under the overall supervision of the Board of Directors of the Company.

(ii) The Compliance officer shall maintain records of all the declarations in the appropriate form given by the Designated Persons for a minimum period of five years.

(iii) The Compliance officer may in consultation with the Chairman / Managing Director and shall as directed by the Board, specifies "Prohibited Period" from time to time and immediately makes an announcement thereof and shall maintain a record of "Prohibited Period" specified from time to time.

(iv) The Compliance Officer shall place report on insider trading to the Board of Directors for the purpose of the Code and in particular, shall provide reports to the Chairman of the Audit Committee or to the Chairman of the Board annually or at such frequency as may be stipulated by the board of directors but not less than once in a year.

3. PRESERVATION OF UNPUBLISHED PRICE SENSITIVE INFORMATION

3.1 Need to Know

Unpublished Price Sensitive Information is to be handled on a need-to-know basis and unpublished price sensitive information shall be disclosed only to those within the Company who need the information to discharge their duty in furtherance for a legitimate purpose or discharge of legal obligations and whose possession of such information will not give rise to a conflict of interest or appearance of misuse of information.

"Legitimate purpose" shall include sharing of unpublished price sensitive information in the ordinary course of business by an insider with partners, collaborators, lenders, customers, suppliers, merchant bankers, legal advisors, auditors, insolvency professionals or other advisors or consultants etc.

The factors to be considered for determining what constitutes a legitimate purpose are defined in the Code of Fair Disclosure of UPSI of the Company.

3.2 Limited access to confidential information

Norms for appropriate Chinese Walls procedures & processes will be as under –

i. To prevent the misuse of confidential information, the Company shall separate those areas of the Company which routinely have access to confidential information, considered "inside areas" from those areas which deal with sale/marketing/investment advise or other departments providing support services, considered "public areas".

ii. The employees in the inside area shall not communicate any price sensitive information to any one in public area.

iii. The employees in inside area may be physically segregated from employees in public area.

iv. Demarcation of the various departments as inside area may be implemented by the Company.

v. In exceptional circumstances employees from the public areas may be brought "over the wall" and given access to UPSI on need-to-know basis

Files containing confidential information shall be kept secure. Computer files must have adequate security of login and pass word, etc. Files containing confidential information should be deleted / destroyed after its use. Shredder should be used for the destruction of physical files.

3.3 Permitted Communication

Unpublished Price Sensitive Information may be disclosed, communicated, provided, allowed access to or procured, in connection with a transaction that would:

- (i) entail an obligation to make an open offer under the takeover regulations where the Board is of informed opinion that the sharing of such information is in the best interests of the Company;
- (ii) not attract the obligation to make an open offer under the takeover regulations but where the Board is of informed opinion that the sharing of such information is in the best interests of the Company and the information that constitute unpublished price sensitive information is disseminated to be made generally available at least two trading days prior to the proposed transaction being effected in such form as the Board may determine to be adequate and fair to cover all relevant and material facts.

However, the Board shall require the parties to execute agreements to contract confidentiality and non-disclosure obligations on the part of such parties and such parties shall keep information so received confidential, except for the limited purpose and shall not otherwise trade in securities of the Company when in possession of unpublished price sensitive information.

The names of such persons or entities along with their Permanent Account Number or any other identifier authorized by law where Permanent Account Number is not available, with whom unpublished price sensitive information is shared Clause (3) as aforesaid, shall be maintained in a structured digital database. Such databases shall be maintained with adequate internal controls and checks such as time stamping and audit trails to ensure non-tampering of the database. The Company Secretary shall be responsible for ensuring the maintenance of such database.

4. PROHIBITIONS ON TRADING OF SECURITIES

No insider, either on his own behalf, or on behalf of any other person shall trade in the Securities of the Company when in possession of Unpublished Price Sensitive Information.

4.1 Trading Plan

An Insider shall be entitled to formulate a trading plan for dealing in securities of the Company and present it to the Compliance Officer for approval and public disclosure pursuant to which trades may be carried out on his behalf in accordance with such plan.

Trading Plan shall:

- (i) not entail commencement of trading on behalf of the Insider earlier than one hundred and twenty calendar days from the public disclosure of the plan;
- (ii) not entail overlap of any period for which another trading plan is already in existence;
- (iii) set out following parameters for each trade to be executed:
 - i. either the value of trade to be effected or the number of securities to be traded;
 - ii. nature of the trade;
 - iii. either specific date or time period not exceeding five consecutive trading days;
 - iv. price limit, that is an upper price limit for a buy trade and a lower price limit for a sell trade, subject to the range as specified below:
 - a. for a buy trade: the upper price limit shall be between the closing price on the day before submission of the trading plan and upto twenty per cent higher than such closing price;
 - b. for a sell trade: the lower price limit shall be between the closing price on the day before submission of the trading plan and upto twenty per cent lower than such closing price.

While the above parameters in i, ii and iii shall be mandatorily mentioned for each trade, the parameter in iv shall be optional.

The price limit in iv shall be rounded off to the nearest numeral. Insider may make adjustments, with the approval of the compliance officer, in the number of securities and price limit in the event of corporate actions related to bonus issue and stock split occurring after the approval of trading plan and the same shall be notified on the stock exchanges on which securities are listed.

and

- (iv) not entail trading in securities for market abuse.

If the insider has set a price limit for a trade under iv above, the insider shall execute the trade only if the execution price of the security is within such limit. If price of the security is outside the price limit set by the insider, the trade shall not be executed.

Implementation of the trading plan shall not be commenced if any unpublished price sensitive information in possession of the insider at the time of formulation of the plan has not become generally available at the time of the commencement of implementation.

The compliance officer shall review the trading plan to assess whether the plan would have any potential for violation of these regulations and shall be entitled to seek such express undertakings as may be necessary to enable such assessment and to approve and monitor the implementation of the plan. Pre-clearance of trades and trading window norms shall not be applicable for a trade executed as per an approved trading plan.

The compliance officer shall approve or reject the trading plan within two trading days of receipt of the trading plan and notify the approved plan to the stock exchanges on which the securities are listed, on the day of approval.

The Trading Plan once approved shall be irrevocable and the insider shall mandatorily have to implement the plan, without being entitled to either execute any trade in the securities outside the scope of the trading plan or to deviate from it except due to permanent incapacity or bankruptcy or operation of law.

In case of non-implementation (full/partial) of trading plan due to either reasons enumerated above or failure of execution of trade due to inadequate liquidity in the scrip, the following procedure shall be adopted:

(i) The insider shall intimate non-implementation (full/partial) of trading plan to the compliance officer within two trading days of end of tenure of the trading plan with reasons thereof and supporting documents, if any.

(ii) Upon receipt of information from the insider, the compliance officer, shall place such information along with his recommendation to accept or reject the submissions of the insider, before the Audit Committee in the immediate next meeting. The Audit Committee shall decide whether such non-implementation (full/partial) was bona fide or not.

(iii) The decision of the Audit Committee shall be notified by the compliance officer on the same day to the stock exchanges on which the securities are listed.

(iv) In case the Audit Committee does not accept the submissions made by the insider, then the compliance officer shall take action as per the Code of Conduct.”

5. TRADING RESTRICTIONS

5.1 Trading Window

The period prior to declaration of unpublished price sensitive information is particularly sensitive for transactions in the Company's securities. This sensitivity is due to the fact that the Designated Persons will, during that period, often possess unpublished price sensitive information. During such sensitive times, the Designated Persons and their immediate relatives will have to forego the opportunity of trading in the Company's securities. The Designated persons and their immediate relatives shall not deal in the securities of the Company when the trading window is closed except when the sale or purchase is being undertaken pursuant to the trading plan approved under this Code. The period during which the trading window is closed shall be termed as “Prohibited Period”.

The trading window shall, inter alia, be closed in accordance with the regulations when the compliance officer determines that a designated person or class of designated persons can reasonably be expected to have possession of unpublished price sensitive information.

Except for matter related to declaration of financial results, for all other matters related to UPSI, the Trading Window shall remain close for a period of 7 days before meeting of the Board of Directors or from the date of circulation of agenda papers pertaining to the subject referred above, whichever is longer, and shall end 48 hours after the information is submitted to the Stock Exchange or at the time as determined by the Compliance officer after such 48 hours. For matter related to declaration of financial results, the Trading Window shall remain close for a period beginning from the end of quarter to which the result pertains upto 48 hours after the result is submitted to the Stock Exchange.

All Designated Persons and their immediate relatives of the Company shall conduct all their dealings in the securities of the Company only during the “Free Period” and shall not deal in any transaction involving the purchase or sale of the Company's securities during the “Prohibited Period” or during any other period as may be specified by the Company from time to time.

5.2 Pre - clearance of Trade

All Designated Persons of the company who intend to deal in the securities of the company in excess of 500 equity shares in number shall pre-clear the transactions as per the pre-dealing procedure as described herein below.

An application for pre-clearance of trade may be made to the Compliance Officer in Pre Clearance Application Form along with Undertaking executed in favour of the Company (format enclosed as *'Appendix A'*).

The Compliance Officer shall on receiving an application provide the Designated Person with an acknowledgement on the duplicate of the application. The Compliance Officer shall grant approval (in format enclosed as *'Appendix B'*) within 2 days from the date of acknowledgement. The Compliance Officer shall retain copies of all applications & acknowledgements. In exceptional circumstances consent may not be given if the Compliance officer is of the opinion that the proposed deal is on the basis of possession of any unpublished Price sensitive information. There shall be no obligation to give reasons for any withholding of consent. If so requested by the Compliance Officer, Designated person must ensure that his stock broker is authorised to disclose to the Company all matters relevant to his share dealings.

Further, no pre-clearance would be required for dealing in the securities of the Company where the trade is being undertaken pursuant to approved Trading Plan/ trades pursuant to exercise of stock options.

In case of ESOPs, exercise of option may be allowed in the period when the trading window is closed. However, sale of shares allotted on exercise of ESOPs shall not be allowed when trading is closed.

Other restrictions

All Designated persons shall execute their order in respect of securities of the company within seven trading days after the approval of pre-clearance is given. If the order is not executed within seven trading days after the approval is given, the designated persons must pre clear the transaction again.

The Designated Persons shall file the details of the trade with the Compliance Officer in the prescribed form (enclosed as '*Appendix C*') within 2 (two) working days of from the date of execution of the Trade. In case the Trade is not undertaken, a report to that effect shall also be filed with the Compliance Officer in the same form within 2 working days after expiry of seven trading days of pre clearance approval.

All Designated Persons who buy or sell any number of securities of the Company shall not enter into an opposite transaction i.e. sell or buy any number of securities during the next six months following the prior transaction. In case a contra trade be executed, inadvertently or otherwise, in violation of such a restriction, the profits from such trade shall be liable to be disgorged for remittance to Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) for credit to the Investor Protection and Education Fund administered by SEBI under the Act.

The restriction of contra-trade will not be applicable for trade pursuant to exercise of options.

The Compliance Officer is empowered to grant relaxation from strict application of such restriction for reasons to be recorded in writing provided that such relaxation does not violate the regulations.

The trading window restrictions shall not apply in respect of:

- Transactions specified in clauses (i) to (iv) and (vi) of the proviso to sub-regulation (1) of Regulation 4 of the Regulations and in respect of a pledge of shares for a bonafide purpose such as raising of funds, subject to pre-clearance by the compliance officer and compliance with the respective regulations made by the Board.
- Transactions which are undertaken in accordance with respective regulations made by SEBI such as acquisition by conversion of warrants or debentures, subscribing to rights issue, further public issue, preferential allotment or tendering of shares in a buyback offer, open offer, delisting offer or transactions which are undertaken through such other mechanism as may be specified by the Board from time to time.

6. REPORTING REQUIREMENT

6.1 Initial Disclosure

Every person on appointment as a Key Managerial Personnel or a Director of the Company or upon becoming a Promoter or member of the promoter group shall disclose his holding of securities of the Company as on the date of appointment or becoming a Promoter or part of the promoter group, to the Company within seven days of such appointment or becoming a promoter or part of the promoter group in 'Form B' (enclosed).

6.2 Continuous Disclosure

Every promoter, member of the promoter group, designated person and director of the Company shall disclose to the Company the number of such securities acquired or disposed of by them if the value of the securities traded, whether in one transaction or a series of transactions over any calendar quarter, aggregates to a traded value in excess of Ten lakh rupees. Such disclosure shall be made in the 'Form C' within 2 trading days of such transaction.

The Company shall notify the particulars of such trading to the stock exchange(s) within two trading days of receipt of the disclosure or from becoming aware of such information.

The Board / Compliance Officer may, at its discretion require any other Connected Person or class of Connected Persons to make disclosures of holdings and trading in Securities of the Company in Form D (enclosed) at such frequency as may be determined by the Board / Compliance Officer in order to monitor compliance with the Regulations and this Code.

All Designated Persons shall file an annual statement in Appendix "D" to the Compliance Officer of their entire holding in the Company's Securities as on 31st March every year, along with the names and Permanent Account Number or any other identifier authorized by law of the following persons to the Company .:

- (a) Immediate relatives
- (b) Persons with whom such designated person(s) shares a material financial relationship
- (c) Phone, mobile and cell numbers which are used by them in addition to the aforesaid , details of educational institutions from which designated persons have graduated along with the names of their past employers shall be disclosed on a one-time basis.

"material financial relationship" shall mean a relationship in which one person is a recipient of any kind of payment such as by way of a loan or gift from a designated person during the immediately preceding twelve months, equivalent to at least 25% of the annual income of such designated person but shall exclude relationships in which the payment is based on arm's length transactions."

6.3 Reporting to Board and Audit Committee

The Compliance Officer shall report to the Board of Directors and Audit Committee on half yearly basis, details in connection with the following

- i. Pre-clearance request received, approved and rejected
- ii. Trading Plan approved
- iii. Disclosure received under the Regulations

7. PENALTY FOR CONTRAVENTION OF THE CODE

Every Designated Person shall be individually responsible for complying with the provisions of the Code (including to the extent the provisions hereof are applicable to his/her dependents).

Any Designated Person who trades in securities or communicates any information for trading in securities, in contravention of this Code may be penalized and the Company may take appropriate action.

Designated Persons who violate the Code shall also be subject to disciplinary action by the Company, which may include wage freeze, suspension, claw back, recovery, ineligibility for future participation in employee stock option plans, etc. Any amount recovered from the designated persons as above shall be remitted to SEBI for credit to the Investor Protection and Education Fund administered by SEBI.

The action by the Company shall not preclude SEBI from taking any action in case of violation of the Regulations.

In case it is observed by the Company/Compliance Officer that there has been a violation of SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015, SEBI shall be informed by the Company.

8. RESPONSIBILITY / ACCOUNTABILITY

It is the duty of the Designated Person(s) to inform their immediate relatives, being covered under this Code, about the requirement of the Code alongside the period of Trading Window closure from time to time.

The Managing Director shall put in place adequate and effective system of internal controls to ensure compliance with the requirements given in the Regulations.

The Audit Committee shall review compliance with the provisions of these regulations at least once in a financial year and shall verify that the systems for internal control are adequate and are operating effectively.

9. Sensitization of team engaged in transactions involving UPSI

In case of any transaction in the Company which is of sensitive nature i.e. it may involve UPSI or may give rise to UPSI, then the respective head of the Department to which the transaction pertains shall ensure the following:

- I. UPSI shall be shared only on need-to-know basis
- II. A brief introduction of the Code shall be given to all the Parties involved in the transaction specifically duties and responsibilities attached to the receipt of UPSI, and the liability that attaches to misuse or unwarranted use of such information,
- III. In case persons/parties involved have not executed a non-disclosure agreement with the Company, then such agreement should be executed before sharing any UPSI.
- IV. Permanent Account Number or any other identifier authorized by law from such persons except in case of employee, with whom UPSI is being shared, is duly obtained.
- V. Where such UPSI is shared with Fiduciaries or Intermediaries, then such Fiduciaries or Intermediaries shall ensure the compliance of the aforesaid.

10. Leak or suspected leak of UPSI

In case any whistle blower reports leak or suspected leak of UPSI, then the procedure as prescribed under the Whistle-Blower policy of the Company shall be followed. In any other case, the following procedure will be adopted

- I. The Vigilance Officer shall be responsible to investigate the matter related to leak or suspected leak of UPSI under the supervision of the Audit Committee.
- II. The Investigators shall have right to call for and examine any information/document of the Company, as may be deemed necessary for the purpose of conducting inquiry/investigation under this policy and can extend the scope of investigation to Fiduciaries and intermediaries, who were also involved in the matter involving UPSI.
- III. The Fiduciaries and intermediaries involved in the matter shall provide full cooperation during the course of the investigation.
- IV. The investigation shall be completed normally within 90 days of the receipt of the mandate, which can be extended by the Audit Committee for such period as it deems fit.
- V. The Vigilance Officer shall submit a written report of the findings to the Chairman of the Audit Committee.
- VI. Where the results of the inquiry/ investigation highlights wrong doing on the part of the any employee or fiduciaries and intermediaries, then the Audit Committee shall recommend suitable punitive action as provided under Clause 7 to the Board.
- VII. The Company on becoming aware of the matter related to leak or suspected leak of UPSI shall immediately report the same to SEBI. Further the result of investigation conducted into the said matter shall also be promptly disclosed to SEBI.

11. POWERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The Chairman or Managing Director of the Company, subject to approval of the Board, is severally authorized to amend or modify this Code in whole or in part.

The Board of Directors may stipulate further guidelines, procedures and rules, from time to time, to ensure fair disclosure of unpublished price sensitive information.

12. PROTECTION TO THE INFORMANT

The Company shall provide suitable protection to the informant, who has provided information to the Board under Chapter IIIA of SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015, against any discharge, termination, demotion, suspension, threats, harassment, directly or indirectly or discrimination irrespective of whether the information is considered or rejected by the Board or he/she is eligible for reward under these regulations.

13. DISCLOSURES

This Code shall be published on the official website of the Company.

Subsequent modification(s) / amendment(s) to SEBI (Prevention of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015 shall automatically apply to this Code.

**APPENDIX A
PRE CLERANCE APPLICATION FORM**

To,
The Compliance Officer
CSL Finance Limited
716-717, 7th Floor,
World Trade Tower,
Sector-16, Noida, U.P.-201301

Sub: Application for Pre-dealing approval in securities of the Company

Dear Sir/Madam,
Pursuant to the SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015 and CSL Finance Limited Code of Practices and Procedures for Fair Disclosure of Unpublished Price Sensitive Information and Code of Conduct for Regulating, Monitoring and Reporting of Trading by Insiders, ("**Code**"), seek approval to purchase/ sale / subscription/dealing of securities of the Company as per details given below:

S. No.	Particulars	
1	Name	
2	Designation, Department & Employee Code	
3	Number of securities held as on date	
4	Folio No. / DP ID / Client ID No.	
5	The proposal is for	Sale <input type="checkbox"/> Purchase <input type="checkbox"/> Subscription <input type="checkbox"/> Others <input type="checkbox"/>
6	Proposed date of dealing in securities	

7	Estimated number of securities proposed to	
8	Price at which the Transaction is proposed	
9	Current market price (as on the date of application)	
10	Whether the proposed transaction will be through stock exchange or off-market deal	
11	Folio No. /DP ID / Client ID No. where the securities will be credited / debited	

I enclose herewith the form of undertaking signed by me.

Yours faithfully

(Signature)

DECLARATION AND UNDERTAKING

I _____ of the company residing at _____, am desirous of dealing in the securities of the company as mentioned in my application dated _____ for pre-clearance of the transaction.

I further declare and undertake that:

a) I am not in possession of or otherwise privy to any unpublished Price Sensitive Information (as defined in the Company's Code up to the time of signing this Undertaking.

b) In the event that I have access to or received any information that could be construed as "Unpublished Price Sensitive Information" as defined in the Code, after the signing of this undertaking but before executing the transaction for which approval is sought, I shall inform the Compliance Officer of the same and shall completely refrain from dealing in the securities of the Company until such information becomes public.

c) I have not contravened the provisions of the Code as notified by the Company from time to time.

d) I shall submit the necessary report within two working days of execution of the transaction incase transaction is executed and within two working days from the date of expiry of seven trading days from the date of pre clearance approval in case transaction is not undertaken.

e) If approval is granted, I shall execute the deal within 7 trading days of the receipt of approval failing which I shall seek pre-clearance.

f) I have made full and true disclosure in the matter.

Date:

Signature:

**APPENDIX B
PRE- CLEARANCE APPROVAL**

To,
Name: _____
Designation: _____
Place: _____

This is to inform you that your request for dealing in (nos.) shares of the Company as mentioned in your application dated is approved. Please note that the said transaction must be completed on or before (date) that is within Seven (7) days from today.

In case you do not execute the approved transaction /deal on or before the aforesaid date you would have to seek fresh pre-clearance before executing any transaction/deal in the securities of the Company. Further, you are required to file the details of the executed transactions in the attached format within 2 days from the date of transaction/deal. In case the transaction is not undertaken a 'Nil' report shall be filed.

For CSL Finance Limited

Compliance Officer

Date: _____

Encl: Format for submission of details of transaction

APPENDIX C**SUBMISSION OF DETAILS OF TRANSACTION EXECUTED UNDER PRE- CLEARANCE APPROVAL**

To,
The Compliance Officer
CSL Finance Limited
716-717, 7th Floor,
World Trade Tower,
Sector-16, Noida, U.P.-201301

I hereby inform that:

- (i) Have not bought/sold/subscribed the securities of the Company.
- (ii) Have bought/sold/subscribed the securities of the Company as per the following details:

Name of holder	No. of securities dealt with	Bought/sold/subscribed	DP ID/Client ID / Folio No	Price (Rs.)

In connection with the aforesaid transaction(s), I hereby undertake to preserve, for a period of 3 years and produce to the Compliance officer / SEBI any of the following documents:

- (i) Broker's contract note.
- (ii) Proof of payment to/from brokers.
- (iii) Extract of bank passbook/statement (to be submitted in case of demat transactions).

(iv) Copy of delivery instruction slip (applicable in case of sale transaction).

I agree to hold the above securities for a minimum period of six months. In case there is any urgent need to sell these securities within the said period, I shall approach the Compliance Officer for necessary approval. *(applicable in case of purchase / subscription)*.

I hereby declare that the above information is correct and no provisions of the Company's Code and/or the applicable laws/regulations have been contravened for effecting the aforesaid transaction(s).

Date:

Name:

Designation:

Signature

APPENDIX D

Declaration Form for submission of details of Immediate Relatives and others

(Refer clause 6(2) of the Code of Prevention of Insider Trading)

The Compliance Officer,
CSL Finance Limited

A) I hereby declare that the following persons are my "**Immediate Relatives**" as on 31.03.____/____ (date of joining/ date of implementation of the code on insider trading/ date of end of the financial year/ date of change since the last disclosure- strike off whichever is not applicable):

Sl. No.	Name of the Immediate Relative	Relationship of Immediate Relative with self	State whether immediate relative is FD (financially Dependent)/ TR (Trading decision taken by self)	PAN (Permanent Account Number) or any other identifier authorised by law	Phone numbers and cell numbers which are used by them
1					
2					
3					
4					

NOTE:

****immediate relative**” means a spouse of a person, and includes parents, siblings, and child of such person or of the spouse, any of whom is either dependent financially on such person, or consults such person in taking decisions relating to trading in securities;

It is clarified that spouse of a person will be considered immediate relative, irrespective of whether he/she is financially dependent or not or consults such person in taking decisions relating to trading in securities or not.

B) I hereby declare that the following persons with whom I share **“material financial relationship”** as on 31.03.____/ __ (date of joining/ date of implementation of the code on insider trading/ date of end of the financial year/ date of change since the last disclosure- strike off whichever is not applicable):

Persons with whom such designated persons shares a material financial relationship

Sl. No.	Name of the person with whom material financial relationship shared	Relationship with self	PAN (Permanent Account Number) or any other identifier authorised by law	Phone numbers and cell numbers which are used by them
1				
2				
3				
4				

#The term of “material financial relationship” shall mean a relationship in which one person is a recipient of any kind of payment such as by way of loan or gift during the immediately preceding twelve months, equivalent to at least 25% of the payer’s annual income and shall exclude relationships in which the payment is based on arm’s length transaction.

C) Name of the educational Institute from where I have Graduated

D) Name of Past Employers#

Sl. No.	Name of the Employer	Designation	Period of Employment
1			
2			
3			
4			

#Use Additional Sheet if required

Date



CIN: L74899DL1992PLC051462

Signature

Name.....

Category

(Promoter, Promoter Group, Director, Employee/ retainer of CSL Finance Limited / Employee of Subsidiary Co. (name of Sub. Co. _____, others, _____ (please specify))

Designation

Employee Code

Department

Location.....

Residential Address.....

FORM A
Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015
[Regulation 7(1)(a) read with Regulation 6(2)]

Name of the company: _____

ISIN of the company: _____

Details of Securities held by Promoter, Member of Promoter Group, Key Managerial Personnel (KMP), Director and other such persons as mentioned in Regulation 6(2)

Name, PAN No., CIN/DIN & address with contact nos.	Category of Person (Promoter, Member of Promoter Group, Key Managerial Personnel (KMP), Director /others etc.)	Securities held as on the date of regulation coming into force		% of Shareholding	Open Interest of the Future Contracts held as on the date of regulation coming into force		Open Interest of the Option Contracts held as on the date of regulation coming into force	
		Type of security (For eg.-Shares, Warrants, Convertible Debentures etc.)	No.		Number of units (contracts* lot size)	Notional value in Rupee terms	Number of units (contracts*lot size)	Notional value in Rupee terms
1	2	3	4	5	6		7	

Note: "Securities" shall have the meaning as defined under regulation 2(1)(i) of SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015.

Signature:

Designation:

Date:

Place:

FORM B

**Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015
[Regulation 7(1)(b) readwith Regulation 6(2)]**

Name of the company: _____

ISIN of the company: _____

Details of Securities held on appointment of Key Managerial Personnel (KMP) or Director or upon becoming a Promoter or member of promoter group of a listed company and other such persons as mentioned in Regulation 6(2).

Name, PAN No., CIN/DIN & Address with contact nos.	Category of Person (Promoters/ KMP / Directors / member of promoter group others etc.)	Date of appointment of Director /KMP OR Date of becoming Promoter or member of promoter group	Securities held at the time of becoming Promoter or member of promoter group /appointment of Director/KMP		% of Shareholding	Open Interest of the Future contracts held at the time of becoming Promoter or member of promoter group /appointment of Director/KMP		Open Interest of the Option Contracts held at the time of becoming Promoter or member of promoter group /appointment of Director/KMP	
			Type of security (For eg. - Shares, Warrants, Convertible Debentures etc.)	No.		Number of units (contracts *lot size)	Notional value in Rupee terms	Number of units (contracts *lot size)	Notional value in Rupee terms
1	2	3	4	5	6	7		8	

Note: "Securities" shall have the meaning as defined under regulation 2(1)(i) of SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015.

Signature:

Designation:

Date:

Place

FORM C

Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015 [Regulation 7 (2) read with Regulation 6(2)]

Name of the company: _____

ISIN of the company: _____

Details of change in holding of Securities of promoter, member of the promoter group, designated person and director of listed company and other such persons as mentioned in Regulation 7(2).

Name, PAN, CIN/DIN & Address with contact nos.	Category of Person (Promoter, member of the promoter group, designated person and director / others etc.)	Securities held prior to acquisition/disposal		Securities acquired/ disposed				Securities held post acquisition/disposal		Date of allotment advice/ acquisition of shares/ sale of shares specify		Date of intimation to Company	Mode of acquisition/disposal (on market/ public/ rights/ preferential offer/ off market/ inter-se transfer, ESOPs etc.)
		Type of Security (For e.g.- Shares, Warrants, Convertible Debentures etc.)	No. &% of shareholding	Type of Security (For e.g.- Shares, Warrants, Convertible Debentures etc.)	No.	Value (in Rs.)	Transaction Type (Buy/Sale/Pledge/Revoke/Invoke)	Type of Security (For e.g.- Shares, Warrants, Convertible Debentures etc.)	No. &% of shareholding	From	To		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14

Note: "Securities" shall have the meaning as defined under regulation 2(1)(i) of SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015.

Details of trading in derivatives of the company by promoter, member of the promoter group, designated person and director of a listed company and other such persons as mentioned in Regulation 6(2).

Trading in derivatives (Specify type of contract, Futures or Options etc)						Exchange on which the trade was executed
Type of contract	Contract Specifications	Buy		Sell		
		Notional Value	Number of units (contracts * lot size)	Notional Value	Number of units (contracts * lot size)	
NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

Note: In case of Options, notional value shall be calculated based on Premium plus strike price of options.

Signature:
 Designation:
 Date:
 Place:

Form D
Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading)
Regulations, 2015
Regulation 7(3) - Transactions by Other connected persons as identified by the
Company

Name, PAN No., CIN/DIN & address of connected persons, as identified by the company with contact nos.	Connection with company)	Securities held prior to acquisition/disposal		Securities acquired/Disposed		% of shareholding		Date of allotment advice/acquisition of shares/sale of shares specify		Date of intimation to company	Mode of acquisition (market purchase/ public/ rights/ preferential offer / off market/ Inter-se transfer etc.)	Trading in derivatives (Specify type of contract, Futures or Options etc)				Exchange on which the trade was executed		
		Type of security (For eg. - Shares, Warrants, Convertible Debentures etc.)	No.	Type of security (For eg. - Shares, Warrants, Convertible Debentures etc.)	No.	Pre transaction	Post transaction	From	To			Buy	Sell	Value	Number of units (contracts *lot size)		Value	Number of units (contracts *lot size)
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8			9	10	11	12		13	14

Note: "Securities" shall have the meaning as defined under regulation 2(1)(i) of SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015.

Name:

Signature:

Date:

Place: