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No. ROC/D/Adj Order/454/Adglobal/137/<u>/34</u>28-1<del>3217</del>Dated <u>26</u> Nov., 2020 /3 433

ADJUDICATION ORDER OF PENALTIES UNDER SECTION 454(3) OF THE COMPANIES ACT. 2013 READ WITH RULE OF 3 COMPANIES (ADJUDICATION OF PENALTIES) RULES. 2014 AS AMENDED BY COMPANIES (ADJUDICATION OF PENALTIES) AMENDMENT RULES, 2019 IN THE MATTER OF NON-COMPLIANCE OF THE PROVISIONS OF SUB-SECTION (1) OF SECTION 137 OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013.

In respect of:

Adglobal360 India Private Limited (CIN U74900DL2010PTC200449)

### 1. Appointment of Adjudicating Officer:

Ministry of Corporate Affairs vide its Gazette Notification No. A-42011/112/2014-Ad.II, dated 24.03.2015 (*See SO 831(E), dated 24.03.2015*) appointed undersigned as Adjudicating Officer in exercise of the powers conferred by section 454(1) of the Companies Act, 2013 (*herein after known as Act*) r/w Companies (Adjudication of Penalties) Rules, 2014 for adjudging penalties under the provisions of this Act. The undersigned vide Companies (Amendment) Ordinance, 2019 is entrusted to adjudicate penalties under section 137 of the Companies Act, 2013 with effect from 02.11.2018.

# 2. Company:

Adglobal360 India Private Limited (*herein after known as 'company*) is a registered company with this office under the provisions of section 7 of the Companies Act, 2013 having its registered office as per MCA21 Registry at address c/o Jugraj Singh Bedi, 1250 Ground Floor, Mukherjee Nagar, North West Delhi-110009.

#### 3. Facts about the Case:

- a) Sub section (1) of section 137 of the Act *inter alia* provides that a copy of the financial statements, including consolidated financial statement, if any, along with all the documents which are required to be or attached to such financial statements under this Act, duly adopted at the annual general meeting of the company, shall be filed with the Registrar within thirty days of the date of annual general meeting in such manner, with such fees or additional fees as may be prescribed.
- b) In the instant case, the company alongwith its directors have *suo-moto* filed application vide eform GNL-1 (SRN R33651936) for adjudication of penalty under the provisions of section 454 of the Act and rules thereunder and stated therein *inter alia* that:-
  - For the financial year ended on 31.03.2019, the Annual General Meeting (AGM) should have been held on or before 30.09.2019. However, the company has its AGM on 21.11.2019.

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- The Annual General Meeting for the Financial Year 2018-19 was held on 21.11.2019 and in the said AGM the audited accounts for adoption by its shareholders were placed.
- The company has filed its financial statement with the Registrar vide SRN R33002502 dated 13.02.2020.
- The company has prayed to pass an order for adjudicating the penalty for violation of the provisions of section 137 of the Act.
- c) The provisions of section 454(3) of the Act and rules made thereunder *inter alia* stipulate the manner for adjudging penalties for non-compliance of the relevant provisions of this Act. Accordingly, in the interest of natural justice, before imposing the penalty on the company, the officer who is in default, or any other person, as the case may be, a reasonable opportunity of being heard was given to them by issuing a Notice for Hearing under sub-section 4 of Section 454 the Act.
- d) Shri Shashi Sharma, Chartered Accountant attended the virtual hearing on behalf of the applicants on 17.11.2020 via WhatsApp Video Call and orally submitted that the company has complied with the provisions of section 137(1) of the Act by filing its due financial statement as at 31.03.2019 on 13.02.2020.
- e) He prayed for adjudicating the penalty for such violation of section 137 of the Act.

### 4. Provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 provides:

Section 137(1) of the Act provides *inter alia* provides that a copy of the financial statements, including consolidated financial statement, if any, along with all the documents which are required to be or attached to such financial statements under this Act, duly adopted at the annual general meeting of the company, shall be filed with the Registrar within thirty days of the date of annual general meeting in such manner, with such fees or additional fees as may be prescribed.

**Sub-section (3) of section 137 of the Act provides** that if a company fails to file the copy of the financial statements under sub-section (1) or sub-section (2), as the case may be, before the expiry of the period specified therein, the company shall be liable to a penalty of one thousand rupees for every day during which the failure continues but which shall not be more than ten lakh rupees, and the Managing Director and the Chief Financial Officer of the company, if any, and, in the absence of the Managing Director and the Chief Financial Officer, any other director who is charged by the Board with the responsibility of complying with the provisions of this section, and, in the absence of any such director, all the directors of the company, shall be liable to a penalty of one thousand rupees for each day after the first during which such failure continues, subject to a maximum of five lakh rupees.

# 5. ORDER:

a. The company and its officers in default have admitted the default of the provisions of section 137(1) of the Act for filing its due Financial Statement

for the Financial Year 2018-19 with a delay of **53 days** making themselves liable for penalties under section 137(3) of the Act.

b. In exercise of the powers conferred on me vide Notification dated 24<sup>th</sup> March, 2015 and having considered the facts and circumstances of the case besides written and oral submissions made by the representative of Noticee(s) at the time of hearing and after taking into account the factors mentioned in the relevant Rules, I do hereby impose the penalty on the company and its officers in default as per table below for violation of section 137(1) of the Act:-

Violation for the Financial Year	Penalty impo company director	y/	Period of Violation	Fixed Penalty (In Rs.)	Total Penalty (In Rs.)
2018-19	On company		21.12.2019 to	N.A.	1,000×53=53,000
	Mandeep	Singh,	12.02.2020	1,00,000	100×53=5,300+1,00,000=
	Director				1,05,300
	Rakesh	Yadav,	-	1,00,000	100×53=5,300+1,00,000=
	Director				1,05,300
	Nirdesh	Kumar		1,00,000	100×53=5,300+1,00,000=
	Chahal, Direc	tor			1,05,300

- c. I am of the opinion that penalty so imposed is commensurate with the aforesaid failure committed by the Noticee(s).
- d. The Noticee(s) shall pay the penalty so imposed through Ministry of Corporate Affairs portal only.
- e. Appeal against this order may be filed in writing with the Regional Director (Northern Region), Ministry of Corporate Affairs, B-2, Wing, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Pt.

Deendayal antyodaya Bhawan, CGO Complex, New Delhi-110003, within a period of sixty days from the date of receipt of this order, in Form ADJ setting forth the grounds of appeal and shall be accompanied by a certified copy of this order. [Section 454 of the Act read with Companies (Adjudication of Penalties) Rules, 2014 as emended by Companies (Adjudication of Penalties) Amendment Rules, 2019].

- f. Your attention is also invited to section 454(8) of the Act regarding consequences of non-payment of penalty within the prescribed time limit.
- g. In terms of the provisions of sub-rule (9) of Rule 3 of Companies (Adjudication of Penalties) Rules, 2014 as amended by Companies (Adjudication of Penalties) Amendment Rules, 2019, copy of this order is being sent to Adglobal360 India Private Limited, Mandeep Singh, Director, Rakesh Yadav, Director and Nirdesh Kumar Chahal, Director also to Office of the Regional Director (Northern Region), Ministry of Corporate Affairs at New Delhi.

Place: New Delhi. Dated: 26 11. 2020. Hum

(SANTOSH KUMAR) (**ADJUDICATION OFFICER**) Registrar of Companies, NCT of Delhi & Haryana

Τo,

 Adglobal360 India Private Limited, C/o Jugraj Singh Bedi, 1250, Ground Floor, Dr. Mukherjee Nagar, North West Delhi-110009.

(By Registered Post and at the e-mail address of the company with the request to serve a copy or order on all the directors of the company).

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- 2. Mr. Mandeep Suingh, Director C/o Jugraj Singh Bedi, 1250, Ground Floor, Dr. Mukherjee Nagar, North West Delhi-110009
- 3. Mr. Rakesh Yadav, Director r/o D-17-B, Meera marg, Jaipur-302016, Rajasthan.
- Mr. Nirdesh Kumar Chahal, Director r/o flat No. 703, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor, BLK C2A, PKT-2, Sector-18-B, Dwarka, New Delhi-110078.

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- Joint Director, Legal, Ministry of Corporate Affairs, in compliance to Rule
  3(9) of Companies (Adjudication of Penalties) Rules, 2014.
- > Office copy.
- E-mail to content Manager for publication on Ministry's website with a copy to Regional Director (Northern Region) at New Delhi.