# MANGALAM CEMENT LIMITED

# CODE OF CONDUCT UNDER SEBI (PROHIBITION OF INSIDER TRADING) REGULATIONS, 2015

#### CODE OF CONDUCT TO REGULATE, MONITOR AND REPORT TRADING BY DESIGNATED PERSONS AND THEIR IMMEDIATE RELATIVES

#### 1. INTRODUCTION AND APPLICABILITY

Pursuant to Regulation 9 of Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015 and Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) (Amendment) Regulations, 2018, all listed companies are required to implement a Code of Conduct to regulate, monitor and report trading by its designated persons and immediate relatives of designated persons towards achieving the compliance with the aforementioned regulations.

This Code of Conduct may be known as "MCL" Code of Conduct for Prohibition of Insider Trading" (herein after referred to as the "Code of Conduct"). The Code has been designed to enhance the standards of governance and comply with the stated regulation.

## **Applicability:**

The following designated persons have been covered under this Code of Conduct on the basis of their role and function and the access that such role and function would provide to Unpublished Price Sensitive Information (UPSI) in addition to seniority and professional designation:

- 1. Promoter and Promoter Group;
- 2. Directors;
- 3. Company Secretary and Chief Financial Officer;
- 4. Connected Persons as defined in the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015;
- 5. Employees of the company, intermediary or fiduciary designated on the basis of their functional role or access to unpublished price sensitive information in the organization by their board of directors;
- 6. All promoters who are individuals or investment companies for intermediaries or fiduciaries;
- 7. Employees up to two levels below Chief Financial Officer of the company, intermediary, fiduciary irrespective of their functional role in the company or ability to have access to unpublished price sensitive information;
- 8. Any support staff of the company, intermediary or fiduciary such as IT staff or secretarial staff who have access to unpublished price sensitive information.

## 2. <u>DEFINITIONS:</u>

- **1.** "Act" means the Securities and Exchange Board of India Act, 1992 and any amendments thereto;
- 2. "Board" means the Securities and Exchange Board of India;

- 3. "Board of Directors" means the Board of Directors of Mangalam Cement Limited;
- 4. "Code of Conduct" shall mean this Code of Conduct as amended from time to time;
- 5. "Company" means Mangalam Cement Limited;
- 6. "Companies Act" means Companies Act, 2013 and the Rules made there under and anyamendments thereto;
- 7. "Compliance Officer" means Company Secretary or such other senior officer, designated so and reporting to the board of directors or head of the organization in case board of directors is not there, who is financially literate and is capable of appreciating requirements for legal and regulatory compliance under these regulations 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 listed company.
- 8. "Connected Person" means:
  - i. any person who is or has during six months prior to the concerned act been associated with the Company, directly or indirectly, in any capacity 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 any employee of the Company or holds any position including professional or business relationship between himself and the Company whether temporary or permanent, that allows such 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) an immediate relative of connected persons specified in 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 ordirector thereof; or
    - (d) an investment company, trustee company, asset management company or anemployee 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 employeethereof; 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 authorised by the Board of directors; or
- (i) a banker of the Company; or
- a concern, firm, trust, Hindu Undivided Family, company or association of persons wherein a director of a company or his immediate relative or banker of the Company, has more than ten percent of the holding or Interest;
- 9. "Designated Person(s)" means:
  - i. All promoters and members of the promoter group of the Company;
  - ii. Members of the Board of Directors of the Company;
  - iii. Company Secretary, Chief Financial Officer;
  - iv. Auditors of the Company;
  - v. All employees of the Accounts, Finance, Legal & Secretarial Department of the Company;
  - vi. Employees up to two levels below of Chief Financial Officer of the Company irrespective of their functional role in the company or ability to have access to unpublished price sensitive information;
  - vii. Any support staff of the Company, such as IT staff or secretarial staff, Legal Staff, Finance Staff who have access to unpublished price sensitive information;
  - viii. Person in possession of or having access to unpublished price sensitive information.
- **10. "Fiduciary"** shall mean professional firms such as auditors, accountancy firms, law firms, analysts, insolvency professional entities, consultants, banks, etc. assisting or advising listed companies.
- 11. "Generally available information" means information that is accessible to the public on a non-discriminatory basis;(Information published on the website of a stock exchange, would ordinarily be considered generally available.)
- 12. "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;

Note: It is intended that the immediate relatives of a "connected person" too become connected persons for purposes of these regulations. Indeed, this is a rebuttable presumption.

- 13. "Insider" means a person who is:
  - i. a connected person; or
  - ii. in possession of or having access to unpublished price sensitive information;
- **14.** "Key Managerial Person or "KMP" means person as defined in Section 2(51) of the Companies Act, 2013 as amended from time to time;
- **15.** "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, provided that such sharing has not been carried out to evade or circumvent the prohibition of these regulations.
- **16 "Promoter"** shall have the meaning assigned to it under the Securities and Exchange Board ofIndia (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018 or any modification thereof;
- **17. "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 orany modification thereof;
- **18 "Regulations"** mean the SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015 and any amendment thereto;
- **19.** "**Relatives**" means a person, as defined in Section 2 (77) of the Companies Act, 2013 and anyother amendments thereto;
- **20.** "Securities" shall have the meaning assigned to it under the Securities Contracts (Regulation) Act, 1956 (42 of 1956) or any modification thereof;
- 21. "Specified" means specified by SEBI in writing;
- 22 "Takeover Regulations" means the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011 and any amendments thereto;)
- **23. "Trading"** means and includes subscribing, buying, selling, dealing or agreeing to subscribe, buy, sell, deal in any securities, and "trade" shall be construed accordingly;

- 24. "Trading day" means a day on which recognized stock exchange are open for trading;
- **25.** "Unpublished Price Sensitive Information" 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 include 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 the key managerial personnel; and
  - vi. material events in accordance with the listing regulations.

#### 3. <u>ROLE OF COMPLIANCE OFFICER</u>

- 1. The Compliance Officer shall report on insider trading to the Board of Directors of the Company and in particular, shall provide reports to the Chairman of the Audit Committee, if any, or to the Chairman of the Board of Directors at such frequency as may be stipulated by the Board of Directors.
- 2. The Compliance Officer shall assist all employees in addressing any clarifications regarding the Securities & Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015 and the Company's Code of Conduct.

#### 4. <u>COMMUNICATION OF UNPUBLISHED PRICE SENSITIVE INFORMATION:</u>

- 1. All information shall be handled within the Company on a need-to-know basis and no unpublished price sensitive information shall be communicated to any person except in furtherance of the insider's legitimate purposes, performance of duties or discharge of hislegal obligations.
- 2. An unpublished price sensitive information may be 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 of directors is of informed opinion that 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 of directors is of informed opinion that sharing

of such information is in the best interests of the company and the information that constitute unpublished pricesensitive 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 of directorsmay determine and it shall be adequate and fair to cover all relevant and material facts.

- 3. The board of directors 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 and shall not otherwise trade in securities of the company when in possession of unpublished price sensitive information.
- 4. The board of directors or head(s) of the organisation of every person required to handle unpublished price sensitive information shall ensure that a structured digital database is maintained. Such database shall not be outsourced and shall be maintained internally with adequate internal controls and checks such as time stamping and audittrails to ensure non-tampering of the database.
- 5. The board of directors or head(s) of the organisation of every person required to handle unpublished price sensitive information shall ensure that the structured digital database is preserved for a period of not less than eight years after completion of the relevant transactions and in the event of receipt of any information from the Board regarding any investigation or enforcement proceedings, the relevant information in the structured digital database shall be preserved till the completion of such proceedings.

#### Need to Know:

- i. "need to know" basis means that Unpublished Price Sensitive Information should be disclosed only to those within the Company who need the information to discharge their duty and whose possession of such information will not give rise to a conflict of interest or appearance of misuse of the information.
- ii. All non-public information directly received by any employee should immediately be reported to the head of the department.
- iii. Limited access to confidential information Files containing confidential information shall be kept secure. Computer files must have adequate security of login and password, etc.

### 5. <u>TRADING WHEN IN POSSESSION OF UNPUBLISHED PRICE SENSITIVE</u> <u>INFORMATION</u>

1. No insider shall trade in securities when in possession of unpublished price sensitive information:

When a person who has traded in securities has been in possession of unpublished price sensitive information, his trades would be presumed to have been motivated by the knowledge and awareness of such information in his possession.

Provided that the insider may prove his innocence by demonstrating the circumstances including the following: –

(i) the transaction is an off-market *inter-se* transfer between [insiders] who were in possession of the same unpublished price sensitive information without being in breach of regulation 3 and both parties had made a conscious and informed trade decision.

Provided further that such off-market trades shall be reported by the insiders to the company within two working days. Every company shall notify the particulars of such trades to the stock exchange on which the securities are listed within two trading days from receipt of the disclosure or from becomingaware of such information.

- (ii) the transaction was carried out through the block deal window mechanism between persons who were in possession of the unpublished price sensitive information without being in breach of regulation 3 and both parties had madea conscious and informed trade decision;
- (iii) the transaction in question was carried out pursuant to a statutory or regulatoryobligation to carry out a bona fide transaction.
- (iv) the transaction in question was undertaken pursuant to the exercise of stock options in respect of which the exercise price was pre-determined in compliance with applicable regulations.
- (v) in the case of non-individual insiders:
  - a) the individuals who were in possession of such unpublished price sensitive information were different from the individuals taking trading decisions and such decision-making individuals were not in possession of such unpublished price sensitive information when they took the decision to trade; and
  - appropriate and adequate arrangements were in place to ensure that these regulations are not violated and no unpublished price sensitive information was communicated by the individuals possessing the information to the individuals taking trading decisions and there is no evidence of such arrangements having been breached;

- c) the trades were pursuant to a trading plan set up in accordance with regulation 6.
- 2. In the case of connected persons the onus of establishing, that they were not in possession of unpublished price sensitive information, shall be on such connected persons and in othercases, the onus would be on the Board.
- 3. The Board may specify such standards and requirements, from time to time, as it maydeem necessary for the purpose of these regulations.

### 6. TRADING PLANS

- 1. An insider shall be entitled to formulate a trading plan and present it to the compliance officer for approval and public disclosure pursuant to which trades may be carried outon his behalf in accordance with such plan.
- 2. Trading plan shall:-
- (i) not entail commencement of trading on behalf of the insider earlier than six months from the public disclosure of the plan;
- (ii) not entail trading for the period between the twentieth trading day prior to the last day ofany financial period for which results are required to be announced by the issuer of the securities and the second trading day after the disclosure of such financial results;
- (iii) entail trading for a period of not less than twelve months;
- (iv) not entail overlap of any period for which another trading plan is already in existence;
- (v) set out either the value of trades to be effected or the number of securities to be traded along with the nature of the trade and the intervals at, or dates on which such trades shallbe effected; and
- (vi) not entail trading in securities for market abuse.
- 3. 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 as per the provisions of the Regulations.
- 4. The trading plan once approved shall be irrevocable and the insider shall mandatorily have to implement the plan, without being entitled to either deviate from it or to execute any trade in the securities outside the scope of the trading plan. However, the implementation of the trading plan shall not be commenced,

if at the time of formulation of the plan, the Insider is in possession of any unpublished price sensitive information and the said information has not become generally available at the time of the commencement of implementation. The commencement of the plan shall be deferred until such unpublished price sensitive information becomes generally available information.

Further, the Insider shall also not be allowed to deal in securities of the Company, if the date of trading in securities of the Company, as per the approved Trading Plan, coincides with the date of closure of Trading Window announced by the Compliance Officer.

5. Upon approval of the trading plan, the compliance officer shall notify the plan to the stockexchanges on which the securities are listed.

#### 7. TRADING WINDOW AND ITS CLOSURE

- 1. Designated persons may execute trades subject to compliance with these regulations. Towards this end, a notional trading window shall be used as an instrument of monitoring trading by the designated persons. The trading window shall be closed 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. Such closure shall be imposed in relation to such securities to which such unpublished price sensitive information relates. Designated persons and their immediate relatives shall not trade in securities when the trading window is closed.
- 2. Trading restriction period shall be made applicable from the end of every quarter till 48 hours after the declaration of financial results.
- 3. The gap between clearance of accounts by audit committee and board meeting should be as narrow as possible and preferably on the same day to avoid leakage of material information.
- 4. When the trading window is open, trading by designated persons shall be subject to pre-clearance by the compliance officer, if the value of the proposed trades is above such thresholds as stipulated by the board of directors.

#### **Pre-clearance of trades**.

1. Designated Persons shall require prior clearance from the Compliance Officer in respect of purchase/sale of securities of the Company, where the deal is exceeding minimum threshold limit of 10,000 shares or where the transaction value of the Securities intended to be traded exceeds Rs. 10 Lakh (market value) (purchase/sale consideration) during a Calendar Quarter (either in one transaction or in a series of transactions). Such purchase/sale of securities by the Compliance Officer shall require prior clearance from the Chairman or from such other person as may be decided by the Board of Directors of the company from time to

time. An application for pre-clearance and undertaking shall be submitted to the Compliance Officer.

- 2. Prior to approving any trades, the compliance officer shall be entitled to seek declarations to the effect that the applicant for pre-clearance is not in possession of any unpublished price sensitive information. He shall also have regard to whether any such declaration is reasonably capable of being rendered inaccurate.
- 3. The trades that have been pre-cleared shall be executed by the designated person in not more than seven trading days, failing which fresh pre-clearance would be needed for the trades to be executed.
- 4. The code of conduct shall specify the period, which in any event shall not be less than six months, within which a designated person who is permitted to trade shall not execute a contra trade. The compliance officer may be empowered to grant relaxation from strict application of such restriction for reasons to be recorded in writing provided that such relaxation does not violate these regulations. Should 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 the Board for credit to the Investor Protection and Education Fund administered by the Board under the Act.

Provided that this shall not be applicable for trades pursuant to exercise of stock options.

- 5. Provided that pre-clearance of trades shall not be required for a trade executed as per an approved trading plan.
- 6. For the purpose of pre-clearance, an application shall be made to the Compliance Officer.
- 7. An undertaking, shall be executed in favour of the Company by such designated person incorporating, inter alia, the following clauses, as may be applicable:
  - a. That the designated person does not have any access to or has not received any Price sensitive information up to the time of signing the undertaking.
  - b. That in case the designated person has access to or receives Price sensitive information after the signing of the undertaking but before the execution of the transaction, the designated person shall inform the compliance officer of the change in his position and that he/she would completely refrain from dealing in the securities of the Company till the time such information becomes public.

- c. That he/she has not contravened the code as notified by the Company from time totime.
- d. That he/she has made a full and true disclosure in the matter.

### 8. DISCLOSURES OF TRADING BY INSIDERS.

#### **General Provisions.**

- 1. Every public disclosure under this part shall be made in such form as may be specified.
- 2. The disclosures to be made by any person under this part shall include those relating to trading by such person's immediate relatives, and by any other person for whom such person takes trading decisions.
- 3. The disclosures made under this part shall be maintained by the Company, for a minimumperiod of five years, in such form as may be specified.

#### 9. DISCLOSURES BY CERTAIN PERSONS.

#### 1. Initial Disclosures

a 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, to the company within seven days of such appointment or becoming a promoter.

#### 2. Continual Disclosures

- a Every promoter, member of the promoter group, designated person and director of every company shall disclose to the company the number of such securities acquired or disposed of within two trading days of such transaction 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 or such other value as maybe specified;
- b. Every company shall notify the particulars of such trading to the stock exchange on which the securities are listed within two trading days of receipt of the disclosure or from becoming aware of such information.
- c The above disclosures shall be made in such form and such manner as may be specified by the Board from time to time.

#### 3. Disclosures by other connected persons.

Any company whose securities are listed on a stock exchange 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 such form and at such frequency as may be determined by the company in order to monitor compliance with these regulations.

#### 4. Annual submissions

Designated persons shall be required to disclose names and Permanent Account Number or any other identifier authorized by law of the following persons to the company on an annual basis and as and when the information changes:

- 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, the names of educational institutions from which designated persons have graduated and names of their past employers shall also be disclosed on a one time basis.

#### 10. MECHANISM FOR PREVENTION OF INSIDER TRADING

In order to comply with the provisions of SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Regulations), 2015, the Board has approved and adopted the below measures for preventing insider trading:

 The Board of Directors shall formulate and publish on the official website of the Company, a code of practices and procedures for fair disclosure of unpublished price sensitive information that it would follow to adhere to each of the principles as set out under Schedule A of SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015 as amendedfrom time to time.

Every such code of practices and procedures for fair disclosure of unpublished price sensitive information and every amendment thereto shall be promptly intimated to the stock exchange.

2. The Chairman / Whole-time Director / Managing Director / CEO of the Company must ensure that there remains an adequate and effective system of internal controls in place which ensures compliance with the SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations including periodic process review to evaluate the effectiveness of such internal controls;

- 3. All the employees who have access to unpublished price sensitive information shall be identified as designated persons;
- 4. All the unpublished price sensitive information shall be identified and its confidentiality shall be maintained as per the requirements of aforementioned regulations.
- 5. Adequate restrictions shall be placed on communication or procurement of unpublished price sensitive information as required by the aforementioned regulations;
- 6. Lists of all employees and other persons with whom unpublished price sensitive information is shared shall be maintained and confidentiality agreements shall be signed or notice shall be served to all such employees and persons;
- 7. The Board of Directors must spread awareness amongst the insiders regarding the duties and responsibilities attached to the receipt of Inside Information, and the liability that attaches to misuse or unwarranted use of such information.
- 8. All other relevant requirements specified under the aforementioned regulations shall be complied with;
- 9. 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.
- 10. The compliance officer shall report to the board of directors and in particular, shall provide reports to the Chairman of the Audit Committee, if any, or to the Chairman of the board of directors at such frequency as may be stipulated by the board of directors but not less than once in a year.
- 11. If it is observed by the company that there has been a violation of aforementioned regulations, it shall inform the Board promptly.

#### 11. <u>INOUIRY IN CASE OF LEAK OR SUSPECTED LEAK OF UNPUBLISHED</u> <u>PRICE SENSITIVE INFORMATION (UPSI)</u>

#### **INTRODUCTION**

This Policy and Procedure for Inquiry in case of Leak or Suspected Leak of Unpublished Price Sensitive Information ("Policy") has been formulated by Mangalam Cement Ltd. in pursuance of Regulation 9A(5) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015 as amended ("Regulations").

#### **PURPOSE**

The Policy aims to provide a framework for inquiry in case of leak or suspected leak of Unpublished Price Sensitive Information. However, any instances of leak or suspected leak of Unpublished Price Sensitive Information reported under the Whistle Blower Policy of the company shall be dealt with as per and under the Whistle Blower Policy of the company.

#### **DEFINITIONS**

In this Policy, the following word and expression, unless inconsistent with the context, shall bear the meanings assigned hereto:

"Competent Authority" means:

- i. the Whole-time Director / Managing Director / CEO, in case of leak or suspected leak of UPSI involving any person other than the director(s) of the company;
- ii. the Chairperson of the Audit Committee of the company, in case of leak or suspected leak of UPSI involving any Director of the company other than the Chairperson of the Audit Committee of the company; and
- Chairperson of the board of directors of the company, in case of leak or suspectedleak of UPSI involving Chairperson of the Audit Committee of the company;

#### **INQUIRY PROCEDURE**

- i. The information/complaint(s) regarding leak or suspected leak of UPSI will be reviewed by the Competent Authority. If an initial review by the Competent Authority indicates that the said information/complaint has no basis or it is not a matter to be investigated under this Policy, it may be dismissed at initial stage and the decision shall be documented. All such cases shall be reported to the Audit Committee in its next meeting.
- ii. The Whole-time director of the company or the Chairperson of the Audit Committee or Chairperson of the board of directors may suo-moto initiate an inquiry under this Policy.
- iii. Where initial inquiry indicates that further investigation is necessary, the Competent Authority shall make further investigation in such matter and may, where necessary, provide an update to the board of directors in this regard. The Competent Authority may appoint one or more person(s)/entity (ies) (including external consultant(s)) to investigate or assist in the investigation of any instance of leak or suspected leak of UPSI and such person(s)/entity (ies) shall submit his/her/their report to the Competent Authority. During the course of investigation, the Competent Authority or the person(s)/entity (ies) appointed by the Competent Authority, as the case may be, may collect documents,

evidences and record statements of the person(s) concerned.

iv. The investigation shall be a neutral fact-finding process. The Competent Authority shall endeavor to complete the investigation within 45 days of the receipt of the information/complaint of leak or suspected leak of UPSI or such instance coming to the knowledge of Competent Authority, as the case may be. Where the Competent Authority requires additional time to compete the inquiry, it may, where necessary, provide an interim update to the board of directors.

#### **DOCUMENTATION AND REPORTING**

The Competent Authority will make a detailed written record of investigation of each instance of leak or suspected leak of UPSI. The record will include:

- a) Facts of the matter
- b) Findings of the investigation.
- c) Disciplinary/other action(s) to be taken against any person.
- d) Any corrective actions required to be taken.

The details of inquiries made in these cases and results of such inquiries shall be informed to the Audit Committee and board of directors of the company. Further, the company shall inform Securities and Exchange Board of India promptly of such leaks, inquiries and results of such inquiries.

#### AMENDMENT

The Board of Directors of the Company reserves the right to amend or modify this Policy in whole or in part, as it may deem appropriate.

#### 12. <u>CHINESE WALL PROCEDURE</u>

In order to prevent the scattering of confidential and price sensitive information, the Company has framed Chinese wall process separating the departments that receive and have access to UPSI from the departments related to Marketing, Sales, etc. that do not deal with UPSI.

#### **PRECAUTIONS:**

- (i) The department dealing with UPSI must not communicate in any way, through any medium the confidential and price sensitive information of the Company to the unauthorized department.
- (ii) The IT support staff of the Company must be directed periodically to keep the systems of the Company secure and password protected wherever needed;

- (iii) The UPSI should be handled on need to know basis. It should be disclosed only to those who require the information to discharge their duty and whose possession of such information will not give rise to a conflict of interest or appearance of misuse of the information.
- (iv) Any price sensitive information received by any employee, directly or indirectly should immediately be reported to the Compliance Officer, who shall take appropriate actions as needed.
- (v) In exceptional circumstances employees from the public areas may be brought "over the wall" and given confidential information on the basis of "need to know" criteria, under intimation to the Compliance Officer.

#### **CROSSING THE WALL:**

Under exceptional circumstances, where employees from other department require confidential information, they may be allowed to cross the wall, within the purview of giving the information on need to know basis and with complete intimation to the Compliance Officer of the Company, who shall supervise the same.

#### 13. PENALTY FOR CONTRAVENTION OF THIS CODE OF CONDUCT.

- i. Every Designated person shall be individually responsible for complying with the provisions of the Code (including to the extent the provisions here of are applicable to his/her Immediate Relatives).
- ii. Any Designated person who trades in Securities or communicates any information for trading in Securities, in contravention of this Code will be penalized and appropriate action may be taken as decided by the Board of Directors.
- iii. Designated Persons who violate the Code shall also be subject to disciplinary action by the Company, which may include wage freeze, suspension, ineligibility for future participation in employee stock option plans, etc.
- iv. The action by the Company shall not preclude SEBI from taking any action in case of violation of SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015.

#### 14. <u>POLICY REVIEW:</u>

The Code may be reviewed by the Board of Directors and necessary amendments may be incorporated therein. All the provisions mentioned under this policy are subject to any amendments or modifications that maybe made in the applicable rules and regulations from time to time.

# FORM A

**SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015 [Regulation 7 (1) (a) read with Regulation 6 (2) – Initial disclosure to the company] (Part 9 (1) (a) read with Part 8of this Code of Conduct)** 

Name of the Company:\_\_\_\_\_

ISIN of the Company:\_\_\_

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

Name,	Category of Person	Securities held as on	the date	% of
PAN,	(Promoters/KMP/Directors	ofregulation coming	into	Shareholdin
CIN/DIN	/Immediate Relative	force		g
&	to/others etc.)			
Address				
withContact				
nos.				
		Type of Security	No.	
		(For e.g Shares,		
		Warrants,		
		Convertible		
		Debentures etc.)		
1	2	3	4	5

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

Details of Open Interest (OI) in derivatives of the company held by Promoter, Key Managerial Personnel (KMP), Director and other such persons as mentioned in Regulation 6 (2).

-	t of the Future Co of regulation c		Open Interest of the Option Contracts held as on the date of regulation coming intoforce			
Contract Specification s	Number of units (Contracts *Lot Size)	Notional Value in Rupee terms	Contract Specifications	Number of units (Contracts *Lot Size)	Notiona IValue in Rupee terms	
6	7	8	9	10	11	

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

Name & Signature: Designation:

Date: Place:

### FORM B

**SEBI** (**Prohibition of Insider Trading**) **Regulations, 2015** [Regulation 7(1) (b) read with Regulation 6 (2) – Disclosure on becoming a director/ KMP/Promoter] (Part 9 (1) (b) read with Part 8 of this Code of Conduct)

Name of the Company:\_\_\_\_\_

ISIN of the Company:

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

Name,	Category of	Date of	Securities held as on the	ne	% of
PAN,	Person	appointment of	dateof regulation comi		Sharehold
CIN/DIN	(Promoters/K	Director/KMP	into force	0	ing
&	MP/Directors/	or Date of			U
Address	Immediate	becoming			
withContact	Relative	Promoter			
nos.	to/others etc.)				
			Type of Security (For	No.	
			e.g Shares,		
			Warrants,		
			Convertible		
			Debentures		
			etc.)		
1	2	3	4	5	6

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

# Details of Open Interest (OI) in derivatives of the Company held an appointment of Key Managerial Personnel (KMP) or Director or upon becoming a Promoter of listed company and other such persons as mentioned in Regulation 6(2).

-	t of the Future Co of regulation c		Open Interest of the Option Contracts held as on the date of regulation coming intoforce			
Contract Specification s	Number of units (Contracts *Lot Size)	Notional Value in Rupee terms	Contract Specifications	Number of units (Contracts *Lot Size)	Notiona IValue in Rupee terms	
7	8	9	10	11	12	

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

Name & Signature: Designation:

Date: Place:

#### Form C

SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015 [Regulation 7(2) read with Regulation 6 (2) – Continual disclosure] (Part 9 (2) read with Part 8 of this Code of Conduct)

Name of the Company: \_\_\_\_\_ ISIN of the Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Details of change in holding of Securities of Promoter, Employee or Director of a listed company and other such persons as mentioned in Regulation 6(2).

Name ,PAN, CIN/ DIN, & addres s with contac t nos.	Con necti on with com pany	Securit heldpri acquisi disposa	or to tion/ ll	Securities acquired/dispos ed		heldpost all acquisition/ ad disposal qu ofs sal sha spe y		5	nent e/ac tion rres/ of s f	Date of intim ation to the com pany	Mode of acquisit ion/ disposal (on market/ p ublic/ri		
of other conne cted perso ns as identif ied by the Comp any		Type of securi ty (For eg. – Share s , Warr ants, Conv e rtible Debe ntures etc.)	No an d % of shar e hold ing	Type of Secur ity (for eg. – Share s, warra nts, conve r tible deben tur es etc.)	No	Va lue	Tran s actio n Type (Buy / Sale/ Pled ge/R evok e/nv oke)	Type of Sec urity (For eg. Sha res, Warra nts, Conve rtible Deben tures etc)	No an d % of sha reh old ing	From	То		g hts/Pref erential offer/of f market/ Interse transfer, ESOPs etc.)
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 ofInsider Trading) Regulations, 2015.

Details of trading in derivatives of the company by Promoter, Employee or Director of a listed company and other such persons as mentioned in Regulation 6(2).

Trading in	Trading in derivatives (Specify type of contract, Futures or Options etc)								
Type of Contrac	Contract Specificatio		Buy Sell						
	ns	Notiona lValue	Number of units (contracts * lot size)	Notiona IValue	Number of units (contracts *lot size)				
15	16	17	18	19	20	21			

*Note:* In case of Options, notional value shall be calculated based on Premium plus strikeprice of options. Name & Signature: Designation:

Date

:

Place:

### Form D

SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015 Regulation 7 (3) – Transactions by other connected persons as identified by the company (Part 9 (3) read with Part 8 of this Code of Conduct)

	Details	of tradi	ng in se	curities	connec	ted perso	ns as i	dentifi	ed by	the con	npany.		
Name	Con	Securit	ies	Securit	ies			Securiti	es	Date	of	Date	Mode
,PAN,	necti	heldpri	or to	acquire	d/c	lispos		heldpos	t	allotment		of	of
CIN/	on	acquisi	tion/	ed				acquisit	ion/	advic	e/ac	intim	acquisit
DIN,	with	disposa	ıl					disposal		quisi	tion	ation	ion/
&	com									ofsha	res/	to	disposal
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s with										share	S	com	market/
contac										speci	f	pany	р
t nos.										у			ublic/ri
of		Type	No	Type	Ν	Va	Tran	Туре	No	Fro	То		g
other		of		of	0	lue	S	of Sec		m			hts/Pref
conne		securi	an	Secur			actio	urity	an				erential
cted		ty	d	ity			n	(For	d				offer/of
perso		(For	% of	(for			Туре	eg.	%				f
ns as		eg. –	shar	eg. –			(Buy	Sha	of				market/
identif		Share	e	Share			/	res,	sha				Interse
ied by		S	hold	s,			Sale/	Warra	reh				transfer,
the		,	ing	warra			Pled	nts,	old				ESOPs
Comp		Warr		nts,			ge/R	Conve	ing				etc.)
any		ants,		conve			evok	rtible					
		Conv		r tible			e/nv	Deben					
		e		deben			oke)	tures					
		rtible		tur es				etc)					
		Debe		etc.)									
		ntures											
		etc.)											
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 by other connected persons as identified in Regulation 6(2)

Trading in	derivatives (Sp	becify type of contract, Future	s or Options etc)	Exchange on which the tradewas executed
Type of Contract	Contract Specification s	Buy	Sell	

		Notiona IValue	Number of units(contracts * lot size)	Notiona IValue	Number of units (contracts *lot size)	
15	16	17	18	19	20	21

Note: In case of Options, notional value shall be calculated based on premium plus strike price of options. Name & Signature: Date:

Place:

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#### FORM E

#### Application for Pre-clearance of Trade under Securities and Exchange Board of India(Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015

To,

The Compliance Officer, Mangalam Cement Limited Aditya Nagar, Morak, Dist: Kota -326520

#### Subject: Application for Pre-Clearance of Trading in Securities of the Company

Dear Sir/Madam,

Pursuant to the SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015 and the Company's **Code of Conduct for Prevention of Insider Trading** in the Equity shares /securities of Mangalam Cement Limited, I, \_\_\_\_\_\_ seek approval to purchase/sale/subscribe \_\_\_\_\_\_equity shares of the Company as per details given below:

1.	Name of the applicant / promoter		
2.	Designation	Π	
3.	Relationship with the Applicant (Self / immediate Relative)		
4.	Number of securities held as on date		
5.	Folio No. / DP ID / Client ID No.		
6.	The proposal is for		
7.	Proposed date of dealing in securities		
8.	Estimated number of securities proposed to be acquired/subscribed/sold/pledge		
9.	Price at which the transaction is proposed		
10.	Current market price (as on date of application)		
11.	Whether the proposed transaction will be through stock exchange or off-market deal		
12.	Folio No. / DP ID / Client ID No. where the securities will be credited / debited		

I enclose herewith the undertaking signed by me.

Name: Signature: Date: Place: PAN:

#### FORM F UNDERTAKING

With reference to my application for pre-clearance of dealing in securities, I solemnly confirm and declare:-

- i. THAT I do not have access and /or have not received any "Unpublished Price Sensitive Information" up to the time of signing the undertaking.
- ii. THAT in case I have access to or receive "Unpublished Price Sensitive Information" after the signing of the undertaking but before the execution of the transaction, I shall inform the compliance officer of any change in my position and THAT I shall refrain from dealing in the securities of the company till the time such information becomes public.
- iii. THAT I have not contravened the Code for Prevention of Insider Trading in Mangalam Cement Limited Equity shares/securities, as notified by the company from time to time.
- iv. THAT I am aware that, I shall be liable to face penal consequences as set forth in the Code including disciplinary action under the Code of the company, in case the above declarations are found to be misleading or incorrect at any time.
- v. THAT I have made a full and true disclosure in this regard to the best of my knowledge and belief.
- vi. THAT I hereby undertake not to transact in securities in the sanctioned period in case trading window is declared closed subsequently.
- vii. THAT I hereby undertaken not to make contra trade transactions in the securities of the company

Pre-clearance may kindly be accorded in terms of provisions of the Code for Prevention of Insider Trading of the company.

Date:	Signature
Place:	Name & Designation:

#### Specimen for PRE-CLEARANCE ORDERPre-Clearance Order

To, Name (Applicant): Designation:

This is to inform you that your request for dealing in shares of the Company as mentioned in yourpre-clearance application dated\_\_\_\_\_\_is approved. Please note that the said trademust be completed on or before\_\_\_\_\_\_[date].

In case you do not execute the approved trade on or before the aforesaid date you would have to seek fresh pre-clearance before executing any trade in the securities of the Company. Further, you are required to submit the details of the executed transactions in the prescribed form. In case the transaction is not undertaken a 'Nil' report shall be necessary.

**Compliance Officer** 

Date: Place:

#### FORM G

#### **Reporting of Transactions** (To be submitted within 2 trading days of transactions)

To,

The Compliance Officer, Mangalam Cement Limited L26943RJ1976PLC001705

Dear Sir/Ma'am,

I hereby report that I have dealt in the Equity shares of the Company as tabulated below:

Sr.	Folio No./	Dat	Name	Number	Acquired/Sol	Total
No.	DPID-	eof			d	Equity
	Client ID	Transaction		of		Shares as
				Equity		on
				Shares		reporting
						date

Or

I hereby report that I have not dealt in the Equity Shares of the Company as per my application of pre-clearance of trade dated \_\_\_\_\_\_ and as approved by you on due to the below mentioned reason(s):

1.\_\_\_\_\_ 2.\_\_\_\_

I declare that the above information is correct and that no provisions of the Company's Code of Conduct and/or applicable laws/SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015 have been violated.

Signature:\_\_\_\_\_

Name:

Designation: