**[*Source: ISA 700 (REVISED), FORMING AN OPINION AND REPORTING ON FINANCIAL STATEMENTS*]**

**PART A**

**Illustration 1A – Auditor’s Report on Financial Statements of a LISTED ENTITY Prepared in Accordance with a Fair Presentation Framework (IFRS)**

For purposes of this illustrative auditor’s report, the following circumstances are assumed:

* Audit of a complete set of financial statements of a listed entity using a fair presentation framework. The audit is not a group audit (i.e. ISA 600 does not apply).
* The financial statements are prepared by the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) of the entity in accordance with IFRS (a general purpose framework) and local statutory requirements (Companies Act 1983).
* The terms of the audit engagement reflect the description of the management’s and/or Directors’ (\*select as appropriate) responsibility for the financial statements in ISA 210.
* The auditor has concluded an unmodified (i.e. “clean”) opinion is appropriate based on the audit evidence obtained.
* The relevant ethical requirements that apply to the audit comprise the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants’ *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants* together with the ethical requirements relating to the audit in the jurisdiction, and the auditor refers to both.
* Based on the audit evidence obtained, the auditor has concluded that a material uncertainty does not exist related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the entity’s ability to continue as a going concern in accordance with ISA 570 (Revised).
* Key audit matters have been communicated in accordance with ISA 701.
* Those responsible for oversight of the financial statements do not differ from those responsible for the preparation of the financial statements.
* In addition to the audit of the financial statements, the auditor has other reporting responsibilities required under local law.

**Independent Auditor’s Report**

To the Shareholders of ABC Company Limited [or Other Appropriate Addressee]

**Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements**

**Opinion**

We have audited the financial statements of ABC Company Limited (the Company), which comprise the statement of financial position as at 31 December 20X1, and the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Company as at 31 December 20X1, and of its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting standards (IFRS).

**Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISA). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor’s Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountant’s *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (IESBA Code)* together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Fiji and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the IESBA Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

**Key Audit Matters**

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgement, were of most significance in our audit of the financial statements of the current period. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters.

*[Description of each key audit matter in accordance with ISA 701. A suggested format is provided below).]*

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| Key audit matter | How our audit addressed the matter |
| *Subject matter title* |  |
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**Other Information**

The management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises [\*describe the other information received] but does not include the financial statements and the auditor’s report thereon.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information identified above and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained during the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based upon the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

**Responsibilities of the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) for the Financial Statements**

The management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) are responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with IFRS and the Companies Act 1983, and for such internal control as the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) are responsible for assessing the Company’s ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) either intend to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

The management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) are responsible for overseeing the Company’s financial reporting process.

**Auditor’s Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements**

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor’s report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISA will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud and error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of the financial statements.

*Paragraph 40(b) of this ISA explains that the shaded material below can be located in an Appendix to the auditor’s report. Paragraph 40(c) explains that when law, regulation or national auditing standards expressly permit, reference can be made to a website of an appropriate authority that contains the description of the auditor’s responsibilities, rather than including this material in the auditor’s report, provided that the description on the website addresses, and is not inconsistent with, the description of the auditor’s responsibilities below.*

As part of an audit in accordance with ISA, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

* Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
* Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company’s internal control.
* Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
* Conclude on the appropriateness of the management’s and/or Directors’ (\*select as appropriate) use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company’s ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor’s report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures, are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor’s report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
* Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

From the matters communicated with the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate), we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the financial statements of the current period and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor’s report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

**Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements**

In accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 1983, in our opinion:

1. Proper books of account have been kept by the company, so far as it appears from our examination of those books,
2. the accompanying financial statements:
	1. are in agreement with the books of account; and
	2. to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, give the information required by the Companies Act, 1983 in the manner so required.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

The engagement partner on the audit resulting in this independent auditor’s report is (name).

(Signature and name of audit firm)

(Auditor address)

(Date)

**[*Source: ISA 700 (REVISED), FORMING AN OPINION AND REPORTING ON FINANCIAL STATEMENTS*]**

**Illustration 2A – Auditor’s Report on Consolidated Financial Statements of a LISTED ENTITY Prepared in Accordance with a Fair Presentation Framework (IFRS)**

For purposes of this illustrative auditor’s report, the following circumstances are assumed:

* Audit of a complete set of consolidated financial statements of a listed entity using a fair presentation framework. The audit is a group audit of an entity with subsidiaries (i.e., ISA 600 applies).
* The consolidated financial statements are prepared by the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) of the entity in accordance with IFRS (a general purpose framework) and local statutory requirements (Companies Act 1983).
* The terms of the audit engagement reflect the description of the management’s and/or Directors’ (\*select as appropriate) responsibility for the financial statements in ISA 210.
* The auditor has concluded an unmodified (i.e. “clean”) opinion is appropriate based on the audit evidence obtained.
* The International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants’ *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants* comprises all of the relevant ethical requirements that apply to the audit.
* Based on the audit evidence obtained, the auditor has concluded that a material uncertainty does not exist related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the entity’s ability to continue as a going concern in accordance with ISA 570 (Revised).
* Key audit matters have been communicated in accordance with ISA 701.
* Those responsible for oversight of the consolidated financial statements do not differ from those responsible for the preparation of the consolidated financial statements.
* In addition to the audit of the consolidated financial statements, the auditor has other reporting responsibilities required under local law.

**Independent Auditor’s Report**

To the Shareholders of ABC Company Limited [or Other Appropriate Addressee]

**Report on the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements**

**Opinion**

We have audited the consolidated financial statements of ABC Company Limited and its subsidiaries (the Group), which comprise the consolidated statement of financial position as at 31 December 20X1, and the consolidated statement of comprehensive income, consolidated statement of changes in equity and consolidated statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the consolidated financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying consolidated financial statements give a true and fair view of the consolidated financial position of the Group as at 31 December 20X1, and of its consolidated financial performance and its consolidated cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS).

**Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISA). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor’s Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated* *Financial Statements* section of our report. We are independent of the Group in accordance with the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants’ *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (IESBA* *Code)*, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the IESBA Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

**Key Audit Matters**

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgement, were of most significance in our audit of the consolidated financial statements for the current period. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the consolidated financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters.

*[Description of each key audit matter in accordance with ISA 701. A suggested format is provided below).]*

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| Key audit matter | How our audit addressed the matter |
| *Subject matter title* |  |
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**Other Information**

The management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises [\*describe the other information received] but does not include the consolidated financial statements and the auditor’s report thereon.

Our opinion on the consolidated financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the consolidated financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information identified above and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the consolidated financial statements or our knowledge obtained during the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based upon the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

**Responsibilities of the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate)** **for the Consolidated Financial Statements**

The management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) are responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in accordance with IFRS and the Companies Act 1983 and for such internal control as the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) determine is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) are responsible for assessing the Group’s ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) either intend to liquidate the Group to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

The management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) are responsible for overseeing the Group’s financial reporting process.

**Auditor’s Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements**

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor’s report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISA will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatement can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these consolidated financial statements.

*Paragraph 40(b) of this ISA explains that the shaded material below can be located in an Appendix to the auditor’s report. Paragraph 40(c) explains that when law, regulation or national auditing standards expressly permit, reference can be made to a website of an appropriate authority that contains the description of the auditor’s responsibilities, rather than including this material in the auditor’s report, provided that the description on the website addresses, and is not inconsistent with, the description of the auditor’s responsibilities below.*

As part of an audit in accordance with ISA, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

* Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
* Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Group’s internal control.
* Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
* Conclude on the appropriateness of the management’s and/or Directors’ (\*select as appropriate) use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Group’s ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor’s report to the related disclosures in the consolidated financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor’s report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Group to cease to continue as a going concern.
* Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the consolidated financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the consolidated financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
* Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the consolidated financial information of the entities or business activities within the Group to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the group audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

We communicate with the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

From the matters communicated with the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate), we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the consolidated financial statements of the current period and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor’s report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

**Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements**

In accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 1983, in our opinion:

1. Proper books of account have been kept by the company and the group, so far as it appears from our examination of those books,
2. the accompanying financial statements:
	1. are in agreement with the books of account; and
	2. to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, give the information required by the Companies Act, 1983 in the manner so required.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

The engagement partner on the audit resulting in this independent auditor’s report is (name).

(Signature and name of audit firm)

(Auditor address)

(Date)

**[*Source: ISA 700 (REVISED), FORMING AN OPINION AND REPORTING ON FINANCIAL STATEMENTS*]**

**Illustration 3A – Auditor’s Report on Financial Statements of an Entity OTHER THAN A LISTED ENTITY Prepared in Accordance with a Fair Presentation Framework (IFRS/IFRS for SMEs)**

For purposes of this illustrative auditor’s report, the following circumstances are assumed:

* Audit of a complete set of financial statements of an entity other than a listed entity using a fair presentation framework. The audit is not a group audit (i.e. IS 600 does not apply).
* The financial statements are prepared by the management’s and/or Directors’ (\*select as appropriate) of the entity in accordance with IFRS/IFRS for SMEs (a general purpose framework) and local statutory requirements (Companies Act 1983).
* The terms of the audit engagement reflect the description of the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) responsibility for the financial statements in ISA 210.
* The auditor has concluded an unmodified (i.e. “clean”) opinion is appropriate based on the audit evidence obtained.
* The relevant ethical requirements that apply to the audit are those of the jurisdiction.
* Based on the audit evidence obtained, the auditor has concluded that a material uncertainty does not exist related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the entity’s ability to continue as a going concern in accordance with ISA 570 (Revised).
* The auditor is not required, and has otherwise not decided, to communicate key audit matters in accordance with ISA 701.
* Those responsible for oversight of the financial statements do not differ from those responsible for the preparation of the financial statements.
* The auditor has no other reporting responsibilities required under local law.

**Independent Auditor’s Report**

To the Shareholders of ABC Company Limited [or Other Appropriate Addressee]

**Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements**

**Opinion**

We have audited the financial statements of ABC Company Limited (the Company), which comprise the statement of financial position as at 31 December 20X1, and the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Company as at 31 December 20X1, and of its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS)/International Financial Reporting Standard for Small and Medium-sized Entities (IFRS for SMEs) (\*select as appropriate).

**Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISA). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor’s Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountant’s *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (IESBA Code)* together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Fiji and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the IESBA Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

**Responsibilities of the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate)** **for the Financial Statements**

The management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) are responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with IFRS/IFRS for SMEs (\*select as appropriate) and the Companies Act 1983, and for such internal control as the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) are responsible for assessing the Company’s ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) either intend to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

The management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) are responsible for overseeing the Company’s financial reporting process.

**Auditor’s Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements**

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor’s report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISA will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud and error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of the financial statements.

*Paragraph 40(b) of this ISA explains that the shaded material below can be located in an Appendix to the auditor’s report. Paragraph 40(c) explains that when law, regulation or national auditing standards expressly permit, reference can be made to a website of an appropriate authority that contains the description of the auditor’s responsibilities, rather than including this material in the auditor’s report, provided that the description on the website addresses, and is not inconsistent with, the description of the auditor’s responsibilities below.*

As part of an audit in accordance with ISA, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

* Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
* Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company’s internal control.
* Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
* Conclude on the appropriateness of the management’s and/or Directors’ (\*select as appropriate) use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company’s ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor’s report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures, are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor’s report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
* Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

**Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements**

In accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 1983, in our opinion:

1. Proper books of account have been kept by the company, so far as it appears from our examination of those books,
2. the accompanying financial statements:
	1. are in agreement with the books of account; and
	2. to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, give the information required by the Fiji Companies Act, 1983 in the manner so required.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

(Signature and name of audit firm)

(Auditor address)

(Date)

**[*Source: ISA 700 (REVISED), FORMING AN OPINION AND REPORTING ON FINANCIAL STATEMENTS*]**

**Illustration 4A – Auditor’s Report on Financial Statements of an Entity OTHER THAN A LISTED ENTITY Prepared in Accordance with a General Purpose Compliance Framework (not IFRS)**

For purposes of this illustrative auditor’s report, the following circumstances are assumed:

* Audit of a complete set of financial statements of an entity other than a listed entity required by law or regulation. The audit is not a group audit (i.e. ISA 600 does not apply).
* ***The financial statements are prepared by management of the entity in accordance with the Financial Reporting Framework (XYZ Law) of Jurisdiction X (that is, a financial reporting framework, encompassing law or regulation, designed to meet the common financial information needs of a wide range of users, but which is not fair presentation framework).***
* The terms of the audit engagement reflect the description of the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) responsibility for the financial statements in ISA 210.
* The auditor has concluded an unmodified (i.e., “clean”) opinion is appropriate based on the audit evidence obtained.
* The relevant ethical requirements that apply to the audit are those of the jurisdiction.
* Based on the audit evidence obtained, the auditor has concluded that a material uncertainty does not exist related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the entity’s ability to continue as a going concern in accordance with ISA 570 (Revised).
* The auditor is not required, and has otherwise not decided, to communicate key audit matters in accordance with ISA 701.
* Those responsible for oversight of the financial statements do not differ from those responsible for the preparation of the financial statements.
* The auditor has no other reporting responsibilities required under local law.

**Independent Auditor’s Report**

[Appropriate Addressee]

**Opinion**

We have audited the financial statements of ABC Company Limited (the Company), which comprise the statement of financial position as at 31 December 20X1, and the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements of the Company are prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with XYZ Law of Fiji.

**Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISA). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor’s Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Fiji and we have fulfilled our other responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

**Responsibilities of the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) for the Financial Statements**

The management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with XYZ Law of Fiji, and for such internal control as the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) are responsible for assessing the Company’s ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) either intend to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

The management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) are responsible for overseeing the Company’s financial reporting process.

**Auditor’s Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements**

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor’s report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISA will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud and error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of the financial statements.

*Paragraph 40(b) of this ISA explains that the shaded material below can be located in an Appendix to the auditor’s report. Paragraph 40(c) explains that when law, regulation or national auditing standards expressly permit, reference can be made to a website of an appropriate authority that contains the description of the auditor’s responsibilities, rather than including this material in the auditor’s report, provided that the description on the website addresses, and is not inconsistent with, the description of the auditor’s responsibilities below.*

As part of an audit in accordance with ISA, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

* Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
* Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company’s internal control.
* Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate).
* Conclude on the appropriateness of the management’s and/or Directors’ (\*select as appropriate) use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company’s ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor’s report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures, are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor’s report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.

We communicate with the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

(Signature and name of audit firm)

(Auditor address)

(Date)

**[*Source: ISA 700 (REVISED), FORMING AN OPINION AND REPORTING ON FINANCIAL STATEMENTS*]**

**PART B**

**Illustration 1B – Auditor’s Report on Financial Statements of a LISTED ENTITY Prepared in Accordance with a Fair Presentation Framework (IFRS)**

For purposes of this illustrative auditor’s report, the following circumstances are assumed:

* Audit of a complete set of financial statements of a listed entity using a fair presentation framework. The audit is not a group audit (i.e. ISA 600 does not apply).
* The financial statements are prepared by the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) of the entity in accordance with IFRS (a general purpose framework) and local statutory requirements (Companies Act 2015).
* The terms of the audit engagement reflect the description of the management’s and/or Directors’ (\*select as appropriate) responsibility for the financial statements in ISA 210.
* The auditor has concluded an unmodified (i.e. “clean”) opinion is appropriate based on the audit evidence obtained.
* The relevant ethical requirements that apply to the audit comprise the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants’ *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants* together with the ethical requirements relating to the audit in the jurisdiction, and the auditor refers to both.
* Based on the audit evidence obtained, the auditor has concluded that a material uncertainty does not exist related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the entity’s ability to continue as a going concern in accordance with ISA 570 (Revised).
* Key audit matters have been communicated in accordance with ISA 701.
* Those responsible for oversight of the financial statements do not differ from those responsible for the preparation of the financial statements.
* In addition to the audit of the financial statements, the auditor has other reporting responsibilities required under local law.

**Independent Auditor’s Report**

To the Shareholders of ABC Company Limited [or Other Appropriate Addressee]

**Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements**

**Opinion**

We have audited the financial statements of ABC Company Limited (the Company), which comprise the statement of financial position as at 31 December 20X1, and the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Company as at 31 December 20X1, and of its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting standards (IFRS).

**Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISA). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor’s Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountant’s *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (IESBA Code)* together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Fiji and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the IESBA Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

**Key Audit Matters**

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgement, were of most significance in our audit of the financial statements of the current period. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters.

*[Description of each key audit matter in accordance with ISA 701. A suggested format is provided below).]*

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| Key audit matter | How our audit addressed the matter |
| *Subject matter title* |  |
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**Other Information**

The management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises [\*describe the other information received] but does not include the financial statements and the auditor’s report thereon.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information identified above and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained during the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based upon the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

**Responsibilities of the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate**) **for the Financial Statements**

The management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) are responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with IFRS and the Companies Act 2015, and for such internal control as the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) are responsible for assessing the Company’s ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) either intend to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

The management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) are responsible for overseeing the Company’s financial reporting process.

**Auditor’s Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements**

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor’s report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISA will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud and error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of the financial statements.

*Paragraph 40(b) of this ISA explains that the shaded material below can be located in an Appendix to the auditor’s report. Paragraph 40(c) explains that when law, regulation or national auditing standards expressly permit, reference can be made to a website of an appropriate authority that contains the description of the auditor’s responsibilities, rather than including this material in the auditor’s report, provided that the description on the website addresses, and is not inconsistent with, the description of the auditor’s responsibilities below.*

As part of an audit in accordance with ISA, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

* Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
* Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company’s internal control.
* Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
* Conclude on the appropriateness of the management’s and/or Directors’ (\*select as appropriate) use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company’s ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor’s report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures, are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor’s report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
* Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

From the matters communicated with the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate), we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the financial statements of the current period and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor’s report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

**Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements**

In our opinion, the financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2015 in all material respects, and;

1. we have been given all information, explanations and assistance necessary for the conduct of the audit; and
2. the company has kept financial records sufficient to enable the financial statements to be prepared and audited.

(Signature and name of audit firm)

(Signature and name of auditor)

 (Auditor address)

(Date)

**[*Source: ISA 700 (REVISED), FORMING AN OPINION AND REPORTING ON FINANCIAL STATEMENTS*]**

**Illustration 2B – Auditor’s Report on Consolidated Financial Statements of a LISTED ENTITY Prepared in Accordance with a Fair Presentation Framework (IFRS)**

For purposes of this illustrative auditor’s report, the following circumstances are assumed:

* Audit of a complete set of consolidated financial statements of a listed entity using a fair presentation framework. The audit is a group audit of an entity with subsidiaries (i.e., ISA 600 applies).
* The consolidated financial statements are prepared by the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) of the entity in accordance with IFRS (a general purpose framework) and local statutory requirements (Companies Act 2015).
* The terms of the audit engagement reflect the description of the management’s and/or Directors’ (\*select as appropriate) responsibility for the financial statements in ISA 210.
* The auditor has concluded an unmodified (i.e. “clean”) opinion is appropriate based on the audit evidence obtained.
* The International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants’ *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants* comprises all of the relevant ethical requirements that apply to the audit.
* Based on the audit evidence obtained, the auditor has concluded that a material uncertainty does not exist related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the entity’s ability to continue as a going concern in accordance with ISA 570 (Revised).
* Key audit matters have been communicated in accordance with ISA 701.
* Those responsible for oversight of the consolidated financial statements do not differ from those responsible for the preparation of the consolidated financial statements.
* In addition to the audit of the consolidated financial statements, the auditor has other reporting responsibilities required under local law.

**Independent Auditor’s Report**

To the Shareholders of ABC Company Limited [or Other Appropriate Addressee]

**Report on the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements**

**Opinion**

We have audited the consolidated financial statements of ABC Company Limited and its subsidiaries (the Group), which comprise the consolidated statement of financial position as at 31 December 20X1, and the consolidated statement of comprehensive income, consolidated statement of changes in equity and consolidated statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the consolidated financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying consolidated financial statements give a true and fair view of the consolidated financial position of the Group as at 31 December 20X1, and of its consolidated financial performance and its consolidated cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS).

**Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISA). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor’s Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated* *Financial Statements* section of our report. We are independent of the Group in accordance with the International Ethics Standards board for Accountants’ *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (IESBA* *Code)*, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the IESBA Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

**Key Audit Matters**

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgement, were of most significance in our audit of the consolidated financial statements for the current period. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the consolidated financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters.

*[Description of each key audit matter in accordance with ISA 701. A suggested format is provided below).]*

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| Key audit matter | How our audit addressed the matter |
| *Subject matter title* |  |
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**Other Information**

The management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises [\*describe the other information received] but does not include the consolidated financial statements and the auditor’s report thereon.

Our opinion on the consolidated financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the consolidated financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information identified above and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the consolidated financial statements or our knowledge obtained during the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based upon the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

**Responsibilities of the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) for the Consolidated Financial Statements**

The management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) are responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in accordance with IFRS and the Companies Act 2015 and for such internal control as the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) determine is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) are responsible for assessing the Group’s ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) either intend to liquidate the Group to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

The management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) are responsible for overseeing the Group’s financial reporting process.

**Auditor’s Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements**

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor’s report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISA will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatement can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these consolidated financial statements.

*Paragraph 40(b) of this ISA explains that the shaded material below can be located in an Appendix to the auditor’s report. Paragraph 40(c) explains that when law, regulation or national auditing standards expressly permit, reference can be made to a website of an appropriate authority that contains the description of the auditor’s responsibilities, rather than including this material in the auditor’s report, provided that the description on the website addresses, and is not inconsistent with, the description of the auditor’s responsibilities below.*

As part of an audit in accordance with ISA, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

* Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
* Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Group’s internal control.
* Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
* Conclude on the appropriateness of the management’s and/or Directors’ (\*select as appropriate) use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Group’s ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor’s report to the related disclosures in the consolidated financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor’s report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Group to cease to continue as a going concern.
* Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the consolidated financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the consolidated financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
* Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the consolidated financial information of the entities or business activities within the Group to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the group audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

We communicate with the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

From the matters communicated with the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate), we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the consolidated financial statements of the current period and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor’s report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

**Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements**

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2015 in all material respects, and;

1. we have been given all information, explanations and assistance necessary for the conduct of the audit; and
2. the company has kept financial records sufficient to enable the financial statements to be prepared and audited.

(Signature and name of audit firm)

(Signature and name of auditor)

 (Auditor address)

(Date)

**[*Source: ISA 700 (REVISED), FORMING AN OPINION AND REPORTING ON FINANCIAL STATEMENTS*]**

**Illustration 3B – Auditor’s Report on Financial Statements of an Entity OTHER THAN A LISTED ENTITY Prepared in Accordance with a Fair Presentation Framework (IFRS/IFRS for SMEs)**

For purposes of this illustrative auditor’s report, the following circumstances are assumed:

* Audit of a complete set of financial statements of an entity other than a listed entity using a fair presentation framework. The audit is not a group audit (i.e. IS 600 does not apply).
* The financial statements are prepared by the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) of the entity in accordance with IFRS (a general purpose framework) and local statutory requirements (Companies Act 2015).
* The terms of the audit engagement reflect the description of the management’s and/or Directors’ (\*select as appropriate) responsibility for the financial statements in ISA 210.
* The auditor has concluded an unmodified (i.e. “clean”) opinion is appropriate based on the audit evidence obtained.
* The relevant ethical requirements that apply to the audit are those of the jurisdiction.
* Based on the audit evidence obtained, the auditor has concluded that a material uncertainty does not exist related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the entity’s ability to continue as a going concern in accordance with ISA 570 (Revised).
* The auditor is not required, and has otherwise not decided, to communicate key audit matters in accordance with ISA 701.
* Those responsible for oversight of the financial statements do not differ from those responsible for the preparation of the financial statements.
* The auditor has no other reporting responsibilities required under local law.

**Independent Auditor’s Report**

To the Shareholders of ABC Company Limited [or Other Appropriate Addressee]

**Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements**

**Opinion**

We have audited the financial statements of ABC Company Limited (the Company), which comprise the statement of financial position as at 31 December 20X1, and the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Company as at 31 December 20X1, and of its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting standards (IFRS)/International Financial Reporting Standard for Small and Medium-sized Entities (IFRS for SMEs) (\*select as appropriate).

**Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISA). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor’s Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountant’s *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (IESBA Code)* together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Fiji and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the IESBA Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

**Responsibilities of the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) for the Financial Statements**

The management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) are responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with IFRS/IFRS for SMEs (\*select as appropriate) and the Companies Act 2015, and for such internal control as the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) are responsible for assessing the Company’s ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) either intend to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

The management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) are responsible for overseeing the Company’s financial reporting process.

**Auditor’s Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements**

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor’s report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISA will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud and error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of the financial statements.

*Paragraph 40(b) of this ISA explains that the shaded material below can be located in an Appendix to the auditor’s report. Paragraph 40(c) explains that when law, regulation or national auditing standards expressly permit, reference can be made to a website of an appropriate authority that contains the description of the auditor’s responsibilities, rather than including this material in the auditor’s report, provided that the description on the website addresses, and is not inconsistent with, the description of the auditor’s responsibilities below.*

As part of an audit in accordance with ISA, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

* Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
* Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company’s internal control.
* Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
* Conclude on the appropriateness of the management’s and/or Directors’ (\*select as appropriate) use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company’s ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor’s report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures, are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor’s report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
* Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

**Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements**

In our opinion, the financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2015 in all material respects, and;

1. we have been given all information, explanations and assistance necessary for the conduct of the audit; and
2. the company has kept financial records sufficient to enable the financial statements to be prepared and audited.

(Signature and name of audit firm)

(Signature and name of auditor)

 (Auditor address)

(Date)

**[*Source: ISA 700 (REVISED), FORMING AN OPINION AND REPORTING ON FINANCIAL STATEMENTS*]**

**Illustration 4B – Auditor’s Report on Financial Statements of an Entity OTHER THAN A LISTED ENTITY Prepared in Accordance with a General Purpose Compliance Framework (not IFRS)**

For purposes of this illustrative auditor’s report, the following circumstances are assumed:

* Audit of a complete set of financial statements of an entity other than a listed entity required by law or regulation. The audit is not a group audit (i.e. ISA 600 does not apply).
* ***The financial statements are prepared by management of the entity in accordance with the Financial Reporting Framework (XYZ Law) of Jurisdiction X (that is, a financial reporting framework, encompassing law or regulation, designed to meet the common financial information needs of a wide range of users, but which is not fair presentation framework).***
* The terms of the audit engagement reflect the description of the management’s and/or Directors’ (\*select as appropriate) responsibility for the financial statements in ISA 210.
* The auditor has concluded an unmodified (i.e., “clean”) opinion is appropriate based on the audit evidence obtained.
* The relevant ethical requirements that apply to the audit are those of the jurisdiction.
* Based on the audit evidence obtained, the auditor has concluded that a material uncertainty does not exist related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the entity’s ability to continue as a going concern in accordance with ISA 570 (Revised).
* The auditor is not required, and has otherwise not decided, to communicate key audit matters in accordance with ISA 701.
* Those responsible for oversight of the financial statements do not differ from those responsible for the preparation of the financial statements.
* The auditor has no other reporting responsibilities required under local law.

**Independent Auditor’s Report**

[Appropriate Addressee]

**Opinion**

We have audited the financial statements of ABC Company Limited (the Company), which comprise the statement of financial position as at 31 December 20X1, and the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements of the Company are prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with XYZ Law of Fiji.

**Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISA). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor’s Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Fiji and we have fulfilled our other responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

**Responsibilities of the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate)** **for the Financial Statements**

The management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with XYZ Law of Fiji, and for such internal control as the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) are responsible for assessing the Company’s ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) either intend to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

The management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) are responsible for overseeing the Company’s financial reporting process.

**Auditor’s Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements**

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor’s report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISA will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud and error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of the financial statements.

*Paragraph 40(b) of this ISA explains that the shaded material below can be located in an Appendix to the auditor’s report. Paragraph 40(c) explains that when law, regulation or national auditing standards expressly permit, reference can be made to a website of an appropriate authority that contains the description of the auditor’s responsibilities, rather than including this material in the auditor’s report, provided that the description on the website addresses, and is not inconsistent with, the description of the auditor’s responsibilities below.*

As part of an audit in accordance with ISA, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

* Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
* Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company’s internal control.
* Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate).
* Conclude on the appropriateness of the management’s and/or Directors’ (\*select as appropriate) use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company’s ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor’s report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures, are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor’s report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.

We communicate with the management and/or Directors (\*select as appropriate) regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

(Signature and name of audit firm)

(Signature and name of auditor)

 (Auditor address)

(Date)