

NATIONAL COMMODITY & DERIVATIVES EXCHANGE LIMITED

Circular to all trading and clearing members of the ExchangeCircular No.: NCDEX/MEMBERSHIP-032/2024Date: July 05, 2024Subject: Modification to Enhanced Supervision of Stock Brokers and Depository Participants

This is with reference to Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) circular no. SEBI/HO/MIRSD/MIRSD-PoD1/P/CIR/2024/95 dated July 04, 2024 on "Modification to Enhanced Supervision of Stock Brokers and Depository Participants".

The said SEBI circular is attached as Annexure I for ready reference of the members.

All members are requested to take a note of the same and ensure compliance.

For and on behalf of

National Commodity & Derivatives Exchange Limited

Sushma Pothan Senior Manager - Membership

Encl: Annexure I



CIRCULAR

SEBI/HO/MIRSD/MIRSD-PoD1/P/CIR/2024/95

July 04, 2024

To, All recognized Stock Exchanges All Depositories

Madam / Sir,

Sub: <u>Modification to Enhanced Supervision of Stock Brokers and Depository</u> <u>Participants</u>

 SEBI, vide Circular no. SEBI/HO/MIRSD/MIRSD2/CIR/P/2016/95 dated September 26, 2016 (hereinafter mentioned as 'circular') and Master Circular for Stock Brokers dated May 22, 2024 (hereinafter mentioned as 'Master Circular'), *inter alia*, specified timelines for submission of annual audited accounts/net worth certificate by Stock Brokers/Depository Participants as part of monitoring criteria, the details of which are as follows:

| Relevant clauses | Existing provision |
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| Para 6.1.1.c (Monitoring criteria for | Failure to furnish Annual Audited Accounts |
| Stock Brokers) of Annexure to Circular | by September 30 th of the relevant year |
| and Para 15.8.1.1.c of Master Circular | |
| Para 6.1.2.a (Monitoring criteria for | Failure to furnish Net worth certificate to |
| DPs) of Annexure to Circular and Para | Depository for year ending March 31 st by September 30 th |
| 15.8.1.2.a of Master Circular | |

 As a step towards ease of doing business, it has been decided to revise the timeline to October 31st of the relevant year. Accordingly, the said paras shall be read as under:



| Relevant clauses | Modified provision |
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| Para 6.1.1.c (Monitoring criteria for | Failure to furnish Annual Audited Accounts |
| Stock Brokers) of Annexure to Circular | by October 31 st of the relevant year |
| and Para 15.8.1.1.c of Master Circular | |
| Para 6.1.2.a (Monitoring criteria for | Failure to furnish Net worth certificate to |
| DPs) of Annexure to Circular and Para | Depository for year ending March 31 st by October 31 st |
| 15.8.1.2.a of Master Circular | |

- 3. The provisions of this circular shall come into force with immediate effect.
- 4. The Stock Exchanges/Depositories are directed to:
 - 4.1. bring the provisions of this circular to the notice of their members / participants and also disseminate the same on their websites;
 - 4.2. make necessary amendments to the relevant Bye-laws, Rules and Regulations for the implementation of the above decision;
 - 4.3. communicate to SEBI, the status of the implementation of the provisions of this circular in their Monthly Development Reports.
- 5. The circular is issued with the approval of competent authority.
- 6. This circular is issued in exercise of powers conferred under Section 11(1) of Chapter IV of the Securities and Exchange Board of India Act, 1992, and Section 19 of Chapter IV of the Depositories Act, 1996 to protect the interests of investors in securities and to promote the development of, and to regulate the securities markets.
- This circular is available on SEBI website at <u>www.sebi.gov.in</u> under the category: 'Legal → Circulars'.

Yours faithfully,

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