NSDL
Technology, Trust & Reach

Participant Services Circular

Circular No.: NSDL/POLICY/2026/0172 November 02, 2026

Subject: SEBI circular on Extension of timeline with respect to compliance of Digital Accessibility Circulars.

Attention of the Participants is invited to SEBI Circular no. HO/53/12/13(2)2026-ITD5-M2IPC/I/24856/2026 dated October 30, 2026 regarding *"*Extension of timeline with respect to compliance of Digital Accessibility Circulars*"* **(copy enclosed)**.

Participants are requested to take note of above circular and ensure compliance.

For and on behalf of
National Securities Depository Limited

Rakesh Mehta
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Rakesh Mehta
Vice President

Enclosure: One

FORTHCOMING COMPLIANCE			
Particulars	**Deadline**	**Manner of sending**	**Reference**
Investor Grievance Report (Monthly)	By 10th of the following month	Through e-PASS	Para 22 of 'Grievance Redressal' chapter and Para 27 of 'Internal Controls/Reporting to NSDL/SEBI' chapter of NSDL Master Circular for Participants
Networth Certificate and Audited Financial Statements. (yearly)	December 31st	Through e-PASS	Circular No.: NSDL/POLICY/2026/0169 dated October 30, 2026
Internal/ Concurrent Audit Report (half yearly)	May 15 and November 15	Through e-PASS	Para 20.4 of 'Internal Controls/Reporting to NSDL/SEBI' chapter of NSDL Master Circular for Participants and Circular No.: NSDL/POLICY/2024/0147
Compliance report w.r.t Same Mobile number and/ or email address captured for multiple accounts. (Monthly)	Before 27th of following month	Through Email.	Para 26 of 'Miscellaneous' chapter of NSDL Master Circular for Participants.
Cyber Security & Cyber Resilience framework of Depository Participants (Quarterly)	By 15th of the following month.	Through e-PASS	Para 2.66 of 'Internal Controls/Reporting to NSDL/SEBI' chapter of NSDL Master Circular for Participants

भारतीय प्रतिभूति और विनिमय बोर्ड
Securities and Exchange Board of India

CIRCULAR

HO/53/12/13(2)2026-ITD5-M2IPC/I/24856/2026 **October 30, 2026**

To,
All Recognised Stock Exchanges
All Recognised Clearing Corporations
All Registered Depositories
All Registered Intermediaries
Association of Mutual Funds in India (AMFI)
Association of Portfolio Managers in India (APMI)
BSE Limited (Investment Adviser Administration and supervisory body-IAASB)
BSE Limited (Research Analysts Administration and supervisory body-RAASB)

Reference:

Sr. No.	Circular No.	Issue Date
1	SEBI/HO/ITD-1/ITD_VIAP/P/CIR/ 2025/111	July 31, 2025
2	SEBI/HO/ITD-1/ITD_VIAP/P/CIR/2025/121	August 29, 2025
3	SEBI/HO/ITD-1/ITD_VIAP/P/CIR/2025/131	September 25, 2025
4	HO/13/19/13(2)2025-ITD-1_VIAP/I/187/2025	December 08, 2025
5	HO/(411)2026-ITD-5_DIV2/I/17922/2026	July 31, 2026

Subject: Extension of timeline with respect to compliance of Digital Accessibility Circulars

Dear Sir/ Madam,

1. SEBI has issued circulars on ‘Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 and rules made thereunder for mandatory compliance by all Regulated Entities’.

2. SEBI is in receipt of representations from Regulated Entities (REs) requesting an extension of timeline to submit their compliance of provisions of the aforesaid circulars.

3. Based on the representations received and review of the status of compliance of REs, the extension is granted for “Appointment of IAAP Auditor, Conduct of Accessibility Audit for the digital platforms and Remediation of findings from the Audit” by January 31, 2027 in order to ensure compliance.

4. All other provisions of the aforementioned circulars shall remain unchanged and shall be complied by REs.

5. This Circular is being issued in exercise of powers conferred under Section 11 (1) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India Act, 1992, to protect the interest of investors in securities and to promote the development of, and to regulate the securities market.

6. This Circular is available on SEBI website at www.sebi.gov.in under the category: “Legal” and drop “Circulars”.

7. This Circular is issued with the approval of Competent Authority.

Yours faithfully,

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