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Sanchit Financial & Management Services Limited joins NSDL as Depository Participant (DP)

Sanchit Financial & Management Services Limited has been made operational as a DP on January 17, 2007. It will conduct its depository operations from Amritsar. The DP Id allotted is IN303253.

This takes the total number of operational DPs to 239 and the total number of operational DPM set-ups to 316.

Subscription to SPEED-e

The following DP has subscribed to the SPEED-e facility of NSDL in the month of January 2007:

- Kotak Mahindra Bank Limited

Clients of the above mentioned DP can now avail of the facility of submitting various instructions through SPEED-e facility.

This takes the total number of DPs who have subscribed to SPEED-e to 71.

NCFM oriented training programme for DPs

NSDL conducted NCFM (NSE's Certification in Financial Markets - NSDL- Depository Operations Module) oriented training programme for DPs to facilitate them for the NCFM examination. The programme was conducted in New Delhi on January 19, 2007, which was attended by 140 persons from 19 DPs.

Footnote in the transaction statement sent to Clients

NSDL has advised DPs to insert a footnote in the transaction statement in respect of all Client accounts (Active or Frozen) stating that **"Depository accounts of those investors who have not provided their PAN details have been frozen (Suspended for Debit). The status of your account is given above. In case the status is 'Suspended for Debit', please provide your PAN details"**.

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The above footnote is to facilitate the Clients to co-ordinate with their DP to understand the further course of action / steps to be taken in respect of their depository account.

DPs have been advised to include the above footnote in the transaction statement for the month / quarter ended December 2006.

This has been informed to DPs vide Circular No. NSDL/POLICY/2007/0001 dated January 2, 2007.

Performance Summary

Investors :

Table 1

Month - Year	Client Accounts
	No. of Accounts (lakh)
Jan-05	60.85
Jan-06	74.23
Jan-07	77.59

As on January 31, 2007, there are 77,58,786 Investor accounts from within the country and abroad. 2,148 clearing member accounts have been opened to facilitate trading and settlement of demat shares in the stock exchanges connected to NSDL. Table 1 shows the growth in investor accounts over a period of three years.

Dematerialisation :

As on January 31, 2007, 19,598 cr. securities having a value of Rs. 32,23,741 cr. were dematerialised. Table 2 shows the dematerialisation figures over the last three years.

Table 2

Month - Year	Demat Quantity (Cr.)	Demat Value (Rs. Cr.)
Jan-05	10,565	1,395,290
Jan-06	16,745	2,172,927
Jan-07	19,598	3,223,741

Settlement :

Table 3

Month - Year	Settlement Quantity (Cr.)	Settlement Value (Rs. Cr.)
Jan-05	405	36,635
Jan-06	366	62,374
Jan-07	485	76,600

(Single side)

In January 2007, a total quantity of 485 cr. shares having a value of Rs. 76,600 cr. were settled in demat form in the stock exchanges connected to NSDL. Table 3 shows the settlement figures over the past three years.

Companies :

EQUITY

As on January 31, 2007, 6,404 companies are available for demat. Table 4 indicates the increase in the number of companies joined NSDL over a period of three years.

Table 4

Month - Year	No. of Companies Operational
Jan-05	5,446
Jan-06	5,895
Jan-07	6,404

DEBENTURES / BONDS

Table 4A

Month - Year	No. of Issuers	No. of active Instruments	Demat Value (Rs. Cr.)
Nov-06	662	6,796	367,429
Dec-06	665	6,766	373,008
Jan-07	666	6,820	374,466

As on January 27, 2007, 666 issuers have issued 19,754 debentures/bonds in demat form. 12,934 instruments have been redeemed and 6,820 instruments are available for dematerialisation. Table 4A shows the growth over a period of last three months.

COMMERCIAL PAPER

As on January 27, 2007, 386 issuers have issued 8,578 commercial papers in demat form. 8,058 instruments have been redeemed and 520 commercial papers are available for dematerialisation. Table 4B shows the growth over a period of last three months.

Table 4B

Month - Year	No. of Issuers	No. of active Instruments
Nov-06	386	541
Dec-06	386	522
Jan-07	386	520

Depository Participants :

Table 5

Month - Year	No. of DPs
Jan-05	215
Jan-06	222
Jan-07	239

As on January 31, 2007, 239 Depository Participants are offering depository services. DP services are provided from 5,330 locations across 662 cities/towns in the country.

Corporate Action Statistics

Sr. No.	Description	During January 2007		For the F.Y. 2006-2007 (upto January 2007)	
		No. of Allottees	No. of Securities	No. of Allottees	No. of Securities
1	Equity Shares	435,711	2,082,137,378	9,148,304	34,639,804,938
2	Preference Shares	0	0	8,290	788,772,827
3	Bonds	5,720	41,097,153	25,987	202,376,023
4	Commercial Papers	86	62,110	1,248	985,208
5	Certificate Of Deposits	99	484,500	1,626	9,674,606
6	Securitized Instruments	45	26,074	742	7,633,529
7	Mutual Fund Units	721	68,285,507	6,475	281,844,366
8	Warrants	7	1,600,000	9,356	14,345,056
9	Postal Savings Certificates	153	4,203,500*	11,263	1,259,961,100*
10	Commodities	482	34,264	5,028	864,037
Total		443,024	2,197,930,486	9,218,319	37,206,261,691

* Value in Rupees

List of Companies that have changed Names

(During January 2007)

Sr. No.	Old Name	New Name
1.	Irplast Adhesives India Limited	JMG Corporation Limited
2.	ICICI Onesource Limited	Firstsource Solutions Limited
3.	Bliss Chemicals & Pharmaceuticals (India) Limited	Bliss GVS Pharma Limited
4.	Bharti Healthcare Limited	Capsugel Healthcare Limited
5.	Savera Hotels Limited	Savera Industries Limited
6.	DMC Vaults Limited	DMC International Limited
7.	Ten Media Limited	Venus Ventures Limited
8.	Industrial Organics Limited	IOL Chemicals And Pharmaceuticals Ltd
9.	Kailash Paper Products Limited	Genus Paper Products Limited
10.	JK Dairy And Foods Limited	Umang Dairies Limited
11.	Shin HO Petrochemical (India) Ltd	SPL Polymers Limited
12.	Neocure Therapeutics Limited	Country Condo's Limited
13.	Kerala Power Finance Corporation Limited	Kerala State Power And Infrastructure Finance Corporation Limited
14.	Octagon Industries Limited	Gujarat Cotex Limited

Securities admitted for Dematerialisation during January 2007

COMPANY	ISIN
Meghmani Organics Limited	INE974H01013
Haldiram Manufacturing Co. Pvt. Ltd.	INE975H01010
Lawreshwar Polymers Limited	INE976H01018
Evinix Accessories Ltd	INE961H01010
Roman Tarmat Limited	INE924H01018
Parteek Finance & Investment Company Ltd	INE987H01015
Sundaram Home Finance Limited	INE667F01017
National Multi-Commodity Exchange of India Ltd.	INE988H01013
Mohan Steels Ltd.	INE990H01019
Kaytee Switchgear Limited	INE989H01011
Riba Textiles Limited	INE811H01017
Oriental Trimex Limited	INE998H01012
Blue Blends Finance Limited	INE002I01011
Essel Shyam Communication Limited	INE003I01019
Amrut Runwal Multi Housing Private Limited	INE007I01010
AMD Metplast Limited	INE005I01014
Abhishek Mills Limited	INE004I01017
Sobhagya Mercantile Ltd.	INE754D01018
Kapashi Commercial Limited	INE017I01019
Marudhar Power Private Limited	INE016I01011
Mindtree Consulting Limited	INE018I01017
Vipul Limited	INE946H01011
Astral Poly Technik Limited	INE006I01012
Trichy-Thanjavur Expressways Limited	INE020I01013
Madurai-Tuticorin Expressways Limited	INE019I01015
Lokhandwala Kataria Construction P. Ltd	INE999H01010

Topic of Interest

Certification on Depository System (NCFM)

NSDL is committed to provide best quality services to investors and recognises that quantitative progress is ineffective, if not backed by quality services. NSDL provides depository services through its network of Depository Participants (DPs) from more than 5,300 locations in more than 650 cities/ towns across the country. It is necessary that the staff of these DPs are sensitised to service standards and efficient depository operations.

Towards this objective, NSDL has instituted a **Certification Programme** on depository operations. This programme helps candidates to understand and assimilate the procedures to be followed in conducting various transactions in the NSDL depository system. NSDL has made it mandatory for all branches of DPs to have atleast one person qualified in the Certification Programme.

NSDL uses the National Stock Exchange of India Limited's (NSEIL) Certification in Financial Markets (NCFM) infrastructure for conducting the "**NSDL-Depository Operations Module**". NCFM is an on-line test system. The entire process of testing, assessing and scores reporting in the NCFM is fully automated.

Test Details

The test consists of 60 multiple-choice questions to be answered in 75 minutes. The test is conducted on computer and the result is displayed immediately on submission of responses. The candidate needs to score minimum 60% marks to qualify for the certification. The certification remains valid for a period of five years from the date of the test. Candidates securing 80 % or more marks are awarded "Certified Trainer" certificate.

Eligibility

There are no restrictions of age or qualifications for registration to the NCFM programme or for taking the NSDL-Depository Operations Module examination. Computer literacy is beneficial while answering as the test is completely computerised, using a highly user-friendly web-based application.

Registration & Enrollment

Registration for NCFM programme can be done by filling up part-I of the prescribed registration form. The registration form can be accessed on www.nsdl.co.in or www.nseindia.com. One can enroll for the chosen module by filling up part-II of the said form.

The form can be forwarded to any of the six offices of NSEIL (Mumbai, New Delhi, Kolkata, Chennai, Hyderabad and Ahmedabad). The forms can be delivered by post/ courier at the aforementioned six offices. Candidates can use the online enrollment facility for selecting test dates and time slots. On enrollment, a Hall Ticket indicating the registration number, test centre, date and time of test is issued to the candidate. For forms submitted by post/ courier, the study material is dispatched by NSEIL through courier. Confirmation of the test date and time written on the form is subject to availability of seats. On successful completion of the test, a certificate is mailed to the candidate at the address mentioned in the registration form, within 15 days of the test.

A sample test is available at NSDL website (www.nsd.co.in) and mock test at NSE website (www.nseindia.com).

Test Centres

The test is conducted everyday on week days (except on Exchange specified holidays) at all six NSE offices viz., Mumbai, New Delhi, Kolkata, Chennai, Hyderabad and Ahmedabad. Such tests are also offered from any other locations in India, if there is adequate demand for the same. In addition, NSE has started conducting the test at its Mumbai and New Delhi offices on Saturdays.

Progress:

Certification programme was introduced in 1999. The programme has attracted good amount of interest from DPs and their staff. Till January 2007, 19,922 candidates have obtained the certification.

NSDL Calendar of Events

Investor Depository Meets/ Depository Promotion Programs

March 8, 2007	Arsikere	March 17, 2007	Udaipur
March 8, 2007	Gorakhpur	March 22, 2007	Amritsar
March 9, 2007	Faizabad	March 23, 2007	Jalandhar
March 9, 2007	Tumkur	March 24, 2007	Ludhiana
March 10, 2007	Chikballapur	March 29, 2007	Machilipatnam
March 10, 2007	Lucknow	March 30, 2007	Eluru
March 15, 2007	Bhilwara	March 31, 2007	Tenali
March 16, 2007	Chittorgarh		

Business Partner Training

March 13-15, 2007

March 8-9, 2007

March 20, 2007

March 23, 2007

March 28, 2007

March 30, 2007

Depository Participant Training

Share Registrar Training

Compliance Training (Mumbai)

Compliance Training (Chennai)

Compliance Training (New Delhi)

Compliance Training (Kolkata)

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