



* NEST UPDATE

NSDL

June 2006

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Indian Bank joins NSDL as Depository Participant (DP)

Indian Bank has been made operational as a DP on May 16, 2006. It will conduct its depository operations from Chennai. The DP Id allotted is IN303093.

SS Corporate Securities Limited joins NSDL as DP

SS Corporate Securities Limited has been made operational as a DP on May 27, 2006. It will conduct its depository operations from Delhi. The DP Id allotted is IN303108.

The above additions take the total number of operational DPs to 227 and the total number of DPM set-ups to 301.

Subscription to SPEED-e

The following DP has subscribed to the SPEED-e facility of NSDL in the month of May 2006:

- Punjab National Bank

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 61.

Subscription to IDeAS

The following DPs have subscribed to the IDeAS facility of NSDL in the month of May 2006:

- Marck Securities Private Limited
- HSE Securities Limited

This takes the total number of DPs who have subscribed to IDeAS to 117. This is inclusive of 61 DPs who have subscribed to SPEED-e.

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Providing Statement of transaction to Beneficial Owner consequent to account closure

NSDL has advised its Participants that if a Beneficial Owner (Client) makes a request for closure of accounts, Participants should provide the Statement of Transaction (SOT) to such Client for the period from the beginning of the quarter in which the account is closed till the date of closure. Further, the SOT should bear the words "Account Closed" and should be prominent. For this purpose, Participants can affix a rubber stamp or create a suitable system that will clearly show on the SOT that the account has been closed.

This has been intimated to DPs vide Circular No. NSDL/POLICY/2006/0014 dated May 11, 2006.

Performance Summary

Investors :

Table 1

Month - Year	Client Accounts
	No. of Accounts (lakh)
May-04	53.53
May-05	64.74
May-06	76.96

As on May 31, 2006, there are 76,96,201 Investor accounts from within the country and abroad. 2,109 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 May 31, 2006, 18,426 cr. securities having a value of Rs. 24,08,237 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.)
May-04	8,672	912,812
May-05	13,275	1,516,341
May-06	18,426	2,408,237

Settlement :

Table 3

Month - Year	Settlement Quantity (Cr.)	Settlement Value (Rs. Cr.)
May-04	200	30,458
May-05	322	36,951
May-06	558	98,510

In May 2006, a total quantity of 558 cr. shares having a value of Rs. 98,510 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 May 31, 2006, 6,116 companies are available for demat. Table 4 indicates the increase in the number of companies that have joined NSDL over a period of three years.

Month - Year	No. of Companies Operational
May-04	5,311
May-05	5,619
May-06	6,116

DEBENTURES / BONDS

Table 4A

Month - Year	No. of Issuers	No. of active Instruments	Demat Value (Rs. Cr.)
Mar-06	652	6,968	333,788
Apr-06	654	6,955	330,032
May-06	655	6,935	332,782

As on May 27, 2006, 655 issuers have issued 17,940 debentures/bonds in demat form. 11,005 instruments have been redeemed and 6,935 instruments are available for dematerialisation. Table 4A shows the growth over a period of last three months.

COMMERCIAL PAPER

As on May 27, 2006, 380 issuers have issued 7,627 commercial papers in demat form. 7,176 instruments have been redeemed and 451 commercial papers are available for dematerialisation. Table 4B shows the growth over a period of last three months.

Month - Year	No. of Issuers	No. of active Instruments
Mar-06	379	344
Apr-06	380	416
May-06	380	451

Depository Participants :

Table 5

Month - Year	No. of DPs
May-04	216
May-05	218
May-06	227

As on May 31, 2006, 227 Depository Participants are offering depository services. DP services are provided from 3,034 locations across the length and breadth of the country.

Corporate Action Statistics

Sr. No.	Description	During May 2006		For the F.Y. 2006-2007 (upto May 2006)	
		No. of Allottees	No. of Securities	No. of Allottees	No. of Securities
1	Equity Shares	1,539,084	5,655,608,271	2,018,017	12,529,846,023
2	Preference Shares	64	559,019,367	120	692,411,806
3	Bonds	13,650	20,584,476	14,165	31,742,229
4	Commercial Papers	119	97,344	268	218,326
5	Certificate of Deposits	252	1,297,380	363	1,960,230
6	Securitized Instruments	107	3,315,731	125	3,316,867
7	Mutual Fund Units	517	17,387,464	1,454	17,897,124
8	Warrants	4,177	1,391,875	4,179	3,391,875
9	Postal Savings Certificates	1,770	113,384,500*	3,561	168,755,800*
10	Commodities	456	91,933	775	136,180
Total		1,560,196	6,372,178,341	2,043,027	13,449,676,461

* Value in Rupees

List of Companies that have changed Names

(During May 2006)

Sr. No.	Old Name	New Name
1	Anna Finance Limited	Anna Infrastructures Limited
2	Oriental Containers Limited	Oricon Enterprises Limited
3	Atco Healthcare Limited	NHN Corporation Limited
4	Fortis Finvest Limited	Religare Finvest Limited
5	Kishco Cutlery Limited	Kishco Limited
6	Aircel Televentures Limited	Siva Ventures Limited
7	Colour-Chem Limited	Clariant Chemicals (India) Limited
8	Vysya Bank Housing Finance Limited	DHFL Vysya Housing Finance Limited
9	Fortis Securities Limited	Religare Securities Limited
10	IID Forgings Limited	Arshhiya Technologies International Limited
11	Walchand Capital Limited	Walchand Peoplefirst Limited
12	Dintex Dyechem Limited	Bodal Chemicals Limited
13	Medicare Incin Private Limited	Sembramky Environmental Management Private Limited
14	Bharti Tele-Ventures Limited	Bharti Airtel Limited
15	Bharti Telenet Limited	Bharti Infotel Limited

Securities admitted for Dematerialisation during May 2006

COMPANY	ISIN
AD Hydro Power Limited	INE572H01015
Adani Logistics Limited	INE567H01015
Aksh Broadband Limited	INE578H01012
Apollo Infrastructure Projects Finance Company Limited	INE617H01018
Ashiana Agro Industries Limited	INE709D01012
ASREC (India) Limited	INE620H01012
Bajaj Global Limited	INE553H01015
Cepha Imaging Private Limited	INE603H01018
Devbhoomi Awas Limited	INE555H01010
Dhruv Makhan (India) Limited	INE554H01013
Gillette Group India Private Limited	INE599H01018
Gujarat NRE Mineral Resources Limited	INE566H01017
Hindusthan Credit Capital Limited	INE616H01010
HOV Services Limited	INE596H01014
Indo Farm Tractors & Motors Limited	INE622H01018
International Hospital Limited	INE569H01011
Manipal Health Systems Private Limited	INE619H01014
Minar International Limited	INE595H01016
Mundra Special Economic Zone Limited	INE601H01012
Narmada Fintrade Limited	INE568H01013
Parabolic Drugs Limited	INE618H01016
Parsvnath Developers Limited	INE561H01018
Polytex India Limited	INE012F01016
Power Finance Corporation Limited	INE134E01011
Religare Enterprises Private Limited	INE621H01010
RGN Securities And Holdings Limited	INE571H01017
STP Limited	INE570H01019
Supreme Infrastructure India Limited	INE550H01011
Tashi India Limited	INE552H01017
The Seksaria Biswan Sugar Factory Limited	INE598H01010
Thyrocare Technologies Limited	INE594H01019
Titagarh Wagons Limited	INE615H01012
Uniroyal Marine Exports Limited	INE602H01010
Vaid Elastomer Processors Limited	INE600H01014
Zuari Forex Limited	INE579H01010



How much do you know & care about your DEMAT ACCOUNT ?

CHECK OUT FOR YOURSELF

	Tick whether the following statements are correct or incorrect	Correct	Incorrect
1.	It is mandatory for a DP to provide Transaction Statements on a regular basis.		
2.	It is necessary for an investor to check Transaction Statement to verify for the debits/credits.		
3.	It is advisable to appoint a nominee for a demat account.		
4.	It is necessary to promptly inform the DP in writing about change in your address or bank details.		
5.	Delivery Instruction Slip (DIS) booklet should be kept in safe custody like a cheque book.		
6.	It is a bad practice to give a duly signed blank DIS (similar to a blank cheque) to your DP/ broker/ any other person.		
7.	Physical shares held jointly with another person cannot be dematerialised into an account opened only in sole name.		
8.	It is possible to dematerialise securities held in joint names in the same account even though names in certificates are in different order using "Transposition cum Demat" form.		
9.	You can transfer shares and view transactions & balances using internet-based facilities viz., SPEED-e & IDeAS.		
10.	It is advisable to read the contents of a Power of Attorney (POA) since the POA holder can also transfer shares from the demat account.		
11.	DPs cannot levy any charges for receiving credit into demat account, custody and account opening (other than statutory charges).		

Score Card: Please give 1 point each for every statement marked as "Correct". Do not give any point for statements marked as "Incorrect".

Evaluation:

Score	Result
10 or 11	CONGRATULATIONS! You have excellent knowledge & must be taking enough care of your demat account.
7 to 9	Reasonable knowledge & need to take more care while handling your demat account.
0 to 6	You need to understand & know a lot about your demat account. Please refer our ' Investor's Guide to Depositories ' carefully.

You may visit NSDL website or contact Corporate Communications Dept., NSDL for more information and/or your copy of '**Investor's Guide to Depositories**' (English/Hindi versions available).



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Answer for all the statements is "Correct"

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ATTENTION INVESTORS !



PAN CARD is
now mandatory
for
DEMAT account

With effect from **April 1, 2006**, SEBI has made PAN Card compulsory for all categories of investors for opening a Demat Account.

Existing Demat account holders would not be able to operate the accounts if they do not produce the PAN Card or do not resolve discrepancies, if any, in the PAN details by **September 30, 2006**. Such accounts would be 'Suspended for Debit' until PAN details are verified and updated by the Depository Participant (DP).

In case of Demat accounts held jointly, all account holders need to provide their PAN Cards.

Original PAN Card needs to be produced to the DP for verifying the photocopy.



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NSDL Calendar of Events

Investor Depository Meets/ Depository Promotion Programs

July 6, 2006	Junagadh	July 20, 2006	Muzaffarpur
July 7, 2006	Jamnagar	July 21, 2006	Begusarai
July 8, 2006	Rajkot	July 22, 2006	Patna
July 13, 2006	Kota	July 27, 2006	Anand
July 14, 2006	Ajmer	July 28, 2006	Surat
July 15, 2006	Jaipur	July 29, 2006	Vadodara

Business Partner Training

July 4-6, 2006	Depository Participant Training
July 11-12, 2006	Share Registrar Training

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