

Circular No.: NSDL/POLICY/2021/0095

September 15, 2021

**Subject: Early Redemption of SGB 2016 Tranche II (Issue date March 29, 2016) and SGB 2016-17 Series II (Issue date September 30, 2016)**

All Participants are hereby informed that RBI has intimated regarding early redemption of SGB 2016 Tranche II (ISIN IN0020150119) and SGB 2016-17 Series II (ISIN IN0020160043) pursuant to RBI Circular No. RBI/2019-20/213, IDMD.CDD.2730/14.04.050/2019-20 dated April 13, 2020 (copy enclosed) notifying rules and regulations applicable for servicing Sovereign Gold Bond Scheme of the Government of India (GoI).

RBI has informed that the window for submission of request for premature redemption to RBI for SGB 2016 Tranche II (ISIN IN0020150119) shall be open from September 15, 2021 to September 22, 2021 and for SGB 2016-17 Series II (ISIN IN0020160043) shall be open from September 16, 2021 to September 23, 2021 on all working days between 8 a.m. to 11.00 p.m.

Process to be followed for submission of the early redemption request by the client to the Participant is given below:

1. The Clients who wish to participate in the early redemption of SGB 2016 Tranche II (ISIN IN0020150119) and SGB 2016-17 Series II (ISIN IN0020160043) will be required to submit the Redemption or Repurchase Request Form (RF) to the Participant.
2. Participant shall execute and forward the early redemption request electronically under Repurchase/Redemption module in the eDPM system as per the existing process.
3. Participant shall provide the details of aforesaid request in the format enclosed at Annexure A in .xls format by email to NSDL at [gsec.dep@nsdl.co.in](mailto:gsec.dep@nsdl.co.in).
4. Participants are advised to ensure the correctness of the bank details of the client in the demat account so as to avoid return of the unpaid amount.

Further schedule of activities in respect of early redemption of the SGB 2016 Tranche II (ISIN IN0020150119) and SGB 2016-17 Series II (ISIN IN0020160043) are given below:

	<b>SGB 2016 Tranche II</b>	<b>SGB 2016-17 Series II</b>
Start Date of Premature Redemption Request submission by Investors to Participants	Wednesday, September 15, 2021	Thursday, September 16, 2021
End Date of Premature Redemption Request submission by Investors to Participants	Tuesday, September 21, 2021	Wednesday, September 22, 2021
Premature Redemption Request submission by NSDL to RBI	Wednesday, September 22, 2021	Thursday, September 23, 2021

Participants are requested to take note of the above and guide their clients suitably.

For more information / clarification, Participants are requested to contact the following officials:

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For and on behalf of  
**National Securities Depository Limited**

**Chirag Shah**  
**Senior Manager**

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<b>FORTHCOMING COMPLIANCE</b>			
<b>Particulars</b>	<b>Deadline</b>	<b>Manner of sending</b>	<b>Reference</b>
Investor Grievance Report (Monthly)	By 10th of the following month.	Through e-PASS	Circular No. NSDL/POLICY/2015/0096 dated October 29, 2015
Networth Certificate and Audited Financial Statements.	September 30th every year.	By hard copy to Inspection Department	Circular No. NSDL/PI/98/414 dated September 1, 1998