

Circular No.: NSDL/POLICY/2024/0098

July 03, 2024

Subject: Standardization of File Formats.

Attention of Participants is invited to NSDL Circular no. NSDL/POLICY/2023/178 dated December 21, 2023 and NSDL/POLICY/2024/0035 dated March 21, 2024, regarding 'Standardization of file formats' wherein the list of fields, standard values and ISO tags were defined.

In continuation of NSDL Circular no. NSDL/POLICY/2024/0087 dated June 19, 2024, Participants are hereby informed that the existing file formats shall continue to be available in parallel along with the new standardized file formats till **August 16, 2024**. Thereafter, the existing file formats shall be discontinued, and only new standardized file formats will be applicable.

In view of the revised timeline for discontinuation of existing file formats from August 16, 2024, following approach has been finalized:

- a) The Participants are advised to report any observations / queries / issues in respect of standardized file formats to NSDL latest by **July 7, 2024**.
- b) NSDL may address all observations / queries / issues received till July 7, 2024 and, if required, provide DPM Version by EOD of **July 15, 2024**.

Participants are advised to take note of the above and ensure that necessary changes are implemented in their back-office system well before **August 16, 2024**.

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

**Arockiaraj
Manager**

FORTHCOMING COMPLIANCE			
Particulars	Deadline	Manner of sending	Reference
Investor Grievance Report (Monthly)	By 10 th of the following month	Through e-PASS	Para 22 of 'Grievance Redressal' chapter and Para 28 of 'Internal Controls/Reporting to NSDL/SEBI' chapter of NSDL Master Circular for Participants.

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