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**Reserve Bank - Integrated Ombudsman Scheme, 2021 (RBIOS, 2021)**

**EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR**

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Mumbai**

**Reserve Bank - Integrated Ombudsman Scheme, 2021 (RBIOS, 2021)**

**NOTIFICATION**

Ref.CEPD.PRD.No.S544/13.01.001/2022-23

August 5, 2022

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub section (1) of Section 11 of the Credit Information Companies (Regulation) Act, 2005, and in partial modification of its [notification CEPD. PRD. No. S873/13.01.001/2021-22 dated November 12, 2021](https://www.rbi.org.in/Scripts/NotificationUser.aspx?Id=12192&Mode=0), the Reserve Bank of India, being satisfied that it is in public interest to do so, and to provide an avenue for cost free alternate grievance redress to customers of regulated entities covered under the RBIOS 2021 (the Scheme) for grievances against Credit Information Companies, hereby directs that the ‘Credit Information Company’ as defined in the Credit Information Companies (Regulation) Act, 2005, shall also be treated as a ‘Regulated Entity’ for the purpose of the Scheme.

2. As a result, the Scheme shall also be applicable to Credit Information Companies to the extent not specifically excluded under the Scheme.

3. The amendment in the Scheme shall come into force w.e.f. September 1, 2022.

4. An updated version of the Scheme is [annexed](https://rbidocs.rbi.org.in/rdocs/content/pdfs/RBIOS2021_amendments05082022.pdf).

(Anil Kumar Sharma)

More details can be referred to in the below link.

Reference Link: <https://www.rbi.org.in/Scripts/NotificationUser.aspx?Id=12371&Mode=0>

**Guidelines on Digital Lending**

RBI/2022-23/111
DOR.CRE.REC.66/21.07.001/2022-23

September 02, 2022

All Commercial Banks,
Primary (Urban) Co-operative Banks, State Co-operative Banks,
District Central Co-operative Banks; and
Non-Banking Financial Companies (including Housing Finance Companies)

Madam/ Sir,

**Guidelines on Digital Lending**

A reference is invited to para 7 of the [RBI Press Release “Recommendations of the Working Group on Digital Lending – Implementation” dated August 10, 2022](https://www.rbi.org.in/Scripts/BS_PressReleaseDisplay.aspx?prid=54187). Detailed guidelines on recommendations of the Working Group accepted for immediate implementation are attached as [Annex I](https://rbi.org.in/Scripts/BS_CircularIndexDisplay.aspx?Id=12382#AN1) to this circular.

2. It is reiterated that outsourcing arrangements entered by Regulated Entities (REs) with a Lending Service Provider (LSP)/ Digital Lending App (DLA) does not diminish the REs’ obligations and they shall continue to conform to the extant guidelines on outsourcing[1](https://rbi.org.in/Scripts/BS_CircularIndexDisplay.aspx?Id=12382#F1). The REs are advised to ensure that the LSPs engaged by them and the DLAs (either of the RE or of the LSP engaged by the RE) comply with the guidelines contained in this circular.

3. It is further advised that the instructions contained in this circular shall be applicable to the ‘existing customers availing fresh loans’ and to ‘new customers getting onboarded’, from the date of this circular. However, in order to ensure a smooth transition, REs shall be given time till November 30, 2022, to put in place adequate systems and processes to ensure that ‘existing digital loans’ (sanctioned as on the date of the circular) are also in compliance with these guidelines in both letter and spirit.

4. These directions are issued under sections 21, 35A and 56 of the Banking Regulation Act, 1949, sections 45JA, 45L and 45M of the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934, sections 30A and 32 of the National Housing Bank Act, 1987, section 6 of the Factoring Regulation Act, 2011 and section 11 of the Credit Information Companies (Regulation) Act, 2005.

Yours faithfully,

(Manoranjan Mishra)
Chief General Manager

More details can be referred to in the below link.

Reference Link: <https://rbi.org.in/Scripts/BS_CircularIndexDisplay.aspx?Id=12382>

**Rupee Drawing Arrangement - Enabling Bharat Bill Payment System (BBPS) to process cross-border inbound Bill Payments**

RBI/2022-23/115
A.P. (DIR Series) Circular No. 14

September 15, 2022

To
All Category-I Authorised Dealer Banks

Madam/Sir,

**Rupee Drawing Arrangement - Enabling Bharat Bill Payment System (BBPS) to process
cross-border inbound Bill Payments**

Please refer to [A.P. (DIR Series) Circular No. 120 dated April 10, 2014](https://www.rbi.org.in/Scripts/NotificationUser.aspx?Id=8832&Mode=0) on ‘Rupee Drawing Arrangement – Direct to Account Facility’, in terms of which, foreign inward remittances received under Rupee Drawing Arrangement (RDA) can be transferred to the KYC compliant beneficiary bank accounts through electronic mode, such as, NEFT, IMPS, etc. subject to the procedure and conditions mentioned therein.

2. As announced in Para 6 of the [Statement on Developmental and Regulatory Policies issued on August 05, 2022](https://rbi.org.in/Scripts/BS_PressReleaseDisplay.aspx?prid=54149), it has been decided to allow foreign inward remittances received under the Rupee Drawing Arrangement (RDA), to be transferred to the KYC compliant bank account of the biller (beneficiary) through Bharat Bill Payment System (BBPS), subject to the conditions mentioned in Para 3 of [A.P. (DIR Series) Circular No.120 dated April 10, 2014](https://rbi.org.in/Scripts/NotificationUser.aspx?Id=8832&Mode=0).

3. AD Cat-I Banks may bring the contents of this circular to the notice of their constituents concerned.

4. The directions contained in this circular have been issued under Section 10(4) and Section 11(1) of the Foreign Exchange Management Act, 1999 (42 of 1999) and are without prejudice to permissions/approvals, if any, required under any other law.

Yours faithfully,

(Vivek Srivastava)
Chief General Manager

More details can be referred to in the below link.

Reference Link: <https://www.rbi.org.in/scripts/NotificationUser.aspx?Id=12386&Mode=0>

**Central Payments Fraud Information Registry – Migration of Reporting to DAKSH**

RBI/2022-23/158
CO.DPSS.OVRST.No.S1619/06-08-005/2022-2023

December 26, 2022

The Chairman / Managing Director / Chief Executive Officer
Banks, Non-bank Payment System Operators (PSOs) and
Credit Card issuing Non-Banking Financial Companies (NBFCs)

Madam / Dear Sir,

**Central Payments Fraud Information Registry – Migration of Reporting to DAKSH**

As announced in the [Monetary Policy Statement 2019-20 on August 07, 2019](https://m.rbi.org.in/Scripts/BS_PressReleaseDisplay.aspx?prid=47819), the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) had operationalised the Central Payments Fraud Information Registry (CPFIR) in March 2020 with reporting of payment frauds by scheduled commercial banks and non-bank Prepaid Payment Instrument (PPI) issuers.

2. To streamline reporting, enhance efficiency and automate the payments fraud management process, the fraud reporting module is being migrated to [DAKSH – Reserve Bank’s Advanced Supervisory Monitoring System](https://prism.rbi.org.in/DAKSH/portal/#/login). The migration will be effective from **January 01, 2023**, i.e., entities shall commence reporting of payment frauds in DAKSH from this date. In addition to the existing bulk upload facility to report payment frauds, DAKSH provides additional functionalities, viz. maker-checker facility, online screen-based reporting, option for requesting additional information, facility to issue alerts / advisories, generation of dashboards and reports, etc. The reporting guidelines are mentioned in the [Annex](https://m.rbi.org.in/scripts/FS_Notification.aspx?Id=12431&fn=9&Mode=0#AN1).

3. These directions are issued under Section 10 (2) read with Section 18 of Payment and settlement Systems Act, 2007 (Act 51 of 2007).

Yours faithfully,

(P. Vasudevan)
Chief General Manager

More details can be referred to in the below link.

Reference Link: <https://m.rbi.org.in/scripts/FS_Notification.aspx?Id=12431&fn=9&Mode=0>