

National Stock Exchange Of India Limited

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All Participants,

Revision of Password Policy and introduction of session logout for EBP

This is further to our Circular no.01/2019 (Download Red no.NSE/DS/40420 dated March 12, 2019 regarding Two-Factor Authentication.

In order to enhance the security measures, the current password policy has been revised. The details of the same are given below:

- The length of password should be of Min 12 characters and Max 15 characters
- The password shall be case sensitive and should contain at least one each of the following characters with no space:
 - Uppercase: A to Z
 - Lowercase: a to z
 - Digit: 0 to 9
 - Non- alphanumeric : @ # \$ % & * /\
- New password must be different from previous 5 passwords.
- User shall be compulsorily required to change password after the lapse of 365 days.
- User Id shall be locked after 5 invalid login attempts.

Log in session shall auto log out after 60 minutes if no activity is performed. Further in last ten minutes, the system shall display a ticker about the remaining time before session logout.

The above changes shall be implemented w.e.f. **April 24, 2020** EOD and accordingly, system shall prompt users to change the password as per the above policy on first time log-in.

Participants are requested to take note of the above and update their existing password as per the above password policy to avoid log in related issues.

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