

National Stock Exchange Of India Limited**Department : Member Service**

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All Members,

Sub: POP network changes – Commissioning date for billing

In an endeavour to empower members in their business operations through highly reliable, resilient, secure and flexible Digital Distribution Architecture, the Exchange had initiated augmentation of the current POP infrastructure with advanced network facilities. To aid this process, the Network Integrator (NI) for POP network has been changed from HCL Comnet Ltd to Sify Technologies Ltd.

Various circulars have been issued by the Exchange in this regard. To ensure highest convenience to members and also assist in smooth transition of connectivity, the project has been rolled out in a phased manner.

To reminisce the overall progress of network transition, members are hereby requested to refer circulars NSE/MSD/37300 dated March 26, 2018, NSE/MSD/37818 dated May 23, 2018 and NSE/MSD/38195 dated June 29, 2018 for process of procurement of new lease lines. A ready reckoner to all the related circulars is as per Annexure I.

Further, to reassure members of seamless transition, the Exchange has waived off the processing fee for all the connectivity requests received during the project period. Further, Interest Free Security Deposits (IFSD) for lease line has also been discontinued. Details in this regard have been communicated to market participants through aforementioned Exchange circular NSE/MSD/37818 dated May 23, 2018. Further, the Exchange has periodically advised members to cooperate and collaborate with Network Integrator to complete the planned activity in a timely manner.

The Exchange once again invites the attention of members having opted for managed service mode for their existing leased lines. In order to ensure timely and efficient commissioning of the new lease lines under migration, members are requested to ensure adherence to the schedule provided by Sify Technologies Ltd as also confirm site readiness, internal cabling etc. and access to personnel of Sify Technologies Ltd and Telecom service provider for link delivery.

In an effort to complete the migration activity as per the pre-defined project timelines, it may be noted that with effect from December 10, 2018, in case the migration of lease lines is not completed on the scheduled date (as mutually agreed between Member and Sify) due to unavailability of site readiness from members side, the Exchange shall be constrained to consider such date as the line commissioning date for all billing purposes.

Members may kindly utilise the checklist provided as Annexure II to assist in ensuring site readiness so as to avoid any inconvenience.

Members are once again urged to kindly co-operate and adhere to the processes/timelines to enable an efficient transition towards the enhanced POP network.

**For and on behalf of
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