

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

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All Empanelled Vendors and Trading Members,

Sub: Colocation - Colocation as a Service (CaaS)

This is in continuation to the Exchange circular NSE/MSD/37707 dated May 07, 2018 regarding introduction of Colocation as a Service "Caas".

Empanelled Vendors and Trading Members are requested to note that members having independent rack in colocation shall now be permitted to avail CaaS facility temporarily. The below modalities may be noted in this regards:

- The facility shall be in place till March 31, 2021.
- Members availing this relaxation have to agree to discontinue the CaaS/Independent rack facility, as the case may be; by March 31, 2021. This member undertaking shall be uploaded by the CaaS vendor while placing the TM Enrolment request via ENIT.
- ARC waiver of one category A IP as available to CaaS members as per circular no 44718 dated June 22, 2020 shall not be applicable to such members.
- This facility will not dilute responsibility, obligation or compliance of vendor and/or member in any manner as detailed in the circular mentioned above and as amended from time to time.
- All other modalities as applicable currently under the CaaS scheme shall continue.
- It shall be the duty of the CaaS vendors to accord priority to non-colocation members over existing colocation subscribers. In the event of CaaS vendor completely exhausting space available with them and in case a request for CaaS is received from a non-colocation member, vendor should make CaaS facility available to such non-colocation member by terminating existing colocation subscribers services in a fair manner after giving appropriate notice. CaaS vendors may accordingly include appropriate terms and conditions in their SPAs.

The circular shall be effective from start of business hours July 06, 2020.

**For and on behalf of
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