



Central Depository Services (India) Limited

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**The Manager,
Listing Compliance Department,
National Stock Exchange of India Ltd,
Exchange Plaza, Bandra Kurla Complex,
Bandra (East), Mumbai – 400051**

Symbol: CDSL
ISIN: INE736A01011

Dear Sir/Madam,

Sub.: Disclosure under Regulation 30 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (LODR)

We are pleased to inform you that The Controller of Certifying Authorities ('CCA') has accorded its approval to CDSL Ventures Limited ('CVL'), the wholly owned subsidiary of CDSL, to provide eSign services. Further, CCA has empanelled CVL as an eSign Service Provider (ESP) to provide eSign services to Application Service Providers ('ASP') based on online Aadhaar eKYC. We are enclosing a copy of the press release for the same.

This is for your information and records.

Thanking you.

Yours faithfully

For Central Depository Services (India) Limited

Nilay R. Shah

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Group Company Secretary & Head Legal

Encl: As above



Media Release

CVL Receives approval as CA from CCA for providing eSign Services

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eSign or Electronic Signature Service can be integrated with various applications to facilitate digital signing of a document, by authenticating Aadhaar based e-KYC of eSign user. eSign provides benefits which includes convenience and security to citizens, while organizations save on time, achieve streamlined processes and reduce the costs associated with handling and storage of paper.

Currently, CVL is also registered with UIDAI as AUA/KUA to offer aadhaar based eKYC services. CVL’s aadhaar based eKYC services coupled with the eSign service will facilitate intermediaries to offer seamless online account opening using online Aadhaar based eKYC and eSign.

CVL has also launched an OnLine Account Opening (OLAO) software for facilitating intermediaries to perform online KYC and open demat and broking accounts of their clients. CVL’s OLAO provides a thrust to seamless online account opening using online Aadhaar based eKYC and eSign.

On this momentous occasion, Shri Sunil Alvares, MD & CEO, CVL said *“The Government of India’s initiatives towards transforming the digital infrastructure is taking constructive shape and CDSL Ventures Limited is honoured to be an eSign service provider in the country as part of this vision. Our eSign services will accelerate the pace of change in ushering a paperless revolution in India.”*

About CDSL Ventures Limited (CVL):

CVL is the first and largest KYC Registration Agency (KRA) in India with over 3.35 crore KYC records. The KRA enables a KYC compliant investor to avoid duplication of KYC process while opening an account for the purpose of trading / investment through multiple intermediaries in the securities market. CVL also

provides services related to aadhaar based eKYC, aadhaar based esign, Online Account Opening, CKYC, Registrar and Share Transfer, GSTN Suvidha Provider and Academic Depository.

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