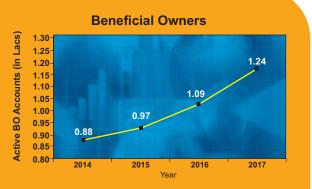
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During the last 12 months, the number of active BO accounts with CDSL has increased from 1.09 Crore as on April 30, 2016 to 1.24 Crore as on April 30, 2017, which indicates growth of 13.76%.



As on April 30, 2017 CDSL has 589 DPs offering DP services from over 17,000 locations across the country. These DPs comprise of CMs, Banks, NBFCs & Custodians.



The securities of almost all listed companies have been admitted with CDSL for demat. Further, a large number of Private Limited and unlisted companies are also admitted with CDSL. As on April 30, 2017, the securities of 10,248 unique companies have been admitted for demat with CDSL.

NATIONAL ACADEMIC DEPOSITORY (NAD)

The Government of India has established a digital depository of academic awards to be known as National Academic Depository (NAD) on the pattern of securities depository. National Academic Depository (NAD) would be an online store house of academic awards (degrees, diplomas, certificates, mark-sheets, etc.) lodged by the academic Institutions/boards/eligibility assessment bodies in a digital format. CDSL Ventures Limited (CVL) will act as a digital Depository for NAD by storing academic awards in the digital format and will ensure data integrity.

University Grants Commission (UGC) has advised academic institutions to enter into agreement with digital depositories for the utilizing of the services of NAD. CVL has developed an online portal, <u>www.nad.co.in</u>, wherein Academic Institutions (AIs) can upload awards, thus making them permanently available to all stakeholders. AIs, Boards, Universities and eligibility assessment bodies can join CVL by signing the NAD Service Level Agreement (SLA) and take a step closer towards the "Digital India" vision of Hon'ble Prime Minister.

Students can now access their Mark sheets & Degree Certificates online on <u>www.nad.co.in</u>, the online National Academic Depository (NAD) facilitated by MHRD, GOI. Click here to view the video: <u>https://youtu.be/XfVOVdG2iss</u>

LINKING OF DEMAT ACCOUNTS OF INDIVIDUALS WITH AADHAR

In the Union Budget 2017-18, it was announced that "Individual demat accounts will be linked with Aadhar". Accordingly, SEBI in consultation with depositories has decided that steps should be taken for the aforesaid.

Investors are requested to provide their Aadhar Number (UID) in the "Additional KYC Form for opening a Demat Account-For Individuals". Aadhar Number may be provided for all holders after which the Depository Participant (DP) shall incorporate the Aadhar details in the CDSL system. BOs are also advised to submit a copy of their Aadhar card while opening a demat account. DPs shall be validating the authenticity of the Aadhar number.

Existing demat account holders are also requested to submit details of Aadhar number along with copy of Aadhar Card to their DPs.

For further details, kindly refer to CDSL communique no. CDSL/OPS/DP/POLCY/2017/176.

AMENDMENT TO CDSL BYE LAWS

With a view to obtain KYC documents, CDSL has amended its bye law as under:

"Notwithstanding anything in this bye law, CDSL shall be entitled to freeze any account of a Beneficial Owner in the manner specified in the operating instructions issued by CDSL from time to time in case where deficiency in KYC document is found."

BOs, who have not submitted their KYC documents to their DP, are therefore requested to complete their KYC at the earliest to avoid stoppage in their demat account transactions.



CDSL e-Infoline

CDSL AWARDED INFOSEC MAESTROS AWARDS 2017



CDSL is pleased to inform that it has been awarded the InfoSec Maestros Award. The award is an initiative to felicitate the innovative, talented and accomplished information security professionals across industry verticals, who have significantly contributed to the enhancement of the information security workforce by demonstrating a leadership role in any information security workforce improvement initiative, program or project.

NISM DEPOSITORY OPERATIONS CPE PROGRAM

As an NISM accredited CPE Provider for conducting the Depository Operations Program, CDSL conducted CPE training programmes at Mumbai on April 22, 2017.

SUCCESSFUL FACILITATION OF ELECTRONIC VOTING

At present, more than 4600 companies have signed agreements with CDSL for availing its e-Voting facility, of which over 4050 companies have used CDSL's e-Voting platform, <u>www.evotingindia.com</u>, to conduct electronic voting for AGMs and postal ballot resolutions for over 12,000 occasions.

CDSL'S E-VOTING MOBILE APP M-VOTING

CDSL's e-Voting is an internet based system (www.evotingindia.com) through which shareholders can login and register their votes on company resolutions. The system processes and records votes automatically, which facilitates faster processing of voting results.

For convenience of shareholders, CDSL has launched "m-Voting"- a mobile app to facilitate e-Voting. m-Voting is designed with adaptive technology such that it fits in all Smart Phones/Screen sizes. The m-Voting app can be downloaded by shareholders on their Android, iOS and Windows based mobile users.

STEPS FOR SHAREHOLDERS TO VOTE THROUGH m-Voting

- Shareholders may login to the m-Voting App using their e-Voting credentials as provided in the notice of the company.
- After entering the user id and password, shareholders will be directed to the EVSN (Electronic Voting Sequence Number) screen. Shareholders can select the EVSN to vote on a particular company.
- 3) Shareholders will be able to view their security holdings and the resolutions available for voting.
- 4) Shareholders can now select the relevant options i.e. Assent or Dissent for/against the resolutions on display.
- 5) Shareholders should click on submit and provide their confirmation to cast their votes.
- 6) Once submitted, votes will be automatically recorded and cannot be modified.
- 7) Shareholder may view his, voting details till the end of the voting period of an EVSN.

- 8) m-Voting can also be used by shareholders at the AGM/EGM venue of companies who have availed of CDSL's venue voting facility. The shareholder has to click on the Venue option and enter the password as provided at the venue.
- 9) Shareholders may click on the Change Password option under Menu and change their password.
- 10) Shareholder can reset their password by entering their User Id and clicking on Forgot Password. Shareholder will then have to login as a new user and reset their password.

DPs ADMITTED IN CDSL

DP ID	DPNAME
84300	FINVASIA SECURITIES PVT. LTD.
84400	SIGNATURE GLOBAL SECURITIES PVT. LTD.

INVESTOR AWARENESS PROGRAMS (IAPs)

During April 2017, CDSL BOPF Trust has conducted 7 IAPs across India. DPs/CMs also participated in these IAPs. These programs were directed towards educating Investors about depository services, investing in Capital Markets, etc. For details on forthcoming IAPs, kindly click on <u>Investor Meet.</u>



IAP conducted with Sharekhan Limited in Bhilwara, Rajasthan on April 25, 2017.



Mr. Eman Kalyan Ghosh of Destimoney Securities Private Limited addressing the audience at an IAP conducted in Pasighat, Arunachal Pradesh on April 23, 2017.

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Now! Make Every Vote Count

Introducing CDSL's e-Voting

Empowering Investors

Features:

- 1. Facilitates shareholders to vote electronically on www.evotingindia.com for Postal Ballot, AGMs, EGMs etc.
- 2. Reduction in administrative cost and faster and transparent voting process viz:
 - Saving in postage and storage of postal ballots
 - No verification of signatures
 - Automated counting of electronic votes
- 3. Elimination of invalid votes and loss in transit cases.
- 4. Ample time to vote for Shareholders Till the last minute.
- 5. Venue voting facility available.
- 6. e-Voting Mobile App (m-Voting)

Over 4600 companies have registered for CDSL's e-Voting facility. Have You?

Enter

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To join, please contact our e-Voting team on (022) 2272 8153 / 5040, or email: helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com

