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All Scheduled Commercial Banks All Regional Rural Banks All Payments Banks All Small Finance Banks All Local Area Banks All Primary Urban Cooperative Banks All State Cooperative Banks All District Central Cooperative Banks [As applicable]

Madam / Dear Sir,

Regulations Review Authority (RRA 2.0) – Interim Recommendations – Discontinuation/Merger/Online Submission of Returns

Please refer to the <u>Press Release dated February 18, 2022</u> issued on the captioned subject.

2. As part of the implementation of the interim recommendations of the RRA 2.0, it is proposed to convert the paper based/ e-mail-based returns listed in the <u>Annex 1</u> to online filing. The exact date of online filing of the returns listed in the <u>Annex 1</u> would be notified in due course. Till such time, the returns may continue to be submitted as hitherto.

3. Further, banks are advised to discontinue submission of returns as mentioned in <u>Annex 2</u>.

Yours faithfully,

(Neeraj Nigam) Chief General Manager-in-Charge

Encl: As above

Annex – 1

List of Returns to be converted into Online submission

S.No	Return Name	Return Description	Reporting Entities
1	Report on issue of Subordinated Debt, raising of Upper Tier II Capital, Perpetual Debts and Equity Capital (Qualified Institutional Placements-QIP, Preferential issue to Promoters, GDR issue) together with copy of document	Report on issue of Subordinated Debt, raising of Upper Tier II Capital, Perpetual Debts and Equity Capital (Qualified Institutional Placements-QIP, Preferential issue to Promoters, GDR issue) together with copy of document	All Commercial Banks (Excluding Local Area Banks and RRBs)
2	Payment of dividend	Details of dividend declared during the financial year and other details as per the circular	SCBs (excluding RRBs)
3	Form II	Monthly return claiming refund from the DEA Fund (Original hardcopy to be submitted by 15th of the succeeding month to which the claim pertains)	SCBs (including RRBs), Local Area Banks, UCBs, StCBs, DCCBs, SFBs and PBs
4	Form III	Certificate of reconciliation of balances for the Half Year ended June/December to be submitted by banks not later than July 31 and January 31	SCBs (including RRBs), Local Area Banks, UCBs, StCBs, DCCBs, SFBs and PBs
5	Annual Certificate	A yearly return certified by statutory auditor and to be submitted by banks in original within one month from the date of completion of their annual audit	SCBs (including RRBs), Local Area Banks, UCBs, StCBs, DCCBs, SFBs and PBs
6	Certificate regarding continuance of the "fit and proper" status of all major shareholder	Certificate regarding continuance of the "fit and proper" status of all major shareholders. In case any major shareholder is assessed to be not "fit and proper", the concerned bank shall report the same immediately in Form D specified in the Schedule to extant Master Directions	All Private Sector Banks including Local Area Banks

Annex – 2

List of Returns – Discontinuation of submission to DoR

S.No	Return Name	Return Description	Reporting Entities		
1	Leverage Ratio reporting	Para 16.5.2 of Master Circular	All Scheduled		
	(Master Circular – Basel III	on 'Basel III Capital	Commercial Banks		
	Capital Regulations -	Regulations' require banks to	(Excluding Local		
	DBR.No.BP.BC.1/21.06.201	report their leverage ratio to	Area Banks		
	/2015-16) dated July 1,	the RBI (DoR and DoS) on a	and Regional Rural		
	<u>2015</u>)	quarterly basis.@	Banks)		
@ Beginning from quarter ended March 2022, banks are not required to report the					
Leverage Ratio to DoR. As hitherto, banks shall continue to report the Leverage Ratio					
to DoS.					
2.	Table 34 (Distribution of	Table 34 (Distribution of	State Cooperative		
	offices population/group	offices population/group wise)	Banks (StCBs),		
	wise)	is reported to Regional Offices	District Central		
		of RBI and DSIM (erstwhile	Cooperative Banks		
		DESACS) #	(DCCBs)		
# Beginning from year ended March 2022, banks are not required to submit this return					
to Regional Offices of RBI. As hitherto, banks shall continue to report the data to DSIM					
through Central Information System for Banking Infrastructure (CISBI) portal.					