

**A. IMPORTANT POINTS:**

1. Fields marked with '\*' are mandatory fields
2. Tick 'v' wherever applicable
3. A. Self-Certification of documents is mandatory. Self-attested copy of PAN card is mandatory for all clients.  
B. Copies of all the documents submitted by the applicant should be self-attested and accompanied by originals for verification. In case the original of any document is not produced for verification, then the copies should be properly attested by entities authorized for attesting the documents, as per the below mentioned list.
4. Please fill the form in English and in BLOCK Letters. If any proof of identity or address is in a foreign language, then translation into English is required.
5. Please fill all dates in DD-MM-YYYY format.
6. A. Name & address of the applicant mentioned on the KYC form, should match with the documentary proof submitted.  
B. The name should match with the name as mentioned in the Proof of Identity submitted failing which the application is liable to be rejected.  
C. Please state the name with Prefix (Mr. / Mrs. / Ms. / Dr. etc.)
7. Either father's name or spouse's name is to be mandatorily furnished. In case PAN is not available father's name is mandatory.
8. If correspondence & permanent address are different, then proofs for both have to be submitted.
9. Wherever state code and country code is to be furnished, the same should be the two-digit code as per Indian Motor Vehicle, 1988 and ISO 3166 country code respectively list of which is available at the end.
10. KYC number of applicant is mandatory for updation of KYC details.
11. For non-residents and foreign nationals, (allowed to trade subject to RBI and FEMA guidelines), copy of passport/PIO Card/OCI Card and overseas address proof is mandatory.
12. For foreign entities, CIN is optional; and in the absence of DIN no. for the directors, their passport copy should be given.
13. In case of Merchant Navy NRI's, Mariner's declaration or certified copy of CDC (Continuous Discharge Certificate) is to be submitted.
14. For opening an account with Depository participant or Mutual Fund, for a minor, photocopy of the School Leaving Certificate/Mark sheet issued by Higher Secondary Board/Passport of Minor/Birth Certificate must be provided.
15. Politically Exposed Persons (PEP) are defined as individuals who are or have been entrusted with prominent public functions in a foreign country, e.g., Heads of States or of Governments, senior politicians, senior Government/judicial/ military officers, senior executives of state owned corporations, important political party officials, etc.

**B. (1) Proof of Identity (POI): - List of documents admissible as Proof of Identity:**

1. PAN card with photograph. This is mandatory requirement for all applicants except those who are specifically exempt from obtaining PAN (listed in Section D).
2. Unique Identification Number (UID) (Aadhaar)/ Passport/ Voter ID card/ Driving license.
3. Identity card/ document with applicant's Photo, issued by any of the following: Central/State Government and its Departments, Statutory/Regulatory Authorities, Public Sector Undertakings, Scheduled Commercial Banks, Public Financial Institutions, Colleges affiliated to Universities, Professional Bodies such as ICAI, ICWAI, ICSI, Bar Council etc., to their Members; and Credit cards/Debit cards issued by Banks/NREGA Job Card.

**B. (2) Clarification / Guidelines on filling 'Proof of Identity [PoI]' section**

1. If driving license number or passport is provided as proof of identity then expiry date is to be mandatorily furnished.
2. Mention identification / reference number if 'Z- Others (any document notified by the central government)' is ticked

**C. (1) Proof of Address (POA): List of documents admissible as Proof of Address: (\*Documents having an expiry date should be valid on the date of submission.**

1. Passport/ Voters Identity Card/ Ration Card/ Registered Lease or Sale Agreement of Residence/ Driving License/ Flat Maintenance bill/ Insurance Copy/ Unique Identification Number (UID) (Aadhaar) /NREGA Job Card.

2. Utility bills like Telephone Bill (only land line), Electricity bill or Gas bill - Not more than 3 months old.
3. Bank Account Statement/Passbook -- Not more than 3 months old.
  - a. Bank Statement (Original/photocopy) with bank logo (Statement end date must not be more than 3 months old), must be accompanied with a cheque copy (if given as an address proof).
  - b. Bank Statement (Original/photocopy) without bank logo (Statement end date must not be more than 3 months old), must be attested in original by the bank official, along with name, designation, signature, and bank stamp. Same needs to be with an original cancelled cheque copy (if given as an address proof).
4. Self-declaration by High Court and Supreme Court judges, giving the new address in respect of their own accounts.
5. Proof of address issued by any of the following: Bank Managers of Scheduled Commercial Banks/Scheduled Co-Operative Bank/Multinational Foreign Banks/Gazetted Officer/Notary public/Elected representatives to the Legislative Assembly/Parliament/Documents issued by any Govt. or Statutory Authority.
6. Identity card/document with address, issued by any of the following: Central/State Government and its Departments, Statutory/Regulatory Authorities, Public Sector Undertakings, Scheduled Commercial Banks, Public Financial Institutions, Colleges affiliated to Universities and Professional Bodies such as ICAI, ICWAI, ICSI, Bar Council etc., to their Members.
7. For FII/sub account, Power of Attorney given by FII/sub-account to the Custodians (which are duly notarized and/or apostilled or consularised) that gives the registered address should be taken.
8. The proof of address in the name of the spouse may be accepted.

**C. (2) Clarification / Guidelines on filling 'Proof of Address [PoA] - Current / Permanent / Overseas Address details' section**

1. PoA to be submitted only if the submitted PoA does not have an address or address as per PoA is invalid or not in force.
2. State / U.T Code and Pin / Post Code will not be mandatory for Overseas addresses

**C. (3) Clarification / Guidelines on filling 'Proof of Address [PoA] - Correspondence / Local Address details' section**

1. To be filled only in case the PoA is not the local address or address where the customer is currently residing. No separate PoA is required to be submitted

**C. (4) Clarification / Guidelines on filling 'Contact details' section**

1. Please mention two- digit country code and 10 digit mobile number (e.g. for Indian mobile number mention 91-9999999999).
2. Do not add '0' in the beginning of Mobile number

**D. Exemptions/clarifications to PAN (\*Sufficient documentary evidence in support of such claims to be collected)**

1. In case of transactions undertaken on behalf of Central Government and/or State Government and by officials appointed by Courts e.g. Official liquidator, Court receiver etc.
2. Investors residing in the state of Sikkim.
3. UN entities/multilateral agencies exempt from paying taxes/filing tax returns in India.
4. SIP of Mutual Funds upto Rs 50, 000/- p.a.
5. In case of institutional clients, namely, FIIs, MFs, VCFs, FVCI, Scheduled Commercial Banks, Multilateral and Bilateral Development Financial Institutions, State Industrial Development Corporations, Insurance Companies registered with IRDA and Public Financial Institution as defined under section 4A of the Companies Act, 1956, Custodians shall verify the PAN card details with the original PAN card and provide duly certified copies of such verified PAN details to the intermediary.

**E. List of people authorized to attest the documents:**

1. Notary Public, Gazetted Officer, Manager of a Scheduled Commercial/ Co-operative Bank or Multinational Foreign Banks (Name, Designation & Seal should be affixed on the copy).
2. In case of NRIs, authorized officials of overseas branches of Scheduled Commercial Banks registered in India, Notary Public, Court Magistrate, Judge, Indian Embassy /Consulate General in the country where the client resides are permitted to attest the documents.

**F. In case of Non-Individuals, additional documents to be obtained from non-individuals, over & above the POI & POA, as mentioned below:**

<b>Types of entity</b>	<b>Documentary requirements</b>
Corporate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Copy of the balance sheets for the last 2 financial years (to be submitted every year).</li> <li>• Copy of latest share holding pattern including list of all those holding control, either directly or indirectly, in the company in terms of SEBI takeover</li> <li>• Regulations, duly certified by the company secretary/Whole time director/MD (to be submitted every year).</li> <li>• Photograph, POI, POA, PAN and DIN numbers of whole time directors/two directors in charge of day to day operations.</li> <li>• Photograph, POI, POA, PAN of individual promoters holding control – either directly or indirectly.</li> <li>• Copies of the Memorandum and Articles of Association and certificate of incorporation.</li> <li>• Copy of the Board Resolution for investment in securities market.</li> <li>• Authorized signatories list with specimen signatures</li> </ul>
Partnership firm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Copy of the balance sheets for the last 2 financial years (to be submitted every year)</li> <li>• Certificate of registration (for registered partnership firms only)</li> <li>• Copy of partnership deed</li> <li>• Authorized signatories list with specimen signatures</li> <li>• Photograph, POI, POA, PAN of Partners</li> </ul>
Trust	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Copy of the balance sheets for the last 2 financial years (to be submitted every year).</li> <li>• Certificate of registration (for registered trust only).</li> <li>• Copy of Trust deed</li> <li>• List of trustees certified by managing trustees/CA.</li> <li>• Photograph, POI, POA, PAN of Trustees.</li> </ul>
HUF	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PAN of HUF.</li> <li>• Deed of declaration of HUF/ List of coparceners.</li> <li>• Bank pass-book/bank statement in the name of HUF.</li> <li>• Photograph, POI, POA, PAN of Karta.</li> </ul>
Unincorporated association or a body of individuals	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Proof of Existence/Constitution document.</li> <li>• Resolution of the managing body &amp; Power of Attorney granted to transact business on its behalf.</li> <li>• Authorized signatories list with specimen signatures.</li> </ul>
Banks/Institutional Investors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Copy of the constitution/registration or annual report/balance sheet for the last 2 financial years.</li> <li>• Authorized signatories list with specimen signatures</li> </ul>
Foreign Institutional Investors (FII)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Copy of SEBI registration certificate.</li> <li>• Authorized signatories list with specimen signatures</li> </ul>
Army/ Government Bodies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Self-certification on letterhead.</li> <li>• Authorized signatories list with specimen signatures.</li> </ul>
Registered Society	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Copy of Registration Certificate under Societies Registration Act.</li> <li>• List of Managing Committee members.</li> <li>• Committee resolution for persons authorized to act as authorized signatories with specimen signatures.</li> <li>• True copy of Society Rules and Bye Laws certified by the Chairman/Secretary.</li> </ul>

**G. INSTRUCTIONS/ CHECK LIST**

1. Additional documents in case of trading in derivatives segments - illustrative list:

Copy of ITR; Copy of Annual Accounts ; In case of salary income - Salary Slip; Copy of Form 16; Net worth certificate; Copy of demat account holding statement; Bank account statement for last 6 months; Any other relevant documents substantiating ownership of assets; Self-declaration with relevant supporting documents

\* In respect of other clients, documents as per risk management policy of the stock broker need to be provided by the client from time to time.

2. Copy of cancelled cheque leaf/ pass book/bank statement specifying name of the constituent, MICR Code or/and IFSC Code of the bank should be submitted.
3. Demat master or recent holding statement issued by DP bearing name of the client.
4. For individuals:
  - a) Stock broker has an option of doing 'in-person' verification through web camera at the branch office of the stock broker/sub-broker's office.
  - b) In case of non-resident clients, employees at the stock broker's local office, overseas can do in-person' verification. Further, considering the infeasibility of carrying out 'In-person' verification of the non-resident clients by the stock broker's staff, attestation of KYC documents by Notary Public, Court, Magistrate, Judge, Local Banker, Indian Embassy / Consulate General in the country where the client resides may be permitted.

For non-individuals:

1. Form need to be initialized by all the authorized signatories.
2. Copy of Board Resolution or declaration (on the letterhead) naming the persons authorized to deal in securities on behalf of company/firm/others and their specimen signatures.

### Instructions for FATCA & CRS Declaration

- a. Financial Institution / Foreign Financial Institution [FFI] – Means any non-US financial institutions that is a – (1) Depository institution – accepts deposits in the ordinary course of banking or similar business; (2) Custodian institution - as a substantial portion of its business, hold financial assets for the accounts of others; (3) Investment entity – conducts a business or operates for or on behalf of a customer for any of the activities like trading in money market instruments, foreign exchange, foreign currency, etc. or individual or collective portfolio management or investing, administering or managing funds, money or financial assets on behalf of other persons; or an entity managed by this type of entity; or (4) Insurance company – entity issuing insurance products i.e. life insurance; (5) Holding or Treasury company – entity that is part of an expanded affiliate group that includes a depository, custodian, specified insurance company or investment entity
- b. Direct Reporting NFFE – a NFFE that elects to report information about its direct or indirect substantial U.S. owners to the IRS
- c. GIIN not required category:

Code	Sub-Category
01	Governmental Entity, International Organization or Central Bank
02	Treaty Qualified Retirement Fund; a Broad Participation Retirement Fund; a Narrow Participation Retirement Fund; or a Pension Fund of a Governmental Entity, International Organization or Central Bank
03	Non-public fund of the armed forces, an employees' state insurance fund, a gratuity fund or a provident fund
04	Entity is an Indian FI solely because it is an investment entity
05	Qualified credit card issuer
06	Investment Advisors and Investment Managers
07	Exempt collective investment vehicle
08	Trustee of an Indian Trust
09	FI with a local client base
10	Non-registering local banks
11	FFI with only Low-Value Accounts
12	Sponsored investment entity and controlled foreign corporation
13	Sponsored, Closely Held Investment Vehicle
14	Owner Documented FFI

- d. Listed Company - A company is publicly traded if its stock are regularly traded on one or more *established securities markets* (*Established securities market means an exchange that is officially recognized and supervised by a governmental authority in which the securities market is located and that has a meaningful annual value of shares traded on the exchange*)

- e. Related Entity - an entity is a “Related Entity” of another entity if one controls the other, or the two entities are under common control (where control means direct or indirect ownership of more than 50% of the vote or value in an entity)
- f. Non-financial foreign entity [NFFE] – Non-US entity that is not a financial institution [including a territory NFFE]. Following NFFEs are excluded from FATCA reporting – (a) Publicly traded corporation / listed companies; (b) Related Entity of a listed company; and (c) Active NFFE
- g. Active NFFE – Any one of the following –

Code	Sub-Category
01	Less than 50% of the NFE’s gross income for the preceding calendar year or other appropriate reporting period is passive income and < 50% of the assets held by NFE are assets that produce or are held for the production of passive income
02	The NFE is a Governmental Entity, an International Organization, a Central Bank , or an entity wholly owned by one or more of the foregoing;
03	Substantially all of the activities of the NFE consist of holding (in whole or in part) the outstanding stock of, or providing financing and services to, one or more subsidiaries that engage in trades or businesses other than the business of a Financial Institution, except that an entity shall not qualify for NFE status if the entity functions (or holds itself out) as an investment fund, such as a private equity fund, venture capital fund, leveraged buyout fund, or any investment vehicle whose purpose is to acquire or fund companies and then hold interests in those companies as capital assets for investment purposes;
04	The NFE is not yet operating a business and has no prior operating history, but is investing capital into assets with the intent to operate a business other than that of a Financial Institution, provided that the NFE shall not qualify for this exception after the date that is 24 months after the date of the initial organization of the NFE;
05	The NFE was not a Financial Institution in the past five years, and is in the process of liquidating its or is reorganizing with the intent to continue or recommence operations in a business other than that of a Financial Institution;
06	The NFE primarily engages in financing and hedging transactions with, or for, Related Entities that are not Financial Institutions, and does not provide financing or hedging services to any Entity that is not a Related Entity, provided that the group of any such Related Entities is primarily engaged in a business other than that of a Financial Institution;
07	Any NFE is a 'non for profit' organization which meets all of the following requirements: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• It is established and operated in its jurisdiction of residence exclusively for religious, charitable, scientific, artistic, cultural, athletic, or educational purposes; or it is established and operated in its jurisdiction of residence and it is a professional organization, business league, chamber of commerce, labour organization, agricultural or horticultural organization, civic league or an organization operated exclusively for the promotion of social welfare;</li> <li>• It is exempt from income tax in India;</li> <li>• It has no shareholders or members who have a proprietary or beneficial interest in its income or assets;</li> <li>• The applicable laws of the NFE's jurisdiction of residence or the NFE's formation documents do not permit any income or assets of the NFE to be distributed to, or applied for the benefit of, a private person or non-charitable Entity other than pursuant to the conduct of the NFE's charitable activities, or as payment of reasonable compensation for services rendered, or as payment representing the fair market value of property which the NFE has purchased; and</li> <li>• The applicable laws of the NFE's jurisdiction of residence or the NFE's formation documents require that, upon the NFE's liquidation or dissolution, all of its assets be distributed to a governmental entity or other non-profit organization, or escheat to the government of the NFE's jurisdiction of residence or any political subdivision thereof.</li> </ul>

- h. Passive NFE - means any NFE that is not (i) an Active NFFE or listed / publicly traded entity or entity related to the listed / publicly traded entity, or (ii) a withholding foreign partnership or withholding foreign trust pursuant to relevant U.S. Treasury Regulations or (iii) the gross income of which is primarily attributable to investing, reinvesting, or trading in financial assets, if the entity is managed by another entity that is a depository institution, a custodial

institution, a specified insurance company, or an investment entity - (Note: Foreign persons having controlling interest in a passive NFE are liable to be reported for tax information compliance purposes)

- i. Passive Income – portion of gross income that consists of dividends, interest, rents and royalties (other than rents and royalties derived in the active conduct of a trade or business conducted, at least in part, by employees of the NFFE), income equivalent to interest / amount received from pool of insurance contracts, annuities, excess of gains over losses from the sale or exchange of property / from transactions (including futures, forwards or similar transactions) in any commodities but not including (i) any commodity hedging transaction, determined by treating the entity as a controlled foreign corporation or (ii) active business gains or losses from the sale of commodities but only if substantially all the foreign entity’s commodities are property, excess of foreign currency gains over losses, net income from notional principal contracts, amounts received under cash value insurance contracts, amounts earned by insurance company in connection with its reserves for insurance and annuity contracts
- j. Controlling Persons means the natural persons who exercise control over an entity. In the case of a trust, such term means the settlor, the trustees, the protector (if any), the beneficiaries or class of beneficiaries, and any other natural person exercising ultimate effective control over the trust, and in the case of a legal arrangement other than a trust, such term means persons in equivalent or similar positions. The term “Controlling Persons” shall be interpreted in a manner consistent with the Financial Action Task Force Recommendations.
- k. Non-Participating FFIs [NPFFIs] – an FFI other than participating FFI, a deemed-complaint FFI, or an exempt beneficial owner
- l. Specified US Persons – Any US Person other than i). A publicly traded corporation; ii). A corporation that is a member of the same expanded affiliate group; iii). A tax exempt organization; iv). an individual retirement plan; v). the United States or an agency or instrumentality of the United States; vi). Any state [including District of Columbia and United States possession] or State Authorities; vii). A bank, viii). A real estate investment trust; ix). A regulated investment company; x). an entity registered with the SEC under the Investment Company Act of 1940; xi). A common trust fund; xii). A tax exempt trust; xiii). A registered dealer; xiv). A registered broker
- m. Expanded affiliated group – One or more chains of members connected through ownership (50% or more, by vote or value) by a common parent entity if the common parent entity owns stock or other equity interests meeting the requirements in at least one of the other members
- n. Owner documented FFI – AN FFI meeting the following requirements – (a) FFI is an FFI solely because it is an investment entity; (b) FFI is not owned by or related to any FFI that is a depository institution, custodial institution, or specified insurance company; (c) FFI does not maintain a financial account for any non-participating FFI; (d) FFI provides the designated withholding agent with all of the documentation and agrees to notify the withholding agent if there is a change in the circumstances, and (e) The designated withholding agent agrees to report to the IRS (or, in case of a reporting Model 1 IGA, to the relevant foreign government or agency thereof) all of the information described in or (as appropriate) with respect to any US specified persons and (2) Notwithstanding the previous sentence, the designated withholding agent is not required to report information with respect to an indirect owner of the FFI that holds its interest through a participating FFI, a deemed-compliant FFI (other than an owner-documented FFI), an entity that is a US person, an exempt beneficial owner, or an exempted NFE

o. Exemption Code for US persons

Code	Sub-category
A	An organization exempt from tax under section 501(a) or any individual retirement plan as defined in section 7701(a)(37)
B	The United States or any of its agencies or instrumentalities
C	A state, the District of Columbia, a possession of the United States, or any of their political subdivisions or instrumentalities
D	A corporation the stock of which is regularly traded on one or more established securities markets, as described in Reg. section 1.1472-1(c)(1)(i)
E	A corporation that is a member of the same expanded affiliated group as a corporation described in Reg. section 1.1472-1(c)(1)(i)

<b>Code</b>	<b>Sub-category</b>
F	A dealer in securities, commodities, or derivative financial instruments (including notional principal contracts, futures, forwards, and options) that is registered as such under the laws of the United States or any state
G	A real estate investment trust
H	A regulated investment company as defined in section 851 or an entity registered at all times during the tax year under the Investment Company Act of 1940
I	A common trust fund as defined in section 584(a)
J	A bank as defined in section 581
K	A broker
L	A trust exempt from tax under section 664 or described in section 4947(a)(1)
M	A tax exempt trust under a section 403(b) plan or section 457(g) plan
N	Not Applicable