



**VLE Capacity Building Program** 

## **About HDFC Bank**



One stop shop for all financial and payment needs



Strong national network



Healthy balance sheet, focus on asset quality



Socially and environmentally responsible corporate citizen -Parivartan



A digital leader



**Core Values** 





Sustainability

People



India's most valued brand



Committed to the highest level of ethical standards, professional integrity, corporate governance and regulatory compliance

## Awards & Accolades - India's Most Valued

**Ranked Most Valuable Brand for 7th year** 2020 BrandZ™ Most Valuable Indian Brands



**Best Private Bank in India** The Banker



Work in India **Business Today** 



**Best Bank in India Finance Asia** 







Strongest Bank in India in 2020

The Asian Banker 500 Largest and Strongest **Banks Ranking** 

> **Best Bank in India Asiamoney**



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## **Financial Inclusion**



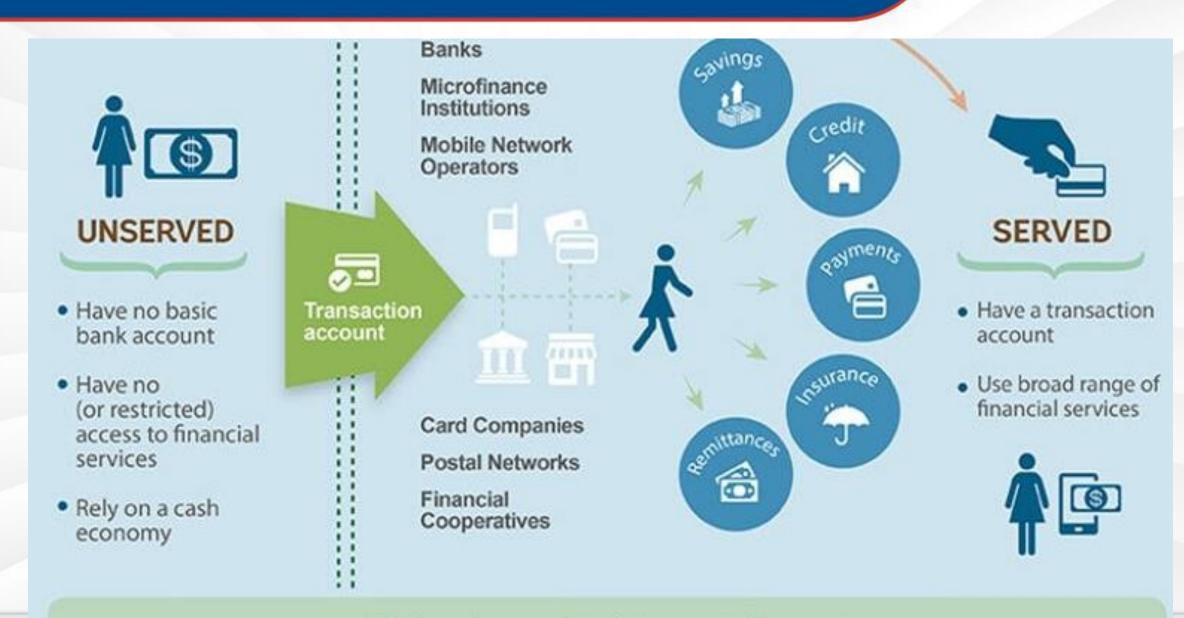


**Financial Inclusion** is described as the method of offering banking and **financial** solutions and services to every individual in the society without any form of discrimination.

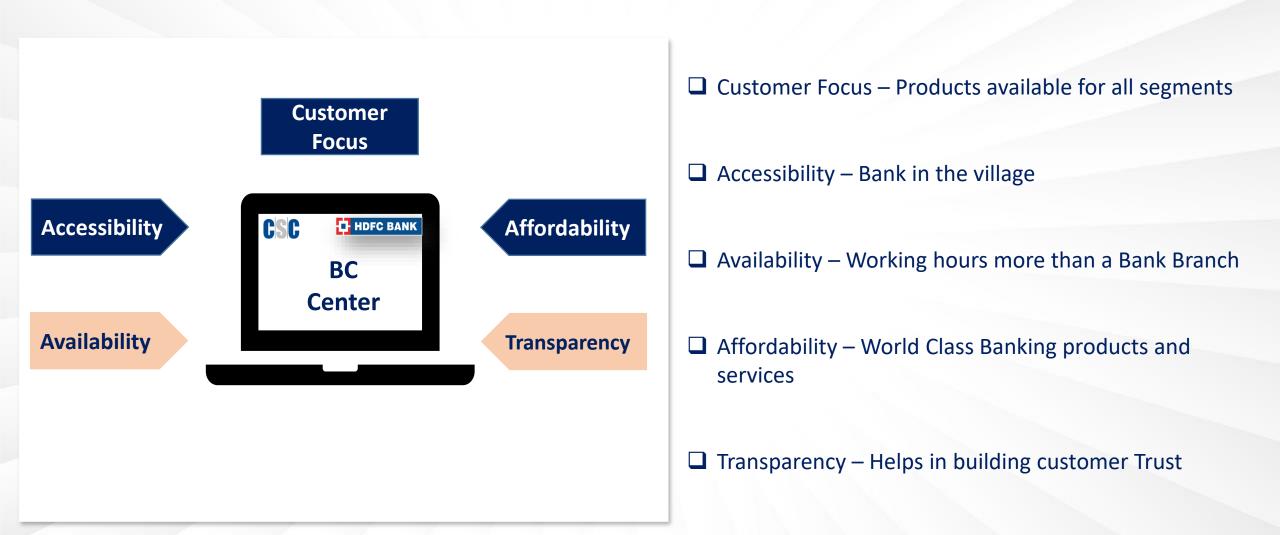
The process of ensuring access to **financial** services and timely and adequate credit where needed by vulnerable groups such as **under bank and low-income groups** at an **affordable cost**.

(The Committee on Financial Inclusion, Chairman: Dr. C. Rangarajan).

## **Financial Inclusion**

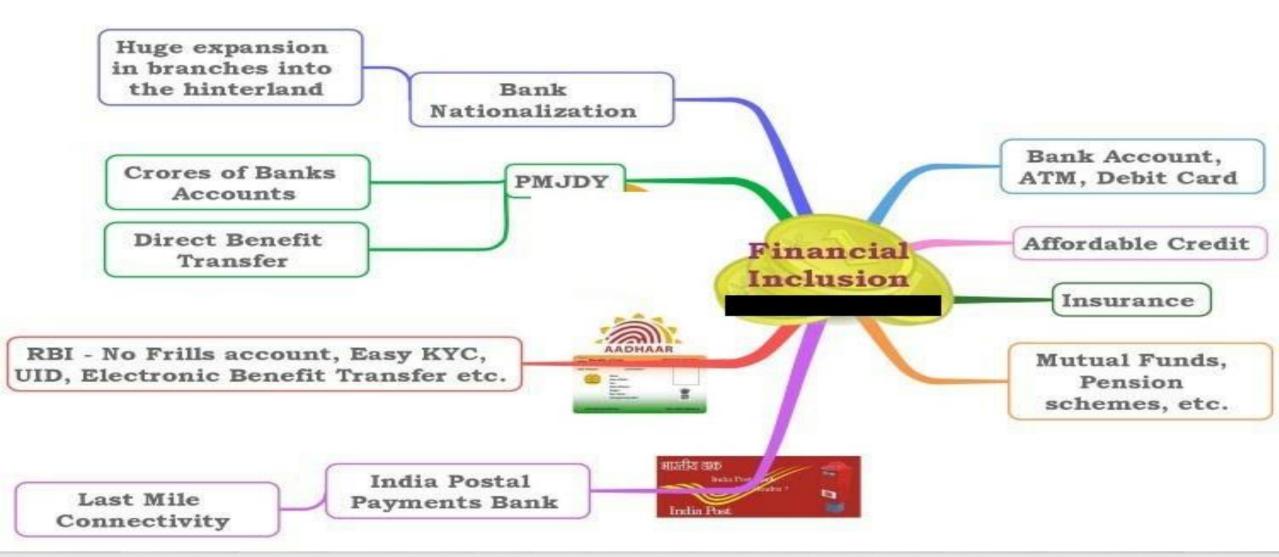


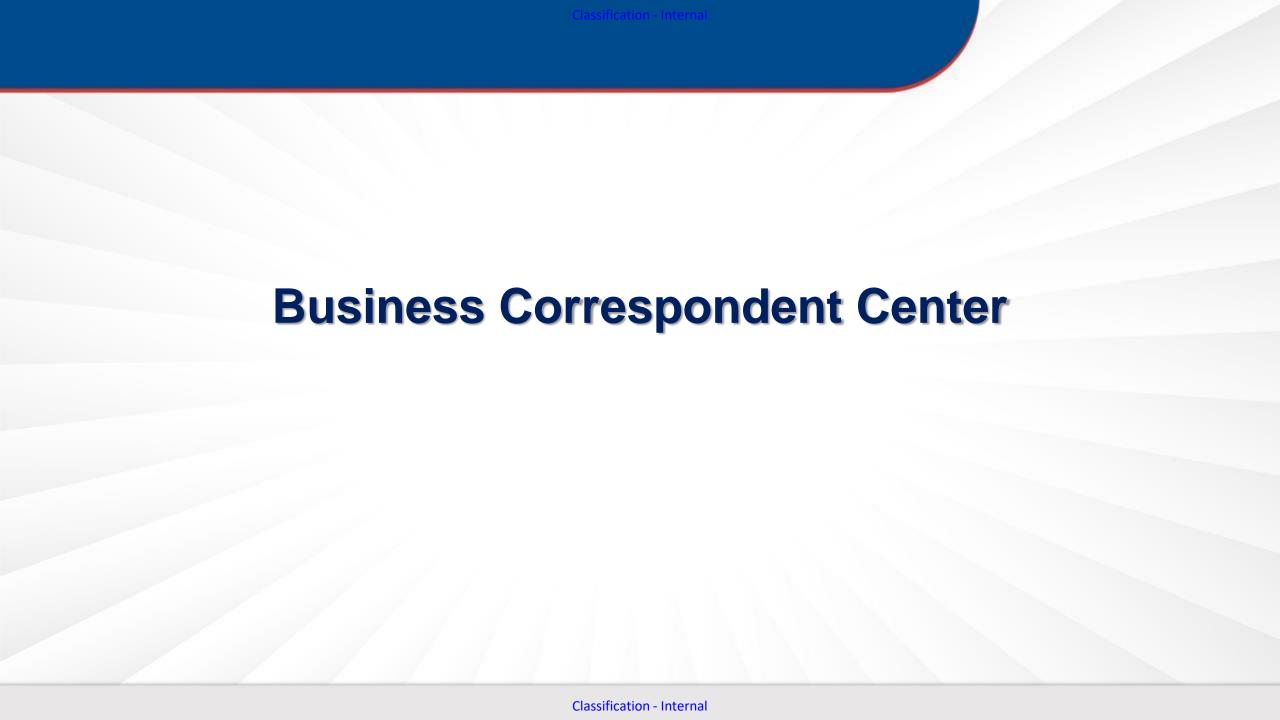
### **Business Correspondent – A Change Agent**





## **Financial Inclusion**





# **About Business Correspondent (BC)**



One stop shop appointed by the Bank through a Corporate Business Correspondent (CSC E-Gov) for all financial services



BCs ensure Financial inclusion and increase outreach of Banking services, thereby stronger reach



BCs provide banking services in hinterlands





Besides provides Banking services and products, they also promote social schemes floated by the GOI through PMJDY BCs



A complete digital mode for transactions and business in line with GOI digital objectives

## Mandatory Certificate Course by IIBF

- A Business Correspondent is the first point of contact and the front face of the bank branch to the citizens.
- In order to enable the BC Agents to be more effective, they need to be imparted the desired level of knowledge.
- This course is aimed at providing the knowledge inputs and skills set to BC Agents. The structure of the course is, therefore, to provide basic knowledge in banking operations and help the BC Agents in developing an overall understanding of the subject.

#### **Course Contents**

**GENERAL BANKING** 

**FINANCIAL INCLUSION AND ROLE OF BUSINESS** CORRESPONDENT **AGENTS** 

**TECHNICAL SKILLS** 

**SOFT SKILLS AND BEHAVIOURAL ASPECTS** 



# **Business Correspondent – KBS**

## **HAR DIN LOGIN**

**Every Business Correspondent** must login to KBS daily minimum 4 hours a days / 5 days a week



**Banking Point for Customers** 

**Customer Service – Transactions** 



### **Business Correspondent – Transactions- Important Actionables**

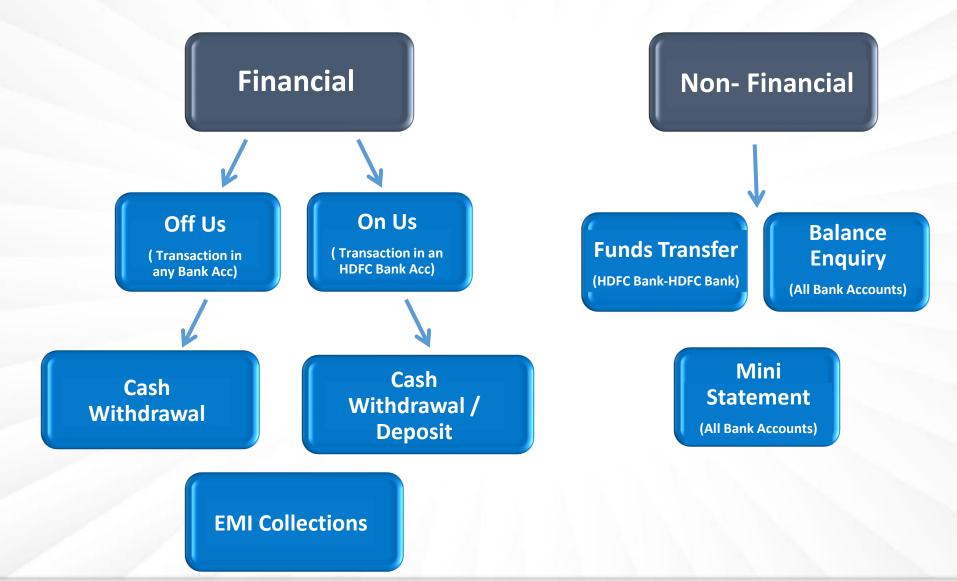
System generated on-line receipt should be issued to the customer invariably for all transactions carried out by him/ her on behalf of the Bank

A@75» **Important Actionables at Business Correspondent Point for KBS** 

Ensure the Equipment is sanitized each time customer uses it

Ensure the terminal is clean, safe and well charged

## **Business Correspondent – Types of Transactions**





# Mandatory Display at BC Point



## **Mandatory Display at BC Point**

- ✓ Grievance Redressal Poster
- ✓ Banking Ombudsman poster
- ✓ Service Charges Poster
- ✓ Complaint Book
- ✓ Services Offered Poster
- ✓ Products Posters Loans and Accounts
- ✓ Registers Complaint, Visit, Account Opening, Transactions
- ✓ Complaint desk email ID
- ✓ Dos and Donts for Customers



# **Basic Banking Principles**

- ✓ Trust- Build customer Trust
- ✓ Confidentiality Maintain customer confidentiality
- ✓ Service Customer Service is of utmost importance
- ✓ Knowledge of Socio-economic factors



## **Importance of KYC**

KYC is the means of identifying and verifying the identity of the customer through independent and reliance source of documents, data or information. For the purpose of verifying the identity of:

- Individual customers: Bank will obtain the customer's identity information, address and recent photograph. Similar information will also have to be provided for joint holders and mandate holders.
- Non-Individual customers: Bank will obtain identification data to verify the legal status of the entity, operating address, the authorized signatories and beneficial owners.

Information is also required on the nature of employment/business that the customer does or expects to undertake and the purpose of opening of the account with the bank.

## **Key Elements of KYC Policy**

Banks generally frame their KYC policies incorporating the following four key elements:

Customer Acceptance Policy; Accept only those clients whose identity is established by conducting due diligence appropriate to the risk profile of the client. Where the investor is a new investor, account must be opened only after ensuring that pre account opening KYC documentation and procedures are conducted.

Customer Identification Procedures; Banks are required to clearly spell out the Customer Identification Procedure to be carried out at different stages i.e. while establishing a banking relationship

Monitoring of Transactions: Transaction Monitoring can be defined as "A formal process for identifying suspicious transactions and a procedure for reporting the same internally". Monitoring means analysis of a customer's transactions to detect whether the transactions appear to be suspicious from an AML

**Risk Management.:** Effective KYC involves knowing a customers identity, their financial activities and the risk they pose. Also while opening accounts we must ensure to do our Due Diligence.



# **Aadhaar Compliance**

### Do's and Don'ts for Aadhaar Compliance

Important precautions to be taken while handling customer's Aadhaar.

#### Do's

- Accept Aadhaar only when given voluntarily by the customer post offering alternatives\*
- Inform the customer of the purpose of taking Aadhaar, in local language understandable to the customer
- Inform & collect *customer's consent prior* to voluntary submission of Aadhaar.
- Aadhaar should be used only for the purpose informed to the customer
- Always *ensure privacy* of customer's 5 Aadhaar Data.

#### Don'ts

- Never share Aadhaar information of the customer with any third parties or via email, phone etc.
- Never store *Aadhaar copies* in branch, laptops / desktops, mobile phones or any portable storage device.
- **Never request** customer to give Aadhaar through email or unsecured social media platforms like WhatsApp, Facebook, etc.
- **Never obtain additional Aadhaar copies** from customers.
- Never publish, display, transfer or post publicly Aadhaar details of the customer.

Each and every Agent / Bank staff / Business Correspondent (BC) / Business Facilitator (BF) is responsible for ensuring Aadhaar compliance – any non-compliance can lead to strict action / penalties.



<sup>\*</sup> **Note:** KYC Alternatives as per prevalent guidelines should be offered to the customers.

## Dos and **Donts** for Business Correspondents

#### **√** Dos

- •Identify customers with strict adherence to KYC norms. Interact with the customer, conduct Financial awareness programs, understand his profile and requirement and source quality accounts for the Bank.
- Maintain customer confidentiality and Have knowledge of local area & language.
- •Isolate and clearly identify the Bank's customer information, documents, records and assets to protect the confidentiality of the information.
- •Issue System generated on-line receipt to the customer invariably for all transactions carried out by him/her on behalf of the Bank.
- •Login himself / herself to KBS system daily, minimum 4 hours a day / 5 days a week.
- Maintain all the registers and display the mandatory posters/certificates prescribed by the Bank carefully.
- •Ensure KBS transaction value is matching with the value of cash withdrawal from the HDFC Bank account.

#### **X Donts**

- •The BC must not collect any additional service charges directly or indirectly from the customers.
- •The BC is not authorized with any powers for sanction of any loan.
- •The BC must not be affiliated to any political/ religious organizations.
- •The BC must not encourage customers to do multiple or split transactions.
- •Must not recommend or mandate alternate products in lieu of delivery of credit. Ex: Force selling Insurance, pension or other products for disbursal of loans
- •Shall take special care not to entice customers by offering any incentives or benefits or false hopes beyond the scope of services that the Principal offers
- The BC must not share his /her Login ID and password to any other outside person.
- The BC should not update his/her personal details eg. Email id, Mobile No, Mailing address while account opening for customer.

### **Mandatory Registers to be maintained by Agents**

Maintaining Register is mandatory for all Agents.

Register works as proof in case of any disputes.

The below are the Register formats to be maintained by Agents.

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### **Loans For Every Need**

Now All Best in Class HDFC Bank Loans can be availed by Customers through the BC centre.

Total of 16 Products are available for the lead generation for the HDFC BC/BF Agents

#### **Loan Products**

- Two Wheeler Loan
- Car Loan
- Gold Loan
- Home Loan
- Personal Loan
- Business Loan

- Tractor Loan
- Group Loans (Self Help Group/ Joint Liability Group)
- Consumer Durable Loan
- Kisan Gold Card Agri Card
- Loans for MSME Companies

- Small Agri Business
- Health Care Finance
- Overdraft Facility to Shopkeepers
- Loan Against Property
- Loans for Construction Equipment and Commercial Vehicles

### **Process to generate Leads for Loans**

Go HDFC BF portal/ Loan Bazaar Portal

Go to Loan Product

Select the Loan required for Customer

Fill in the details and complete the journey

Loan is taken up for disbursement



## **Important instructions on Transactions**

### **Split/Multiple Transactions**

#### **Multiple Transaction**

Transactions which are performed due to system limitation

E.g.: Cash withdrawal of Rs 50,000 broken into more than one transaction (5 Transactions of Rs 10,000 each) since the system allows to withdraw Rs 10,000 per transaction

#### **Split Transactions**

Transactions which are split into smaller amounts intentionally/unintentionally without any system limitation

E.g.: Cash withdrawal of Rs 10,000 split into more than one transaction even though the system allows to withdraw as a single transaction

### **Important Guidance**

BC Agents must not encourage and carry out multiple and split transactions at their center

### **TDS Waiver for customer cash transactions for BC Agents**

#### Tax Deduction at Source (TDS) Rule:-

- Effective September 1, 2019, as per Section 194N of the Income-tax Act, 1961, banks are required to deduct TDS on Cash Withdrawal. Further amended w.e.f 1<sup>st</sup> July'20.
- BC Agents cash transactions carried out for customer cash withdrawal / deposit are exempted from TDS
- As per the IT Act, BC Agents are eligible to get waiver on TDS for cash withdrawal only for BC related transactions

#### **Process of Availing TDS Waiver**

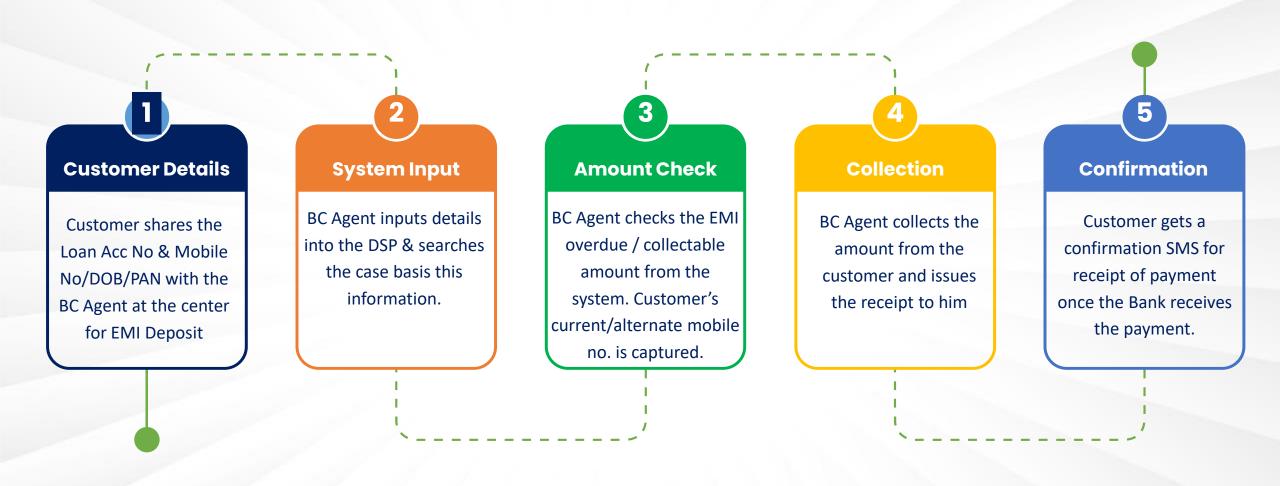
• BC Agent must submit the TDS waiver declaration along with a self signed copy of the BC Agent certificate at the beginning of every Financial year at the HDFC Bank branch.

### **Actionable for Business Correspondents – Debit Authority Letter**

- A One Time Debit Authority Letter from BC Agents is required for a failed / reversed customer transaction.
- BC Agent must visit the nearest branch with a hard copy of the Debit Authority Letter cum Declaration.
- BC Agent must fill up the required details and submit duly signed request along with self- signed copy of valid photo identification proof

Annexure I – Format of Debit Authority Letter
[Date) HDFC Bank Ltd.
Dear Sir,
I, have been appointed as the VLE / BC Agent by (Name of Corporate BC) by virtue of the Business Correspondent Agreement executed between (Name of Corporate BC) and the Bank for carrying out the activities as stated therein.
I hereby confirm that all the transactions carried out by me as a VLE / BC Agent will be conducted on Kiosk Banking System (KBS) and in event of any unsuccessful/failed transactions, the same shall be considered as rejected transactions and I will not process/honour any such transactions with the end customer. I agree and confirm to open a dedicated oursent account with HDFC Bank and this account will be used to carry out the settlement for the business conducted as a VLE <u>LBC</u> Agent and hence will be treated as settlement account for all BC transactions.
I hereby unconditionally authorise you to debit my Account no. ("Settlement Account") maintained with your branch in the event of any successful/failed transactions identified at the time of reconciliation of the transactions carried out by Bank/BC for all such outstanding amounts together with interest, charges, cost, expenses etc. payable by me to the Bank, in connection with the said arrangement. I shall keep the Account adequately funded 90, 95, 90 carry out such transactions in terms of the Agreement executed between the BC and HDFC Bank.
The instruction given by me, as stated above are irrevocable and cannot be modified a consent of HDFC Bank. In the above Settlement Account will not be closed by me unless we receive m HDFC Bank.
This debit authority / operating rights given by me to HDFC Bank, operating instruction that I may have given to the branch during as a VLE /BC Agents with
I agree and undertake to indemnify HDFC Bank it any transactions, which may so take place in m
I agree that HDFC Bank may ex- executed between the BC and HI in any account whatsoever with remedy hereunder shall not be de power or remedy hereunder shall not be de power or remedy hereunder shall not be de power or remedy because of any right, power or fullure or delay by the Bank in exercising any right, power or such right, power or remedy, and any single or partial exercise of any right, further exercise thereof and every right and remedy of HDFC Bank shall wer or remedy is specifically waived by an instrument in writing executed by
This debit authority is irrevocable and constitutes legal and binding obligations on me and my successors and legal heirs and shall continue to be in full force and effect notwithstanding any change in the arrangement between
This debit authority shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of <u>India</u> and I hereby irrevocably submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of the competent courts of
Sincerely,
Signature of BC Agent
Name of BC Agent BC Agent VLE Code BC Agent TID Number Complete Address of BC Agent

### **EMI Collections – Retail Loans & SLI**



## Social Security Schemes

The government of India offers a variety of social security schemes including affordable life, accident cover & a guaranteed pension plan

One can invest in them via a HDFC Bank Savings Account



#### Pradhan Mantri Jeevan Jyoti Bima Yojana (PMJJBY)

- ✓ Get a life cover of ₹ 2 lacs for a premium of ₹ 330 a year
- ✓ Subscribe through SMS or NetBanking
- ✓ Automatically pay your premiums



### Pradhan Mantri Suraksha Bima Yojana (PMSBY)

- ✓ Pay a premium of just ₹12 per year
- ✓ Get accident insurance cover of up to ₹ 2 lacs
- ✓ Easily pay via SMS or NetBanking



#### **Atal Pension Yojana**

- ✓ Get guaranteed monthly pension at the age of 60
- ✓ Monthly investments can be as low as ₹ 42
- ✓ Choose your pension amount from ₹ 1,000 to ₹ 5,000



## Grooming, Communication & Soft Skills

- ✓ Personal Etiquettes
- ✓ Politeness
- ✓ Maintain personal Hygiene and social distancing at the Center
- ✓ Inter- personal skills
- ✓ Telephone etiquettes
- √ E-mail Etiquettes
- √ Negotiation/Persuasive skills
- ✓ Analytical Ability



