

PENSION FUND REGULATORY AND DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

CIRCULAR

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To Point of Presence (PoPs)

Subject: Extension of timelines for activities under National Pension System (NPS) & NPS Lite- Swavalamban Scheme in view of Covid-19 Pandemic.

This has reference to Circulars no. PFRDA/2020/6/SUP-POP/1 dated 06.04.2020 and PFRDA/2020/17/SUP-POP/3 dated 22.05.2020 on the captioned subject.

- 2. In view of the lockdown and other logistical restrictions in various parts of the country owing to Covid -19 pandemic, and on the request of the PoPs, PFRDA is further extending the timelines for various activities as under:
 - (i). POPs may submit the compliance reports (due between 1st March '20 and 30th September '20) within 30 days from the normal due date through email;
 - (ii). Waiver of compensation to be paid to subscribers due to delays in prescribed TATs under the Guidelines for period 1st March 2020 to 30th September 2020;
- 3. POPs are advised to report the delay in the exception report submitted to NPS Trust.
- 4. This circular is issued under Section 14 of PFRDA Act, 2013 and is available in 'Circulars' section of Regulatory Framework at PFRDA's website.

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