

National Stock Exchange of India

Circular

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All Members,

Sovereign Gold Bond 2022-23 - Issuance and Subscription - Series IV

This is in continuation and partial modification to our circular ref no 29/2022 (Download No. 54854) dated December 16, 2022 regarding Issuance and Subscription of Sovereign Gold Bond 2022-23 - Issuance and Subscription-Series III.

The Government of India (GOI) vide its notification GoI notification F.No.4(6)-B(W&M)/2022, Dated December 15,2022 and Reserve Bank of India (RBI) vide its circular bearing Ref. No. RBI/2022-2023/1373 dated December 15, 2022 has notified regarding Sovereign Gold Bonds (SGB) 2022-23 - Series III and Series IV. Further, RBI vide Press Release dated March 03, 2023, provided details of **Sovereign Gold Bond 2022-23 - Series IV**.

The facility for issuance and subscription of SGB 2022-23-Series IV shall be available from March 06, 2023. The parameters for the same are as follows:

Security symbol	SGB222304
Series	GB
Issue Price for Online Mode	₹ 5,561/- Per Gram (for applying online & payment in digital mode)
Issue Price for Other Mode	₹ 5,611/- Per Gram
Issue Period	March 06, 2023 to March 10, 2023 (Excluding March 07, 2023)
Bidding Session Time	10.00 A.M. to 5.00 P.M.
Minimum Bid Quantity	1 (gram)
Maximum Bid Quantity	4000 (grams) for Individual, HUF & 20000 (grams) for Trust and similar entities notified by Govt.*

Note: 07-Mar-2023 shall be holiday on account of Holi

(*) The maximum limit subscribed shall be per fiscal (April-March) as notified by the Government from time to time. The annual ceiling will include bonds subscribed under different tranches during initial issuance by Government and those purchased from the Secondary Market.

Members are requested to note the following: -

1. As per RBI Press Release No 2022-2023/1829 dated March 03, 2023, Investor can apply in on-line / off-line (other) mode. The issue price of the Gold Bonds will be ₹ 50 per gram less than the nominal value to those investors applying online and the payment against the application is made through digital mode.

2. For the subscription period from March 06, 2023 to March 10, 2023 with settlement on March 14, 2023 the nominal value of the bond shall be ₹ 5,611/- (Rupees Five Thousand Six Hundred Eleven only) per gram. The issue price of the Gold Bonds will be ₹ 50 per gram less for those who subscribe online and pay through digital mode. The funds obligation will be generated on respective issue price and accordingly the funds shall be collected.
3. **Trading Member participating in SGB subscription are required to maintain an active clearing bank and depository account with NSE Clearing Limited, to facilitate funds/securities settlement.** For more update, please refer NSE Cir No. NSE/IPO/40943 dated May 08, 2019.
4. The Bonds will be restricted for sale to resident individuals, HUFs, Trusts, Universities and Charitable Institutions.
5. Applications in Demat and Physical mode shall be accepted. However, for physical mode, application form is mandatory and therefore it will be treated as offline mode.
6. The **“Direct Investor Payment Facility” has been discontinued.** Investors are requested not to transfer any funds directly in designated NCL (formerly known as NSCCL) account for SGB.
7. Every application for Demat / Physical mode must be accompanied by **PAN only**.
8. No interest will be paid on application amount.
9. Members are requested to select the on-line/off-line mode of application at the time of manual bid entry accordingly the relevant issue price shall be applicable.
10. In case of bulk file upload facility, based on the price input provided by the members the on-line or off-line (other) mode of application shall be considered. There is no change in the bulk upload file format.

Members may refer to the following Annexures for further details:

Particulars	Annexure No
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RBI Press Release	2
Timelines for funds obligation report, pay-in time and other transaction activities	3
Application form for SGB – Demat Mode	4
Application form for SGB – Physical Mode	5

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- Day wise schedule for Fund Collection for the Bids placed through Normal route (i.e. client along with subscription request provide funds to trading member/participant's clearing bank account) is given below: -

Issue date (Bid entry date)	Fund Pay in Report	Fund Collection
06-Mar-2023	06-Mar-2023	08-Mar-2023
08-Mar-2023	08-Mar-2023	09-Mar-2023
09-Mar-2023	09-Mar-2023	10-Mar-2023
10-Mar-2023	10-Mar-2023	13-Mar-2023

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- Tentative time cycle for transaction activities for SGB shall be as under:**

Activity	Tentative Timelines
During Issue Period (T day)	
T day	
Bid Entry for Gold Bond Issuance	10:00 am - 5:00 pm
Mismatch Report after validation bids with Depository	5:30 pm
Funds pay-in Report	6:00 pm
T+1 day	
Cut off time for Bids Withdrawal Request by Participant (Nmass)	9:30 am
Cut off time to provide clear funds for funds collection	10:30 am
Issue Closure (T Day) → 10-Mar-2023	
Bid Entry for Gold Bond Issuance	10:00 am – 5:00 pm
Mismatch Report after validation bids with Depository	5:30 pm
Modification of Bid details	Up to 6:00 pm
Fund pay-in Report	6:30 pm
T+1 Day → 13-Mar-2023	
Cut off time for Bids Withdrawal Request by Participant (Nmass)	9:30 am
Cut off time to provide clear funds for funds collection	10:30 am
Cut-off time for updating client's information	11:00 am