ACRONYMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

AMC - Asset Management Company
AMFI - Association of Mutual Funds in India
ARN - AMFI Registration Number
AUM - Asset under Management
BSE - Bombay Stock Exchange
BSL – Birla Sun Life
CAGR – Compound Annual Growth Rate
CAPM - Capital Asset Pricing Model
CRISIL - Credit Rating Information Services of India Limited
ELSS - Equity Linked Saving Schemes
ETF - Exchange Traded Fund
FDs - Fixed Deposits
FMCG – Fast Moving Consumer Goods
FMP - Fixed Maturity Plan
FoFs - Funds of funds
GDP – Gross Domestic Product
GEFT - Gold Exchange traded Fund
GOI – Government Of India
HDFC - Housing Development Finance Corporation Limited
HM Model – Henriksson - Merton Model
ICICI PRU - Industrial Credit and Investment Corporation of India Prudential
L&T – Larsen & Toubro
MDS - Multidimensional Scaling
MF - Mutual Fund
MoF - Ministry of Finance
NAV - Net asset Value
NCR - National Capital Region
NFO - New Fund Offer
NIFTY- ‘N’ational Stock Exchange F’ifty’
NSC - National Saving Certificates
NSE - National stock Exchange
PSU – Public Sector Unit
RBI - Reserve Bank of India
SAAME - South America, Africa, Asia and the Middle East
SBI – State Bank of India
SEBI - Securities and Exchange Board of India
SEC - Securities and Exchange Commission
SENSEX – SENSitive indEX ( of Bombay Stock Exchange)
S & P CNX - Standard & Poor's Crisil Nifty Index
SIP - Systematic Investment Plans
SWP- Systematic Withdrawal Plans
T-Bills - Treasury Bills
TM Model – Treynor Mazuy Model
U.S. - United States
UTI - Unit Trust of India