List of Abbreviations

ADs  Authorised Dealers
ADR  American Depository Receipts
BO   Beneficial Owner
BSE  Bombay Stock Exchange
CDS  Currency Derivatives Segment
CM   Clearing Member
CDSL Central Depositories Services Ltd.
CM   Capital Market
Co.  Company
DEA  Department of Economic Affairs
DP   Depository Participant
ECBs External Commercial Borrowings
FCCBs Foreign Currency Convertible Bonds
FII  Foreign Institutional Investor
FIPB Foreign Investment Promotion Board
F&O Futures and Options
FPO  Follow-on Public Offer
GDRs Global Depository Receipts
IDeAS Internet-based Demat Account Statement
ICDR Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements
IEPF Investor Education and Protection Fund
IPO  Initial Public Offer
IPF  Investor Protection Fund
ISIN International Securities Identification Number
KYC  Know Your Client
MCA Ministry of Corporate Affairs
MICR Magnetic Ink Character Recognition
NEAT National Exchange for Automated Trading
NSCCL National Securities Clearing Corporation Ltd.
NSDL National Securities Depository Ltd.
NSE  National Stock Exchange
OTC  Over The Counter
PAN  Permanent Account Number
PCM  Professional Clearing Member
RBI  Reserve Bank of India
RDM  Retail Debt Market
SAT  Securities Appellate Tribunal
SBTS Screen Based Trading System
SC(R)A  Securities Contracts (Regulation) Act, 1956
SC(R)R  Securities Contracts (Regulation) Rules, 1957
SEBI  Securities and Exchange Board of India
SL   Stop Loss
SGF  Settlement Guarantee Fund
SRO  Self Regulatory Organization
STT  Securities Transaction Tax
T+2  Second day from the trading day
TFT  Trade for Trade
TM   Trading Member
UCC  Unique Client Code
UTI  Unit Trust of India
VIX  Volatility Index
WDM  Wholesale Debt Market