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Dear Investor,

We thank you for your investments in **ICICI Prudential FMCG Fund** (the Scheme).

We continue on our journey of striving to bridge the gap between savings and investments to help create long term wealth and value for our investors. In this regard, we are proposing to make change/(s) in type of scheme, asset allocation and investment strategy of the Scheme. As an investor in the scheme, we would like to share with you the change/(s) so that you can take an appropriate and informed decision.

The proposed changes are as follows:

ICICI Prudential FMCG Fund	Existing Features			Revised Features		
Type of the Scheme	An Open Ended Equity Fund			An open ended equity scheme investing in FMCG sector		
Investment Objective	To generate long term capital appreciation through investments made primarily in equities of select group of companies in the FMCG sector. The AMC will be broadly guided, while investing the corpus of the Scheme, among other criteria, by the market capitalization of the companies.			To generate long term capital appreciation through investments made primarily in equity and equity related securities forming part of FMCG sector. However, there can be no assurance of guarantee that the investment objective of the Scheme would be achieved.		
Asset Allocation	Instruments	Allocation (%)	Risk Profile	Instruments	Allocation (%)	Risk Profile
	Equities & Equity related securities of select group of FMCG companies	90 – 100%	Medium to High	Equity & Equity related securities of companies forming part of FMCG sector	80 – 100	High
	Debt & Money Market Instruments	0 – 10%	Low to Medium	Equity & equity related securities of companies other than FMCG sector	0-20	Medium to High
	Note: Investment in securitised debt not exceeding 5% of the corpus of the Scheme.			Debt & Money market instruments	0 – 20	Low to Medium
				The Scheme may also take exposure to:		
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Derivatives instruments up to 100% of the Net Assets. • ADR/GDR/Foreign securities/Overseas ETFs up to 50% of the Net Assets. Investments in ADR/GDR and foreign securities would be as per SEBI Circular dated September 26, 2007 as may be amended from time to time. • Securitised Debt up to 5% of the Net Assets or maximum permissible limit for debt portfolio, whichever is lower. • Stock lending up to 50% of its net assets. The Scheme shall also not lend 			

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		<p>more than 5% of its net assets to any single counter party.</p> <p>In the event of variance from the asset allocation, the fund manager will carry out portfolio rebalancing within 30 Days. Further, in case the portfolio is not rebalanced within the period of 30 days, justification for the same shall be placed before the investment committee and reasons for the same shall be recorded in writing. The investment committee shall then decide on the course of action.</p>																				
<p>Investment Strategy</p>	<p><u>The Fast Moving Consumer Goods Market</u></p> <p>Fast Moving Consumer Goods (FMCG) are products that are typically purchased and used/consumed on a regular basis or at frequent intervals. Typical examples of such products are soaps, detergents, toothpastes, shampoos, safety razors, flour, rice, chocolates etc.</p> <p>FMCG Industry Size</p> <table border="1"> <caption>FMCG Revenue (USD B)</caption> <thead> <tr> <th>Year</th> <th>Revenue (USD B)</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr><td>2007</td><td>18</td></tr> <tr><td>2008</td><td>21</td></tr> <tr><td>2009</td><td>24</td></tr> <tr><td>2010</td><td>30</td></tr> <tr><td>2011</td><td>35</td></tr> <tr><td>2012</td><td>37</td></tr> <tr><td>2013</td><td>45</td></tr> <tr><td>2015</td><td>47</td></tr> <tr><td>2016</td><td>49</td></tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Source: Company presentation; MOSL research</p> <p>The market potential for Fast Moving Consumer Goods in India is large given that it has the 2nd largest population in the world. Today, consumption of branded fast moving consumer goods is low in Indian households, given the prevailing low levels of per capita income.</p> <p>Long term growth in the Indian economy leading to an increase in household per capita income, along with favourable shifts in the demographic profile in terms of income and age distribution, will lead to increased penetration and per capita consumption of fast moving consumer goods. At the same time, FMCG products are largely shielded from economic downturns, given that most of these consumer goods are daily necessities. Accordingly, the industry exhibits ideal characteristics in terms of growth prospects as well as low macro economic risks.</p> <p>The following table shows that the penetration levels of</p>	Year	Revenue (USD B)	2007	18	2008	21	2009	24	2010	30	2011	35	2012	37	2013	45	2015	47	2016	49	<p>Equities</p> <p>Fast Moving Consumer Goods (FMCG) are products that are typically purchased and used/consumed on a regular basis or at frequent intervals. The market potential for Fast Moving Consumer Goods in India is large given that it has the 2nd largest population in the world. Today, consumption of branded fast moving consumer goods is low in Indian households, given the prevailing low levels of per capita income. Favourable demographics and rise in income level could boost FMCG market. FMCG market in India is expected to grow at a CAGR of 20.6 per cent and is expected to reach US\$ 103.7 billion by 2020 from US\$ 49 billion in 2016. FMCG is the 4th largest sector in the Indian economy. Thus, it provides an opportunity for the scheme to benefit from investing in FMCG companies.</p> <p>Growth of FMCG sector in India</p> <p>Growing Demand: Rising incomes and growing youth population have been key growth drivers of the sector. Brand consciousness has also aided demand. Tier II/III cities are witnessing faster growth in modern trade.</p> <p>Higher Investments: Many players are expanding into new geographies and categories. Modern retail share is expected to triple its growth from US\$60 billion in 2015 to US\$180 billion in 2020.</p> <p>Attractive Opportunities: Low penetration levels in rural market offers room for growth.</p>
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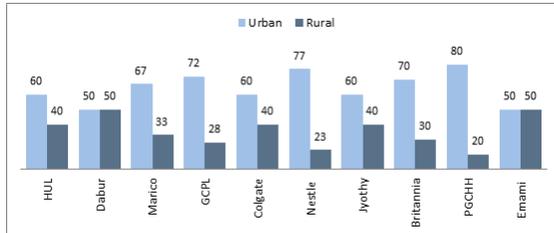
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FMCG products in rural India are much lower than urban India. This implies that rural prosperity will lead to higher growth as FMCG affordability improve in the rural areas.



Source : MOSL research, ,Data is as on February, 2017

The industry predominantly consists of multinational companies operating for a long time in the country, having established brands and well entrenched distribution networks. Such companies typically have very strong balance sheets with low leverage, good amount of cash and cash equivalents, and low proportion of investments in non-core assets. The companies show high returns on investment in absolute terms as well as compared to other industries.

Two key segments of the Indian FMCG sector and those that are expected to be the most significant growth areas are (i) Personal care and (ii) Processed Foods.

The Personal care Market

The personal care market in India comprises daily use items like soaps, detergents, skin care, toothpastes, shampoos, cosmetics, shaving products, contact lenses etc. The following shows the large listed companies that operate in this segment.

Colgate Palmolive India Ltd.
Dabur India Ltd.
Emami Ltd
Godrej Consumer Products Ltd.
Hindustan Unilever Ltd.
Marico Industries Ltd.
Nirma Ltd
Procter & Gamble India Ltd.

The Processed foods Market

The processed foods market presently comprises of Rice, Atta, Salt, Edible Oil, Processed fruit products like jams & soups, noodles, snacks like biscuits and chocolates, beverages like tea & coffee etc. The following shows the large listed companies operating in this segment.

- Britannia Industries Ltd.

Disposable income in rural India has increased due to the direct cash transfer scheme. Exports is another growing segment. E-commerce companies are strengthening their business in FMCG sector, by positioning their platform pantry as front line offering to drive daily products sales.

Policy Support: Foreign equity in single brand retail and 51 per cent in multi-brand retail. Initiatives like Food Security Bill and direct cash transfer subsidies reach about 40 per cent of households in India. The minimum capitalisation for foreign FMCG companies to invest in India is US\$100 million

Indicative list of segments which are part of FMCG sector is as follows:

- Food, snacks and food retail
- Beverage, juices, alcohol and other ancillary companies
- Personal care
- Over the counter supplements and hygiene products
- Apparel, footwear, bags, innerwear, etc
- Grocery stores, departmental stores, hypermarkets and retailers of various kinds
- Frequently used and purchased items such as stationary, batteries, etc.
- FMCG ancillaries such as raw material suppliers, distributors, packaging firms etc.

Please note that the list is indicative and the Fund Manager may add such other businesses which satisfy the FMCG sector.

The Scheme may invest in companies other than those engaged in FMCG sector.

The stocks may be at any levels of market capitalisation.

The Scheme may also invest a part of its corpus in overseas markets in Global Depository Receipts (GDRs), ADRs, overseas equity, bonds and mutual funds and such other instruments as may be allowed under the Regulations from time to time.

The Scheme may engage in Stock Lending activities.

The Scheme may invest in derivatives such

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- Dabur India Ltd.
- Hindustan Unilever Ltd.
- Marico Industries Ltd.
- Nestle India Limited
- GlaxoSmithKline Consumer Healthcare Ltd.
- Tata Global Beverages Limited
- ITC Limited

Market Capitalisation of the constituents of Nifty FMCG Index as February 28, 2017 is given below:

Name	Market Cap (Rs. In Crs)
ITC Ltd.	3,18,192
Hindustan Unilever Ltd.	1,87,191
Godrej Consumer Products Ltd.	56,221
Dabur India Ltd.	48,592
Britannia Industries Ltd.	38,751
Marico Ltd.	36,195
United Spirits Ltd.	34,044
Colgate-Palmolive (India) Ltd.	24,492
Emami Ltd.	23,632
Procter & Gamble Hygiene & Health Care Ltd.	22,986
Glaxosmithkline Consumer Healthcare Ltd.	21,453
United Breweries Ltd.	20,555
Godrej Industries Ltd.	16,842
Tata Global Beverages Ltd.	8,710
Jubilant FoodWorks Ltd.	6,646

It may be noted that the AMC may, keeping in view the market outlook, individual company performance, market capitalization and other relevant factors, add/delete the names of companies in Personal Care/ Foods Sector, to the list of above companies. Similarly, the AMC may, at any time during the Scheme period, decide to include companies in other sectors which form part of Fast Moving Consumer Goods Industry.

The Personal Care and Processed Food companies offer good business prospects, management quality, sound financial strengths and low risks. Given this, AMC believes that the prevailing valuations can be sustained. The low consumption levels of branded consumer goods provides good potential for demand growth, given the long term growth potential of the economy. The likelihood of steady earnings growth as a result, and

as Futures & Options and such other derivative instruments like Stock/ Index Futures, Interest Rate Swaps, Forward Rate Agreements or such other derivative instruments as may be introduced and permitted by SEBI from time to time. The Scheme may invest in derivative for the purpose of hedging, portfolio balancing and other purposes as may be permitted under the Regulations. Hedging using Interest Rate Futures could be perfect or imperfect, subject to applicable regulations.

Fixed Income securities

The Scheme may also invest in Debt and Money Market Securities/Instruments (Money Market securities include cash and cash equivalents). The Scheme aims to identify securities which offer optimal level of yields/returns, considering risk-reward ratio. With the aim of controlling risks rigorous in depth credit evaluation of the securities proposed to be invested in will be carried out by the Risk Management Team of the AMC. The credit evaluation includes a study of the operating environment of the issuer, the short as well as long-term financial health of the issuer. Rated debt instruments in which the Scheme invests will be of investment grade as rated by a credit rating agency. The AMC may consider the ratings of such Rating Agencies as approved by SEBI to carry out the functioning of rating agencies. The Scheme may invest in securitised debt.

In addition, the investment team of the AMC will study the macro economic conditions, including the political, economic environment and factors affecting liquidity and interest rates. The AMC would use this analysis to attempt to predict the likely direction of interest rates and position the portfolio appropriately to take advantage of the same.

Further, the Scheme may invest in other schemes managed by the AMC or in the schemes of any other Mutual Funds in terms of the prevailing Regulations. As per the Regulations, no investment management fees will be charged for such investments.

For the present, the Scheme does not intend

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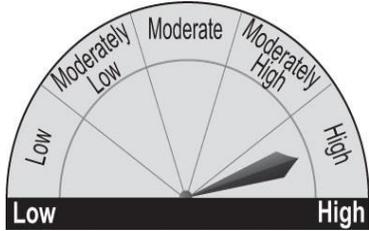
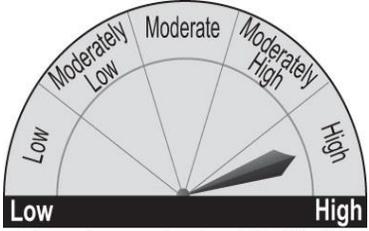
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	<p>sustained valuations, should lead to steady capital appreciation in these stocks.</p> <p>Fixed Income securities</p> <p>The AMC aims to identify securities, which offer superior levels of yield at lower levels of risks. With the aim of controlling risks rigorous in depth credit evaluation of the securities proposed to be invested in will be carried out by the investment team of the AMC. The credit evaluation includes a study of the operating environment of the issuer, the short as well as long-term financial health of the issuer. Rated debt instruments in which the Scheme invests will be of investment grade as rated by a credit rating agency. The AMC will be guided by the ratings of such Rating Agencies as approved by SEBI to carry out the functioning of rating agencies. In case a debt instrument is not rated, such investments shall be made by an internal committee constituted by AMC to approve the investment in un-rated debt securities in terms of the parameters approved by the Board of Trustees and the Board of Asset Management Company.</p> <p>In addition, the investment team of the AMC will study the macro economic conditions, including the political, economic environment and factors affecting liquidity and interest rates. The AMC would use this analysis to attempt to predict the likely direction of interest rates and position the portfolio appropriately to take advantage of the same.</p>	<p>to enter into underwriting obligations. However, if the Scheme does enter into an underwriting agreement, it would do so after complying with the Regulations and with the prior approval of the Board of the AMC/Trustee.</p>
<p>Product labeling and Risk-o-meter</p>	<p>This product is suitable for investors who are seeking*:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Long term wealth creation solution • An equity fund that primarily invests in a select group of companies in the FMCG sector.  <p>Investors understand that their principal will be at high risk</p> <p>*Investors should consult their financial advisers if in doubt about whether the product is suitable for them.</p>	<p>This product is suitable for investors who are seeking*:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Long term wealth creation • An open ended equity scheme that primarily invests in companies from FMCG sector.  <p>Investors understand that their principal will be at high risk</p> <p>*Investors should consult their financial advisers if in doubt about whether the product is suitable for them.</p>

Risk Factors with respect to imperfect hedging using Interest Rate Futures



The scheme may use various derivative instruments and techniques, permitted within SEBI Regulation from time to time. Usage of derivative may expose the scheme to certain risks inherent to such derivatives.

Derivative products are specialized instruments and can provide disproportionate gains as well as disproportionate losses to the investors. Execution of such strategies depends upon the ability of the Fund Manager to identify such opportunities. Identification and execution of such strategies involves uncertainty and the decision of the Fund Manager may not always be profitable. No assurance can be given that the Fund Manager will be able to identify or execute such strategies. The risk associated with the use of derivatives is different from or possibly greater than the risk associated with investing directly in securities and other traditional investments. The use of derivative requires an understanding not only of the underlying instrument but also of the derivative itself.

An Interest Rate Futures is an agreement to buy or sell a debt instrument at a specified future date at a price that is fixed today. Interest Rate Futures are Exchange traded. These future contracts are cash settled.

1. Perfect Hedging means hedging the underlying using IRF contract of same underlying.
2. Imperfect hedging means the underlying being hedged and the IRF contract has correlation of closing prices of more than 90%.

In case of imperfect hedging, the portfolio can be a mix of:

- 1) Corporate Bonds and Government securities or
- 2) Only Corporate debt securities or
- 3) Only government securities with different maturities

Risk associated with imperfect hedging includes:

Basis Risk: The risk arises when the price movements in derivative instrument used to hedge the underlying assets does not match the price movements of the underlying assets being hedged. Such difference may potentially amplify the gains or losses, thus adding risk to the position.

Price Risk: The risk of mispricing or improper valuation and the inability of derivatives to correlate perfectly with underlying assets, rates and indices.

Risk of mismatch between the instruments: The risk arises if there is a mismatch between the prices movements in derivative instrument used to hedge, compared to the price movement of the underlying assets being hedged. For example when IRF which has government security as underlying is used, to hedge a portfolio that contains corporate debt securities.

Correlation weakening and consequent risk of regulatory breach: SEBI Regulation mandates minimum correlation criterion of 0.9 (calculated on a 90 day basis) between the portfolio being hedged and the derivative instrument used for hedging. In cases where the correlation falls below 0.9, a rebalancing period of 5 working days has been permitted. Inability to satisfy this requirement to restore the correlation level to the stipulated level, within the stipulated period, due to difficulties in rebalancing would lead to a lapse of the exemption in gross exposure computation. The entire derivative exposure would then need to be included in gross exposure, which may result in gross exposure in excess of 100% of net asset value.

Exposure limit for participating in Interest Rate Futures

In addition to the existing provisions of SEBI circular No.IMD/DF/11/2010 dated August 18, 2010, the following are prescribed:

i. To reduce interest rate risk in a debt portfolio, mutual funds may hedge the portfolio or part of the portfolio (including one or more securities) on weighted average modified duration basis by using Interest Rate Futures (IRFs). The maximum extent of short position that may be taken in IRFs to hedge interest rate risk of the portfolio or part of the portfolio, is as per the formula given below:

$$\frac{(\text{Portfolio Modified Duration} * \text{Market Value of the Portfolio})}{(\text{Futures Modified Duration} * \text{Future Price/ PAR})}$$

ii. In case the IRF used for hedging the interest rate risk has different underlying security(s) than the existing position being hedged, it would result in imperfect hedging.

iii. Imperfect hedging using IRFs may be considered to be exempted from the gross exposure, upto maximum of 20% of the net assets of the scheme, subject to the following:

a) Exposure to IRFs is created only for hedging the interest rate risk based on the weighted average modified duration of the bond portfolio or part of the portfolio.

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b) Mutual Funds are permitted to resort to imperfect hedging, without it being considered under the gross exposure limits, if and only if, the correlation between the portfolio or part of the portfolio (excluding the hedged portions, if any) and the IRF is at least 0.9 at the time of initiation of hedge. In case of any subsequent deviation from the correlation criteria, the same may be rebalanced within 5 working days and if not rebalanced within the timeline, the derivative positions created for hedging shall be considered under the gross exposure computed in terms of Para 3 of SEBI circular dated August 18, 2010. The correlation should be calculated for a period of last 90 days.

Explanation: If the fund manager intends to do imperfect hedging upto 15% of the portfolio using IRFs on weighted average modified duration basis, either of the following conditions need to be complied with:

- i. The correlation for past 90 days between the portfolio and the IRF is at least 0.9 or
- ii. The correlation for past 90 days between the part of the portfolio (excluding the hedged portions, if any) i.e. at least 15% of the net asset of the scheme (including one or more securities) and the IRF is at least 0.9.

c) At no point of time, the net modified duration of part of the portfolio being hedged should be negative.

d) The portion of imperfect hedging in excess of 20% of the net assets of the scheme should be considered as creating exposure and shall be included in the computation of gross exposure in terms of Para 3 of SEBI circular dated August 18, 2010.

iv. The basic characteristics of the scheme should not be affected by hedging the portfolio or part of the portfolio (including one or more securities) based on the weighted average modified duration.

Explanation: In case of long term bond fund, after hedging the portfolio based on the modified duration of the portfolio, the net modified duration should not be less than the minimum modified duration of the portfolio as required to consider the fund as a long term bond fund.

v. The interest rate hedging of the portfolio should be in the interest of the investors.

Illustration for Imperfect Hedging

Scenario 1 and 2

Assumption: Portfolio whose duration is 3 years, is being hedged with an IRF whose underlying securities duration is 10 years

Portfolio Duration: 3 year

Market Value of Portfolio: Rs 100 cr

Imperfect Hedging cannot exceed 20% of Portfolio

Maximum extent of short position that may be taken in IRFs is as per below mentioned formula:

Portfolio (security) Modified Duration * Market Value of Portfolio (security) / (Futures Modified Duration * Futures Price/PAR)

Consider that we choose to hedge 20% of portfolio

$(3 * (0.2 * 100)) / (10 * 100/100) = \text{Rs } 6 \text{ cr}$

So we must Sell Rs 6 cr of IRF with underlying duration of 10 years to hedge Rs 20 cr of Portfolio with duration of 3 years.

Scenario 1

If the yield curve moves in a way that the 3 year moves up by 10 bps and the 10 year moves up by 5bps, which means that the short end has moved up more than the long end

Amount of Security in Portfolio (LONG): Rs 20cr

If yields move up buy 10 bps then the price of the security with a modified duration of 3 years will move down by;

Formula: (Yield movement * Duration) * Portfolio Value

$((0.001 * 3) * 20,00,00,000) = - 6,00,000$

Underlying IRF (SHORT): Rs 6crs

If yields move up buy 5bps then the price of the security with a duration of 10 years will move down by;

Formula: (Yield movement * Duration) * Portfolio Value

$(-0.0005 * 10) * 6,00,00,000 = 3,00,000$

Since we have sold the IRF, this movement is positive and hence the total loss will be reduced to:

$-6,00,000 + 3,00,000 = -3,00,000$

Due to IRF, the overall impact on the portfolio due to interest rate movement has been reduced.

Scenario 2

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If the yield curve moves in a way that the 3 year does not move and the 10 year moves down by 5 bps, which means that the yield curve has flattened.

If yield does not move then the price of the security with a duration of 3 years will remain flat:

Formula: (Yield movement * Duration) * Portfolio Value
(0*3) * 20,00,00,000 = 0

Underlying IRF (SHORT): Rs 6cr

If yields moves down by 5bps then the price of the security with a duration of 10 years will move up by:
(0.0005*10) * 6,00,00,000 = -3,00,000

In this scenario, the imperfect hedge created on the portfolio would create a loss on the total position.

Investors may please refer SID of the Scheme for existing risk factors.

A notice-cum-addendum detailing all the modifications is also available on the AMC's website i.e. www.icicipruamc.com.

While the Board of Trustees of ICICI Prudential Mutual Fund has approved the above change, we would request you to note that the aforesaid changes constitutes change in the fundamental attributes of the Scheme and requires compliance with Regulation 18(15A) of Securities and Exchange Board of India (Mutual Fund) Regulations, 1996 (the Regulations) and pursuant to provisions of SEBI Circular Nos. SEBI/HO/IMD/DF3/CIR/P/2017/114 dated October 06, 2017 and SEBI/HO/IMD/DF3/CIR/P/2017/126 dated December 4, 2017.

In accordance with Regulation 18(15A) of the SEBI (Mutual Funds) Regulations, 1996 the existing unitholders (i.e. whose names appear in the register of unitholders as on close of business hours on April 18, 2018) under the Schemes are hereby given an option to exit, i.e. either redeem their investments or switch their investments to any other schemes of ICICI Prudential Mutual Fund, within 31 days (at least 30 days) exit period starting from April 25, 2018 till May 25, 2018 (both days inclusive and upto 3.00 pm on May 25, 2018) at Applicable NAV, without payment of any exit load. The Exit Option can be exercised during the Exit Option Period by submitting a valid redemption/switch request at any Official Point of Acceptance of the Fund. For list of Official Points of Acceptance, please visit our website. In case any existing Unit holder has not received an Exit Option Letter, they are advised to contact any of our Investor Service Centres. Unitholders who do not exercise the exit option by 3.00 pm on May 25, 2018 would be deemed to have consented to the proposed modification. It may also be noted that no action is required in case Unitholders are in agreement with the aforesaid changes, which shall be deemed as consent being given by them for the proposed changes. Kindly note that an offer to exit is merely optional and is not compulsory.

All the valid applications for redemptions/switch received under the Schemes shall be processed at Applicable NAV of the day of receipt of such redemption/switch request, without payment of any exit load, provided the same is received during the exit period mentioned above. Unitholders who have pledged or encumbered their units will not have the option to exit unless they procure a release of their pledges/encumbrances prior to the submission of redemption/switch requests. Unitholders should ensure that their change in address or bank details are updated in records of ICICI Prudential Mutual Fund as required by them, prior to exercising the exit option for redemption of units. Unit holders holding Units in dematerialized form may approach their Depository Participant for such changes. In case units have been frozen/locked pursuant to an order of a government authority or a court, such exit option can be executed only after the freeze/lock order is vacated/revoked within the period specified above. The redemption proceeds shall be dispatched within 10 (ten) business days of receipt of valid redemption request to those unitholders who choose to exercise their exit option. Redemption/switch of units from the scheme, during the exit period, may entail capital gain/loss in the hands of the unitholder. Similarly, in case of NRI investors, TDS shall be deducted in accordance with the applicable Tax laws, upon exercise of exit option and the same would be required to be borne by such investor only. In view of individual nature of tax implications, unitholders are advised to consult their tax advisors.

The updated SID & KIM of the Schemes containing the revised provisions shall be made available with our Investor Service Centres and also displayed on the website immediately after completion of duration of exit option.

We hope that you will provide us your support; in case of any queries you can reach our call centre on 18002006666/1800222999. We assure you that the proposed change is in line with our best endeavors to serve you better.

We shall continue to work towards your investment success and keep you updated on our views in the future.

Mutual Fund investments are subject to market risks, read all scheme related documents carefully.

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