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19th August, 2013

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✗ The General Manager (Listing)
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Dear Sir,

RBI PRESS RELEASE DATED 14TH AUGUST, 2013 REGARDING FOREIGN SHAREHOLDING

We refer to a Press Release issued by RBI on 14th August, 2013 notifying that the foreign share holding by Global Depository Receipt (GDR)/American Depository Receipts (ADR)/Foreign Direct Investment (FDI)/Non Resident Indian (NRI)/Persons of Indian Origin (PIO)/Foreign Institutional Investors (FIIs) in Axis Bank has crossed the overall limit of 49 per cent of its paid-up capital and that no further purchases of shares of the Bank would be allowed through stock exchanges in India on behalf of GDR/ADR/FDI/NRI/PIO/FIIs. The foreign shareholding in the Bank as on 30th June, 2013 was 48.96% and this includes investments through the FDI route in the form of Global Depository Receipts of 8.08% and other foreign holdings including FIIs of 40.88%.

The Bank has filed an application with Foreign Investment Promotion Board for increasing the foreign shareholding limit.

You are requested to take the above on record.

Yours faithfully,


Sanjeev Kapoor
Vice President (CS)

✗ C.C. to: Shri Chandrashekhar Tilak, Executive Vice President, NSDL
Shri Krishnamurthy Iyer, Assistant Vice President, CDSL