



October 20, 2023

**BSE Limited** 

Department of Corporate Services Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers, Dalal Street, Fort, Mumbai - 400 001

Scrip Code: 543396

**National Stock Exchange of India Limited** 

The Listing Department Exchange Plaza Bandra Kurla Complex, Mumbai - 400 051

Symbol: PAYTM

Sub.: Disclosure under Regulation 32 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements)
Regulations, 2015 - Statement of Deviation or Variation of funds raised though Initial Public Offer ('IPO')

Dear Sir / Ma'am,

Pursuant to Regulation 32 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended read with SEBI Master Circular SEBI/HO/CFD/PoD2/CIR/P/2023/120 dated July 11, 2023, we hereby confirm that during the quarter ended September 30, 2023, there was no deviation or variation in the utilisation of proceeds of the IPO from the objects stated in the Prospectus dated November 11, 2021.

A statement of deviation or variation for the quarter ended September 30, 2023, duly reviewed by the Audit Committee of the Company, is enclosed as "Annexure".

This disclosure will also be hosted on the Company's website viz. www.paytm.com.

Kindly take the same on record.

Thanking you,

Yours Sincerely,
For One 97 Communications Limited

Sunil Kumar Bansal
Company Secretary & Compliance Officer

Encl. as Above





**Annexure** 

## Statement of Deviation / Variation in utilisation of funds raised

Name of listed entity	One 97 Communications Limited					
Mode of Fund Raising	Public Issues / Rights Issues / Preferential Issues / QIP / Others					
Date of Raising Funds	November 18, 2021					
	(as per Trading Approval Letter dated November 17, 2021 received from BSE NSE)					
Amount Raised	Fresh Issue: INR 83,000 Million					
	Offer for sale: INR 100,000 Million					
	Total Issue: INR 183,000 Million					
Report filed for Quarter ended	September 30, 2023					
Monitoring Agency	Applicable <del>/ Not Applicable</del>					
Monitoring Agency Name, if applicable	Axis Bank Limited					
Is there a Deviation / Variation in use of funds raised	<del>Yes /</del> No					
If yes, whether the same is pursuant to change in	Not Applicable					
terms of a contract or objects, which was approved						
by the shareholders						
If Yes, Date of shareholder Approval	Not Applicable					
Explanation for the Deviation / Variation	Not Applicable					
Comments of the Audit Committee after review	No Comments					
Comments of the auditors, if any	No Comments					
Objects for which funds have been raised and where t	here has been a deviation, in the following table					

Original Objects	Modified Object, if any	Original Allocation	Modified allocation, if any	Funds Utilised	Amount of deviation/ Variation for the quarter according to applicable object	Remarks if any
Growing and strengthening Paytm ecosystem, including through acquisition and retention of consumers and merchants and providing them with greater access to technology and financial services	N.A.	43,000	N.A.	39,666	N.A.	N.A.
2) Investing in new business initiatives, acquisitions and strategic partnerships	N.A.	20,000	N.A.	NIL	N.A.	N.A.
3) General corporate purposes*	N.A.	18.134	18.194	13.028	N.A.	N.A.

<sup>\*</sup>During the quarter ended June 30, 2023, unutilised IPO issue expenses of INR 60 million was transferred to net IPO proceeds, thereby increasing it from INR 81,134 million to INR 81,194 million and earmarked for general corporate purposes in accordance with the Objects of the Offer.

## Deviation or variation could mean:

- (a) Deviation in the objects or purposes for which the funds have been raised; or
- (b) Deviation in the amount of funds actually utilized as against what was originally disclosed; or
- (c) Change in terms of a contract referred to in the fund raising document i.e. prospectus, letter of offer, etc

## For One 97 Communications Limited

Sunil Kumar Bansal Company Secretary & Compliance Officer

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