

# **Fusion Finance Limited**

(formerly known as Fusion Micro Finance Limited)

SALIENT FEATURES OF OMBUDSMAN SCHEME FOR NON-BANKING FINANCIAL COMPANIES, 2018



The Integrated Ombudsman Scheme, 2021 of Reserve Bank of India was launched on 12th November 2021 in virtual mode by Hon'ble Prime Minister, Shri Narendra Modi Ji.

The Scheme emphasizes on strengthening the grievance redress mechanism for consumers of various services provided by the RBI regulated entities.

The following existing ombudsman schemes are being integrated into a single scheme which will offer the benefit of a single platform to customers for getting speedy resolution of their grievances:

- The Banking Ombudsman Scheme, 2006
- The Ombudsman Scheme for Non-Banking Financial Companies, 2018;
- The Ombudsman Scheme for Digital Transactions, 2019;

Any person may file a complaint with the Ombudsman having jurisdiction, on any one of the following grounds alleging deficiency in services:

- a) Failure to convey in writing, the amount of loan sanctioned along with terms and conditions including annualised rate of interest and method of application thereof.
- b) Failure or refusal to provide sanction letter/ terms and conditions of sanction in vernacular language or a language as understood by the borrower.
- c) Failure or refusal to provide adequate notice on proposed changes being made in sanctioned terms and conditions in vernacular language as understood by the borrower.
- d) Failure or inordinate delay in releasing the securities documents to the borrower on repayment of all dues.
- e) Levying of charges without adequate prior notice to the borrower/ customer.
- f) Failure to provide legally enforceable built-in repossession clause in the contract/ loan agreement.
- g) Failure to ensure transparency in the contract/ loan agreement regarding:
  - I. Notice period before taking possession of security
  - II. Circumstances under which the notice period can be waived
  - III. The procedure for taking possession of the security
  - IV. A provision regarding final chance to be given to the borrower for repayment of loan before the sale/ auction of the security
  - V. The procedure for giving repossession to the borrower
  - VI. The procedure for sale/ auction of the security
- h) Non-observance of directions issued by Reserve Bank to the non-banking financial companies
- i) Non-adherence to any of the other provisions of Reserve Bank Guidelines on Fair Practices Code for Non-Banking Financial Companies.

# How can a customer file complaint?

Written
representati
on to the
NBFC
concerned

At the end of one month

If reply is not received from the company or customer remain dissatisfied with the reply of NBFC

If customer has not approached any forum

File a complaint with NBFC Ombudsman (not later than one year after the reply from NBFC)



#### How does Ombudsman take decision?

Proceedings before Ombudsman are summary in nature.

Promotes settlement through conciliation If not reached, can issue Award/Order.

# Can a customer appeal, if not satisfied with decision of Ombudsman?

Yes, If Ombudsman's decision is appealable to Appellate Authority: Executive Director-in charge of Consumer Education and Protection Department of RBI

#### Note:

- 1. This is an Alternate Dispute Resolution mechanism.
- 2. Customer is at liberty to approach any other court/forum/authority for the redressal at any stage.

The salient features of the Scheme are displayed in all the branch offices of the Company.

## Modes of customer complaints:

- 1) Online Mode: Complaints can continue to be filed online on https://cms.rbi.org.in.
- 2) Other Modes: Complaints can also be filed through the dedicated e-mail: CRPC@rbi.org.in or sent in physical mode to the 'Centralised Receipt and Processing Centre' set up at Reserve Bank of India, 4th Floor, Sector 17, Chandigarh 160017 in the prescribed format.
- 3) Additionally, complaints can be made on the Contact Centre with a toll-free number 14448 (9:30 am to 5:15 pm). The Contact Centre will provide information/clarifications regarding the alternate grievance redress mechanism of RBI and to guide complainants in filing of a complaint.

### **Details of the Principal Nodal officer (PNO):**

Ms . Renu Joshi

Principal Nodal Officer

Postal Address: Fusion Finance Limited

H-1, Community Centre, Naraina Vihar,

New Delhi - 110028

Direct Phone no.: 011-46646608

Email ID: pno@fusionfin.com



# **Details of Nodal Officers**

S. No.	Designation /Zone Covered	Contact Details
1	Nodal Officer	Ph. No: 011-46646634
		Email Id: nodalofficer@fusionfin.com
2	Regional Nodal Officer –North	Ph. No: 91-1140176717
		Email Id: nodalofficernorthzone@fusionfin.com
3	Regional Nodal Officer –	Ph. No: 91-2246147859
	East	Email Id: nodalofficereastzone@fusionfin.com
4	Regional Nodal Officer –	Ph. No: 91-7971178876
	West/ Central	Email Id: nodalofficercentralzone@fusionfin.com
5	Nodal Officer –	Ph. No: 91-8040363145
	South	Email Id: nodalofficersouthzone@fusionfin.com

# Address and Area of Operation of NBFC Ombudsman

No.	Centre	Address of the Office of NBFC Ombudsman	Area of Operation
1.	Chennai	C/o Reserve Bank of India Fort Glacis, Chennai 600 001 STD Code: 044 Tel No. 25395964 Fax No. 25395488	Tamil Nadu, Andaman and Nicobar Islands, Karnataka, Andhra Pradesh, Telangana, Kerala, Union Territory of Lakshadweep and Union Territory of Puducherry
2.	Mumbai	C/o Reserve Bank of India, RBI Byculla Office Building, Opp. Mumbai Central Railway Station, Byculla, Mumbai - 400 008	Maharashtra, Goa, Gujarat, Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Union Territories of Dadra and Nagar Haveli, Daman and Diu
3.	New Delhi	C/o Reserve Bank of India, Sansad Marg, New Delhi -110001	Delhi, Uttar Pradesh, Uttarakhand, Haryana, Punjab, Union Territory of Chandigarh Himachal Pradesh, and



		STD Code: 011 Tel. No.	Rajasthan and State of Jammu and
		23724856	Kashmir
		Fax No. 23725218-19	
4.	Kolkata	C/o Reserve Bank of	West Bengal, Sikkim, Odisha, Assam,
		India 15, Netaji Subhash	Arunachal Pradesh, Manipur,
		Road, Kolkata- 700 001	Meghalaya, Mizoram, Nagaland,
		STD Code: 033 Tel. No. 22304982	Tripura, Bihar and Jharkhand
		Fax No. 22305899	

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