Market-Hub Stock Broking Private Limited

# Voluntary freezing of the Online Trading account policy

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## 1. Introduction

This policy outlines the procedures for voluntary freezing of trading accounts for clients of Market-Hub Stock Broking Private Limited (hereinafter referred to as MH) in accordance with SEBI & Exchange Circulars.

## 2. Purpose

This policy aims to guide MH clients on the process, modes, timelines, and other details for facilitating the voluntary freezing of their trading accounts upon noticing any suspicious activity.

## 3. Scope and Applicability

This policy is applicable to all MH clients who wish to voluntarily freeze their online trading accounts.

### 4. Review

This policy is part of MH's Risk Management Policy and shall be reviewed annually by the Board of Directors or earlier if necessary to ensure compliance with regulatory changes.

### 5. Procedure to Freeze Online Trading Account

## **Request by Calling Support Line:**

- Call MH at the dedicated number 0261-4060750 (between 09:00 am 06:00 pm excluding Sundays and public holidays).
- The customer support agent will verify the client's identity and may request additional information.
- Once verified, the agent will freeze the account.

### **Request by E-Mail:**

- Email at stoptrade@markethubonline.com.
- Email from registered Email-ID for easy verification of Client ID and mention UCC, PAN and Name in the Email.

Specimen-"Subject : Freeze Trading Account : UCC-ABC123"

## 6. Procedure to Unfreeze Online Trading Account

- Clients can call the dedicated support line at 0261-4060750 and follow the agent's instructions. After necessary due diligence, the account will be unfrozen within approximately 30 minutes subject to necessary validations or email to customercare@markethubonline.com.
- After the account has been unfrozen, the client can resume trading.
- Clients will be allowed to trade through both online and offline modes, i.e. call and trade or through AP terminal.

### 7. Important Points to Note:

- It is advised that the client closes all his open positions before giving the request for freezing the account.
- Client's account will be blocked, within 15 minutes of receiving the freeze request.
- Confirmation of the freeze of the account will be sent via email or SMS.
- All pending orders, whether placed online or offline by the client, will be cancelled by the system and trading access will be blocked.
- Fund addition and withdrawal will be allowed, but profile modifications will not be permitted.
- To unfreeze the account, clients can call 0261-4060750 or email to customercare@markethubonline.com

## 8. Clarifications :

It is clarified that-

a. Freezing/blocking is only for the online access to the client's trading account, and there shall be no restrictions on the Risk Management activities of Market-Hub Stock Broking Private Limited. Clients will be liable to adhere to the existing risk policy already in place.

b. The request for freezing/ blocking does not constitute request for marking client Unique Client Code (UCC) as inactive in the Exchange records.

c. Client will be able to access the account in frozen state, although trading or profile modification options will be blocked

d. Freeze Request once submitted cannot be cancelled. Although the client can call us at 0261-4060750 and place a request for unfreeze.

### 9. Circular references:

- SEBI/HO/MIRSD/POD-1/P/CIR/2024/4 dated January 12, 2024
- NSE/INSP/61529 dated April 08, 2024
- BSE notice 20240408-12 dated 08 Apr 2024
- MCX/INSP/218/2024 dated April 09, 2024