



## Dematerialisation of Units of AIF

**SEBI** has released the conditions for issuance of units of Alternative Investment Funds ("AIF") in dematerialised form, vide a circular dated June 21, 2023 (available here):

- Schemes of AIFs are required to *dematerialise all the units issued by them*, within the following timeline:
- > Schemes with corpus more than or equal to INR 500 Crore: Latest by October 31, 2023; and
- > Schemes with corpus less than INR 500 Crore: Latest by April 30, 2024.
- Schemes of AIFs are required to *issue units only in dematerialised form*, with effect from the following dates:
- > Schemes with corpus more than or equal to INR 500 Crore: November 1, 2023; and
- > Schemes with corpus less than INR 500 Crore: May 1, 2024.
- The *terms of transfer* of units of AIF held by an investor would continue to be governed by the PPM, agreements executed between the AIF and the investor, and other fund documents.
- Schemes of AIFs whose tenure is ending on or before *April 30*, 2024 are not required to comply with the aforementioned.

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