PENSION FUND REGULATORY & DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

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Sub: Scheme preference change for NPS subscribers under Unorganized Sector.

As per the terms and conditions for NPS accounts under Unorganized Sector, only one scheme preference / switch request was to be allowed in May of each year initially. The first window for switching / scheme preference change was to be made available in May, 2010.

- 2. It has now been decided that the window for scheme preference change shall remain open throughout the financial year. All subscribers can exercise this choice anytime during the financial year.
- 3. However, the subscribers shall be allowed to exercise the choice only once during each financial year.
- 4. This provision shall be applicable for both Tier-I and Tier-II account(s) under NPS.
- 5. The system for scheme preference change has been made available with effect from 1st June, 2010.
- 6. The subscribers intending to exercise the choice will have to present a request in the prescribed form No. UOS-S3 (format attached) to the PoP/SP through which they have been registered under NPS along with a copy of PRAN Card. Other instructions are included in the instruction sheet attached with the form.

(Puskal Upadhyay) General Manager

Encl: As above.

Copy to -

- 1. ED (RSN)
- 2. ED (PKT)
- 3. CGM (KC) with the request to intimate all PFMs.
- GM (PU)
- 5. GM (DK) with the request to intimate all PoPs.
- 6. CRA (Sh. Amit Sinha, Exec. Vice President, NSDL.
- 7. PMC
- 8. Guard File.