

**SBI Ventures Limited**  
**(formerly known as SBICAP Ventures Limited)**

**Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) Policy**

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## **1. Corporate Philosophy**

Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) is the continuing commitment by business to behave ethically and contribute to economic development while improving the quality of life of the workforce and their families as well as of the local community and society at large. Businesses derive their primary benefits from operating in society and no business can function without caring for societal and community development. Since its inception, SBI Ventures Limited (formerly known as SBICAP Ventures Limited) has been involved with several initiatives, actively pursuing and endorsing community improvement efforts in varying capacities, across India through its Funds. We understand that as a Corporate Citizen with resources at our command, it is our solemn duty to reach out and support the less fortunate and underprivileged sections of our society. The Company also encourages its staff members to actively follow, understand and contribute to social causes, to remove indisputable social and developmental lacunae and to promote self and community development.

## **2. Definitions**

- 2.1 "Administrative overheads" means the expenses incurred by the company for 'general management and administration' of Corporate Social Responsibility functions in the company but shall not include the expenses directly incurred for the designing, implementation, monitoring, and evaluation of a particular Corporate Social Responsibility project or programme;
- 2.2 "Net profit" means the net profit of a company as per its financial statement prepared in accordance with the applicable provisions of the Act, but shall not include the following, namely: -
- (i) any profit arising from any overseas branch or branches of the company, whether operated as a separate company or otherwise; and
  - (ii) any dividend received from other companies in India, which are covered under and complying with the provisions of section 135 of the Act:

2.3 "Ongoing Project" means a multi-year project undertaken by a Company in fulfillment of its CSR obligation having timelines not exceeding three years excluding the financial year in which it was commenced, and shall include such project that was initially not approved as a multi-year project but whose duration has been extended beyond one year by the board based on reasonable justification;

2.4" Public Authority" means 'Public Authority' as defined in clause (h) of section 2 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (22 of 2005)

2.5 "International Organization" means an organisation notified by the Central Government as an international organization under section 3 of the United Nations (Privileges and Immunities) Act, 1947 (46 of 1947), to which the provisions of the Schedule to the said Act apply.

### **3 Role of the Board**

SBI Ventures Limited, being governed by the rules of The Companies Act, 2013, our CSR policy & programme is aligned with Section 135 of the Act as amended from time to time (*The related definitions & clauses with respect to Sec 135 are appended in Annexure A*).

As such, the Board of Directors of the Company shall constitute a CSR Committee consisting of two or more Directors pursuant to the section 135(1) of the Companies Act, 2013.

The Board shall additionally oversee the below;

- a) After taking into account the recommendations made by the Corporate Social Responsibility Committee (as constituted above), approve the Corporate Social Responsibility Policy for the company and disclose the contents of such Policy in its report and also place it on the company's website –[www.sbiventures.co.in](http://www.sbiventures.co.in), in such manner as may be prescribed;
- b) The Board of Directors of the Company shall mandatorily disclose the composition of the CSR Committee, and CSR Policy and Projects approved by the Board on their website, if any, for public access as notified by the prescribed rules of the Act;

- c) Ensure that the activities included in the CSR Policy are in compliance with the activities in Schedule VII of the Act;
- d) Ensure that the activities as are included in Corporate Social Responsibility Policy of the company are undertaken by the company; and
- e) Monitor the implementation of the project and make modifications, if any, for the smooth implementation of the project.
- f) If the company fails to spend the said amount, disclose reasons for not spending such amount, in its report under clause (o) of sub - section (3) of Section 134, of The Companies Act, 2013 and also transfer such unspent amount to the applicable Fund, within the timelines as laid out under the provisions of Section 135(5) and 135(6) of the Companies Act, 2013.
- g) The Board shall ensure that the CSR Activities are undertaken by the company itself or through –
  - (a) A company established under section 8 of the Act, or a registered public trust or a registered society, exempted under sub clause (iv), (v), (vi) or (via) of clause (23C) of section 10 or registered under section 12A and 80 G of the Income Tax Act, 1961 (43 of 1961), established by the company, either singly or along with any other company, or
  - (b) A company established under section 8 of the Act or a registered trust or a registered society, established by the Central Government or State Government; or
  - (c) Any entity established under an Act of Parliament or a State legislature; or
  - (d) A company established under section 8 of the Act, or a registered public trust or a registered society, exempted under sub clause (iv), (v), (vi) or (via) of clause (23C) of section 10 or registered under section 12A and 80G of the Income Tax Act, 1961, and having an established track record of at least three years in undertaking similar activities.
- h) The Board shall satisfy itself that the funds so disbursed have been utilized for the purposes and in the manner as approved by it and the Chief Financial Officer or the

person responsible for financial management shall certify to the effect.

#### **4. Role of the CSR Committee**

The Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) Committee "CSR Committee" means the Corporate Social Responsibility Committee of the Board referred to in section 135 of the act. Such a committee constituted by SVL Board shall have the following terms of reference:

The Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) Committee constituted by the Board of Directors shall have the following terms of reference:

- (a) The CSR Committee shall formulate and recommend to the Board, an Annual Action Plan in pursuance of its CSR policy, which shall include the following, namely: -
- (b) The list of CSR projects or programmes that are approved to be undertaken in areas or subjects specified in Schedule VII of the Act;
- (c) CSR committee is authorized to approve the CSR project in accordance with approved Annual Action plan.
- (d) The manner of execution of such projects or programmes
- (e) The modalities of utilisation of funds and implementation schedules for the projects or programmes;
- (f) Monitoring and reporting mechanism for the projects or programmes; and
- (g) Details of need and impact assessment, if any, for the projects undertaken by the company:

Provided that Board may alter such plan at any time during the financial year, as per the recommendation of its CSR Committee, based on the reasonable justification to that effect."

## **5. CSR Expenditure and Budget**

5.1 As stated under Sec 135 (5) of the Companies Act, 2013 SVL" shall ensure that it spends, in every financial year, at least two percent or more of the average net profits made during the three immediately preceding financial years in pursuance of its Corporate Social Responsibility Policy.

5.2 The board shall ensure that the administrative overheads shall not exceed five percent of total CSR expenditure of the company for the financial year.

5.3 Any surplus arising out of the CSR activities shall not form part of the business profit of a company and shall be ploughed back into the same project or shall be transferred to the Unspent CSR Account and spent in pursuance of CSR policy and Annual Action Plan of the company or transfer such surplus amount to a Fund specified in Schedule VII, within a period of six months of the expiry of the financial year.

5.4 Where a company spends an amount in excess of requirement provided under sub-section (5) of section 135, such excess amount may be set off against the requirement to spend under sub-section (5) of section 135 up to immediate succeeding three financial years subject to the conditions that –

(i) The excess amount available for set off shall not include the surplus arising out of the CSR activities, if any, in pursuance of sub-rule (2) of this rule.

(ii) The Board of the company shall pass a resolution to that effect.

The CSR amount may be spent by a company for creation or acquisition of a capital asset, which shall be held by - (a) a company established under section 8 of the Act, or a Registered Public Trust or Registered Society, having charitable objects and CSR Registration Number under sub-rule (2) of rule 4; or (b) beneficiaries of the said CSR project, in the form of self- help groups, collectives, entities; or (c) a public authority:

5.5 The CSR Budget for the corresponding financial year, will be updated, with due consideration, in the CSR Annual Action Plan & revised each financial year.

## **6 Unspent Corporate Social Responsibility Account and Transfer to Fund**

### **A. ONGOING PROJECTS:**

The Board of Directors shall open an Unspent Corporate Social Responsibility Account held by the Company in a Scheduled Bank. The following transfers shall be permitted into the Account:

<b>Amount permitted for transfer_Due date for Transfer</b>	
Unspent CSR amount assigned /related to any ongoing projects	Within 30 days of the closure of the Financial Year
Surplus arising out of any CSR activities	Within 6 months of the closure of the Financial Year

The following amounts shall be transferred to a Fund specified under Schedule VII to the Act or such Account as specified by the Government in this regard:

### **B. NON-ONGOING PROJECTS:**

<b>Amount to be transferred Due date for transfer/spent</b>	
Unspent CSR amount not assigned /related to any ongoing projects	Within 6 months of the closure of the Financial Year
Any unspent amount remaining in the Unspent CSR Account	Shall be spent by Company within 30 days of completion of 3 (three) years from the date on which the amount was transferred to the Unspent CSR Account

## **7 CSR Activities**

The Company's CSR Policy would encompass all the activities listed under Schedule VII of the Companies Act, 2013 (Annexure A). However, the Company has shortlisted the below listed focus areas to create a sustainable & meaningful impact & to align with the Communication and Business



## Strategy of the Company:

1. Eradicating hunger, poverty and malnutrition, promoting health care including preventive health care and sanitation including contribution to the 'Swachh Bharat Kosh' set-up by the Central Government for promotion of sanitation and making available safe drinking water; <sup>1</sup>
2. Promoting education, including special education and employment enhancing vocation skills especially among children, women, elderly, and the differently abled, and livelihood enhancement projects;
3. Promoting gender equality, empowering women, setting up homes and hostels for women and orphans; setting up old age homes, day care centers and such other facilities for senior citizens and measures for reducing inequalities faced by socially and economically backward groups;
4. Ensuring environmental sustainability, ecological balance, protection of flora and fauna, animal welfare, agroforestry, conservation of natural resources and maintaining quality of soil, air and water including contribution to the Clean Ganga Fund set-up by the Central Government for rejuvenation of river Ganga;
5. Protection of national heritage, art and culture including restoration of buildings and sites of historical importance and works of art; setting up public libraries; promotion and development of traditional arts and handicrafts:
6. Measures for the benefit of armed forces veterans, war widows and their dependents,
7. Training to promote rural sports, nationally recognized sports, Paralympic sports and Olympic sports;
8. Contribution to the Prime Minister's National Relief Fund or Prime Minister's Citizen Assistance and Relief in Emergency Situations Fund (PM CARES Fund) or any other fund set up by the Central Government for socio-economic development and relief and welfare of the Scheduled Castes, the Scheduled Tribes, other backward classes, minorities and women;
9. Contribution to incubators funded by Central Government or State Government or any agency or Public Sector Undertaking of Central Government or State Government, and contributions to public funded Universities, Indian Institute of Technology (IITs), National Laboratories and Autonomous Bodies (established under the auspices of Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR), Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR), Department of Atomic Energy (DAE), Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO), Department of Biotechnology (DBT), Department of

Science and Technology (DST), Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology) engaged in conducting research in science, technology, engineering and medicine aimed at promoting Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

10. Rural development projects.
11. Slum Area Development ('slum area' shall mean any area declared as such by the Central Government or any State Government or any other competent authority under any law for the time being in force).
12. Disaster management including relief, rehabilitation and reconstruction activities.
13. Undertake research and development activity of new vaccine, drugs and medical devices related to COVID-19 for financial years 2020-21, 2021-22, 2022-23 subject to the conditions that-
  - (a) Such research and development activities shall be carried out in collaboration with any of the institutes or organisations mentioned in item (ix) of Schedule VII to the Act;
  - (b) Details of such activity shall be disclosed separately in the Annual report on CSR included in the Board's Report;
14. Undertaking training of Indian Sports Personnel representing any State or Union Territory at National Level or India at international level
15. Such other matters as may be notified by Ministry of Corporate Affairs from time to time

The above focus areas may be re-aligned, and new focus areas incorporated, as and when deemed necessary, by the Company's CSR Committee.

The specific undertakings and collaborations under each focus area and approximate budget allocation to each of the focus areas from the Company's CSR budget for the year, will be demarcated for reference purpose, along with zone wise/RO allocations (if any specified) in the CSR Strategy Document.

## **8. Shortlist Criteria**

The Company will partner only with entities registered with the Central Government through CSR-1 norms with effect from the 01<sup>st</sup> day of April 2021. A CSR Association Form to be filled-in and submitted by any partner / vendor, to help the Company evaluate and screen CSR proposals for possible association, is appended as Annexure 'B'

## **9. Implementation Process**

9.1 The Board shall ensure that the CSR activities are undertaken by the company itself or through –

(a) A company established under section 8 of the Act, or a registered public trust or a registered society, exempted under sub clause (iv), (v), (vi) or (via) of clause (23C) of section 10 or registered under section 12A and 80 G of the Income Tax Act, 1961 (43 of 1961), established by the company, either singly or along with any other company, or

(b) A company established under section 8 of the Act or a registered trust or a registered society, established by the Central Government or State Government; or

(c) Any entity established under an Act of Parliament or a State legislature; or

(d) A company established under section 8 of the Act, or a registered public trust or a registered society, exempted under sub clause (iv), (v), (vi) or (via) of clause (23C) of section 10 or registered under section 12A and 80G of the Income Tax Act, 1961, and having an established track record of at least three years in undertaking similar activities.

The following entities will oversee the CSR Policy, its implementations and execution of CSR projects, programs and activities:

1. The Board
2. The CSR Committee, as constituted by the Board

The management will be responsible for the Implementation Process.

The key implementation steps and processes have been summarized below:

1. Develop a CSR Annual Action Plan – the management will draft a CSR Annual Action plan Strategy document aligned with the overall objectives of the company on social interactions and the focus areas listed in Clause 4 of the policy. Specific initiatives, shortlisted projects & associations under each of the above focus areas, will be incorporated in the CSR Strategy Document, during the course of the year.
2. Allocation of geographical budgets, if any
3. Operationalizing the institutional mechanism – CSR Committee and team identification & capacity building
4. Shortlist Implementing Agencies and conducting due diligence, if required
5. Project Development – Detailed Project Report (DPR)
6. Clear identification of CSR Budget
7. Project approval
8. Finalizing agreements with the implementing agencies
9. Project Implementation
10. Documentation, Monitoring (at Board and CSR Committee level)
11. Evaluation (Concurrent, Final & if possible, by an Independent Third Party)
12. Project impact assessment
13. Preparation of reporting format and placement in public domain

#### 9.2 Provided that:

The company has specified the projects or programs to be undertaken through these entities and the modalities of utilization of funds on such projects and programs and the monitoring and reporting mechanism.

The company may engage international organisations for designing, monitoring and evaluation of the CSR projects or programmes as per its CSR policy as well as for capacity building of their own personnel for CSR.

The company may also collaborate with other companies for undertaking CSR projects or programs or activities, provided the CSR Committee is in a position to report separately on such

projects or programs or activities in accordance with the CSR Rules. The Company will have the authority to disengage from any project at its own free will and at any point of time during the implementation of the project, subject to the approval of the CSR Committee.

The finalized schedule for each of the CSR project or programs or activity containing details of project, modalities of execution, implementation schedule and monitoring mechanism shall be as per this CSR Policy.

#### **10. Impact Assessment**

In the event of the Company's average CSR obligation exceeding Rs. 10 Crores or more in pursuance of subsection (5) of section 135 of the Act, in the three immediately preceding financial years, shall undertake impact assessment, through an independent agency, of their CSR projects having outlays of one crore rupees or more, and which have been completed not less than one year before undertaking the impact study.

The impact assessment reports shall be placed before the Board and shall be annexed to the annual report on CSR. A Company undertaking impact assessment may book the expenditure towards Corporate Social Responsibility for that financial year, which shall not exceed Two percent of the total CSR expenditure for that financial year or fifty lakh rupees, whichever is Higher.

#### **11. Registration of Entities (is this required, covered in short-list criteria (Section 8))**

Every entity, covered under sub-rule (1), who intends to undertake any CSR activity, shall register itself with the Central Government by filing the form CSR-1 electronically with the Registrar, with effect from the 01st day of April 2021:

Provided that the provisions of this sub-rule shall not affect the CSR, projects or programmes approved prior to the 01st day of April 2021. A unique CSR Registration Number shall be generated by the system automatically.

## **12. Employee Engagement**

SBI Ventures Limited actively encourages its employees to volunteer for/participate in social causes. Employees are free to offer suggestions and pass on recommendations as well as be a part of related activities in the short-listed focus areas, under the Company's CSR Policy. The Company will make all efforts to engage its employees to participate in and promote the causes that it endorses, under its CSR outreach, across all its locations & business centers.

## **13. Monitoring of CSR projects or programs or activities**

The CSR Committee will review the progress on the CSR initiatives and discuss the budgetary utilization on a periodically basis. This meeting may include the relevant NGO/Partners, if required by the CSR Committee. The CSR Committee will present the periodically progress to the Board as part of the regular board meetings. In order to ensure that the amounts spent by the Company on CSR activities get properly utilized for the projects for which they are earmarked, the Managing Director may also nominate two to three officials of the Company to monitor the actual implementation of those projects, depending on the scale of the project.

## **14. Reporting Template**

The format for the "Annual Report on CSR Activities" to be included in the Board's Report and to be displayed on the company's website [www.sbiventures.co.in](http://www.sbiventures.co.in) shall be as follows:

1. A brief outline of the company CSR policy & CSR Strategy Document for the corresponding year, including overview of the projects or program proposed to be undertaken and a reference to the web-link to the CSR policy and projects or programs.
2. The Composition of the CSR Committee.
3. Provide the web-link(s) where Composition of CSR Committee, CSR Policy and CSR Projects approved by the board are disclosed on the website of the company.
4. Provide the executive summary along with web link(s) of Impact Assessment of CSR projects carried out in pursuance of sub rule (3) of rule 8, if applicable.
5. (a) Average net profit of the company

- (b) two percent of average net profit of the company as per sub section (5) of section 135.
- (c) Surplus arising out of the CSR projects or programmes or activities of the previous financial years.
- (d) Amount required to be set off of the financial year, if any
- (e) Total CSR obligation for the financial year, if any
6. (a) Amount spent on CSR projects (both Ongoing Project and other than Ongoing project)
- (b) Amount spent in Administrative Overheads.
- (c) Amount on Impact Assessment, if any
- (d) Total amount spent for the financial year [(a)+(b)+(c)]
- (e) CSR amount spent or unspent for the financial year

Total Amount Spent for the Financial year. (in Rs.)	Amount unspent (in Rs.)				
	Total Amount transferred to Unspent CSR Account as per subsection (6) of section 135			Amount transferred to any fund specified under Schedule VII as per second proviso to sub-section (5) of section 135.	
	Amount.	Date of transfer	Name of the Fund	Amount	Date of transfer

Excess amount for set off, if any

Sr. No.	Particular	Amount (Rs.)
(1)	(2)	(3)
(i)	Two percent of average net profit of the company as per sub-section (5) of section 135	
(ii)	Total amount spent for the financial year	
(iii)	Excess amount spent for the financial [(ii)-(i)]	
(iv)	Surplus arising out of the CSR projects or programmes or activities of the previous Financial Years, if any	

(v)	Amount available for set off in succeeding Financial years [(iii)- (iv)]	
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7. Details of unspent Corporate Social Responsibility amount for the preceding three Financial Years.

Sr. No.	Preceding Financial Year(s)	Amount transferred to Unspent CSR Account under sub-section (6) of section	Balance Amount in Unspent CSR Account under sub-section (6) of section	Amount Spent in the Financial Year (in Rs)	Amount transferred to a Fund as specified under Schedule VII as per second proviso to subsection (5) of section	Amount remaining to be spent in succeeding Financial Years (in Rs)	Deficiency, if any
1.							
	<b>TOTAL</b>						

8. Whether any capital assets have been created or acquired through Corporate Social Responsibility amount spent in the Financial Year:

If yes, enter the number of Capital assets created/ acquired

Furnish the details relating to such asset(s) so created or acquired through Corporate Social Responsibility amount spent in the Financial Year:

Sr. No.	Short particulars of the property or asset(s) [including complete address and	Pincode of the property or assets(s)	Date of Creation	Amount of CSR amount spent	Details of entity/ Authority/beneficiary of the registered owner



	<b>location of the property ]</b>						
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)		
					CSR Registration Number, if applicable	Name	Registered Address

(All the fields should be captured as appearing in the revenue record, flat no, house no, Municipal Office/Municipal Corporation/ Gram panchayat are to be specified and also the area of the immovable property as well as boundaries)

9. Specify the reason(s), if the company has failed to spend two per cent of the average net profit as per subsection (5) of section 135.

### **15. Policy Review Mechanism**

The CSR policy will be under the ownership of the CSR Committee and will be reviewed annually. The changes will be documented in the change log and signed off at the end of every review cycle by all members of the CSR Committee.

Version	Approval Date	Approver	Comments
1.0	10 <sup>th</sup> July 2020	Board	Policy was formulated and approved by the CSR Committee and BOD.

2.0	17 <sup>th</sup> July 2021	Board	Policy was formulated and approved by the CSR Committee and BOD.
3.0	18 <sup>th</sup> March 2023	Board	Policy was formulated and approved by the CSR Committee and BOD.
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## **Annexure 'A'**

### **Guidelines under the Companies Act, 2013**

**Sec 135 under the Companies Act, 2013** mandates that the Board of every company shall ensure that the company spends, in every financial year, at least two percent of the average net profits made by the company during the three immediately preceding financial years, in pursuance of its Corporate Social Responsibility Policy. The details of eligibility, net profit calculation and use of funds will be as set out in the Companies Act, 2013 or Rules made thereunder and subsequent amendments / clarifications/ circulars/ notifications.

"Provided further that a company having any amount in its Unspent Corporate Social Responsibility Account as per sub-section (6) of section 135 shall constitute a CSR Committee and comply with the provisions contained in sub-sections (2) to (6) of the said section."

Definitions;

1. "Act" means the Companies Act, 2013
2. "Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR)" means and includes but is not limited to:-
  - i. Projects or programs relating to activities specified in Schedule VII to the Act; or
  - ii. Projects or programs relating to activities undertaken by the Board of Directors of the company (Board) in pursuance of recommendations of the CSR committee of the Board as per the declared CSR Policy of the company subject to the condition that such policy will cover subjects enumerated in Schedule VII of the Act.
3. "CSR Committee" means the Corporate Social Responsibility Committee of the Board referred to in Section 135 of the Act.
4. "CSR Expenditure" shall include all expenditure including contribution to corpus, for projects or programs relating to CSR activities approved by the Board on the recommendation of its CSR Committee but does not include any expenditure on an item not in conformity or not in line with activities which fall within the purview of Schedule VII of the Act.

5. "CSR Policy" relates to activities to be undertaken by the company as specified in Schedule VII to the Act and the expenditure thereon, excluding activities undertaken in pursuance of normal course of business of the company.
6. "Net Profit" means the net profit of the company as per its financial statements prepared in accordance with the applicable provisions of the Act, but shall not include the following, namely;
  - i. any profit arising from any overseas branch or branches of the company, whether operated as a separate company or otherwise; and
  - ii. any dividend received from other companies in India, which are covered under and complying with the provisions of the section 135 of the Act
7. "Average Net Profit" shall be calculated in accordance with the provisions of Section 198 of the Act.

The broad CSR activities that can be considered for projects or programs are listed in the Schedule VII to the Companies Act, 2013 and are outlined below:

1. Eradicating hunger, poverty and malnutrition, promoting health care including preventive health care and sanitation including contribution to the 'Swach Bharat Kosh' set-up by the Central Government for promotion of sanitation and making available safe drinking water;<sup>3</sup>
2. Promoting education, including special education and employment enhancing vocation skills especially among children, women, elderly, and the differently abled, and livelihood enhancement projects;
3. Promoting gender equality, empowering women, setting up homes and hostels for women and orphans; setting up old age homes, day care centers and such other facilities for senior citizens and measures for reducing inequalities faced by socially and economically backward groups;
4. Ensuring environmental sustainability, ecological balance, protection of flora and fauna, animal welfare, agroforestry, conservation of natural resources and maintaining quality of soil, air and water including contribution to the Clean Ganga Fund set-up by the Central Government for rejuvenation of river Ganga;
5. Protection of national heritage, art and culture including restoration of buildings and sites of historical importance and works of art; setting up public libraries; promotion and development

of traditional arts and handicrafts:

6. Measures for the benefit of armed forces veterans, war widows and their dependents,
7. Training to promote rural sports, nationally recognized sports, Paralympic sports and Olympic sports;
8. Contribution to the Prime Minister's National Relief Fund or [or Prime Minister's Citizen Assistance and Relief in Emergency Situations Fund (PM CARES Fund) or any other fund set up by the Central Government for socio-economic development and relief and welfare of the Scheduled Castes, the Scheduled Tribes, other backward classes, minorities and women;
9. Contribution to incubators funded by Central Government or State Government or any agency or Public Sector Undertaking of Central Government or State Government, and contributions to public funded Universities, Indian Institute of Technology (IITs), National Laboratories and Autonomous Bodies (established under the auspices of Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR), Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR), Department of Atomic Energy (DAE), Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO), Department of Biotechnology (DBT), Department of Science and Technology (DST), Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology) engaged in conducting research in science, technology, engineering and medicine aimed at promoting Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)
10. Rural development projects.
11. Slum Area Development ('slum area' shall mean any area declared as such by the Central Government or any State Government or any other competent authority under any law for the time being in force).
12. Disaster management including relief, rehabilitation and reconstruction activities
13. Undertake research and development activity of new vaccine, drugs and medical devices related to COVID-19 for financial years 2020-21, 2021-22, 2022-23 subject to the conditions that-
  - (a) Such research and development activities shall be carried out in collaboration with any of the institutes or organisations mentioned in item (ix) of Schedule VII to the Act;
  - (b) Details of such activity shall be disclosed separately in the Annual report on CSR included in the Board's Report;

14. Undertaking training of Indian Sports Personnel representing any State or Union Territory at National Level or India at international level

15. Such other matters as may be notified by Ministry of Corporate affairs.

The CSR activities that the company finalizes as area of future work need to be aligned to the above activities allowed by the law.

Additionally:

- The CSR activity shall be undertaken by the company as projects or programs or activities (either new or ongoing), excluding activities undertaken in pursuance of its normal course of business.
- Only projects or programs or activities undertaken in India shall amount to CSR expenditure
- The company shall give preference to the local area and areas around it where it operates, for spending the amount earmarked for CSR activities.
- CSR projects or programs or activities that benefit only employees of the company and their families shall not be considered as CSR activities.
- Contribution of any amount directly or indirectly to any political party shall not be considered as CSR activity.
- The company may build CSR capacities of its own personnel as well as those of its Implementing agencies through Institutions with established track records of at least three financial years but such expenditure including expenditure on administrative overheads, shall not exceed five percent of total CSR expenditure of the company in one financial year.
- Expenses incurred by the company for the fulfilment of any Act/ Statute or Regulations (such as Labour Laws, Land Acquisition Act etc.) would not count as CSR expenditure under the Companies Act.
- One-off events such as marathons/ awards/ charitable contribution/ advertisement/ sponsorships of TV programmes etc. would not be qualified as part of CSR expenditure.
- The surplus arising out of the CSR projects or programs or activities shall not form part of the business profit of the Company.

## Annexure 'B'

### SBI Ventures Limited (formerly known as SBICAP Ventures Limited)

#### Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) Association Form

##### A] Organisation Details:

Contact Details		
1	Name of organization	
2	Address for Correspondence	
3	Telephone Number(s)	
4	Website	
5	Founder of organization	
6	Head of the Organization	
	Mobile Number	
	e-Mail	
7	Contact person	
	Mobile Number	
	E-Mail	
Registration Details		
1	Whether registered or not?	
	If Yes, under what Act?	
	Registration Number	
	Registration Date	
2	PAN No.	
3	12A Certificate	
4	80 G certificate	
5	FCRA Registration no.	
References		

<b>Bank details</b>		
1	Account name	
2	Bank name	
3	Bank address	
4	Account No.	
5	MICR	
6	IFS Code	
7	Type of account	

## **B] Organisation's Work Profile**

<b>Background Details (Work done so far)</b>		
1	Vision of organization	
2	Mission	
3	Geographic area	
4	Details of work	
5	Impact achieved	
6	Team size	



<b>Details of completed grants</b>	
1	No. of grants successfully completed
2	Names of Donors
3	Total grant amount
<b>Details of ongoing grants</b>	
1	No. of ongoing grants
2	Names of Donors
3	Total grant amount
<b>Details of Government awarded grants &amp; Individual donors</b>	
1	Grant received from government
2	State Government
3	Central Government
4	Grant received from Individual
<b>Accounting Practices, Audits</b>	
1	Accounting practices and Audits in place <i>(Yes/No)</i>
2	Audit reports for last 3 years <i>(Available/Not Available)</i>
<b>Awards/Achievements/Recognition</b>	
1	Awards/Recognitions received so far

**C] Proposed Intervention**

<b>Detailed Proposal to SBI Ventures Limited</b>		
1	Program Title	
2	Program Period From:	
	To:	
3	Goal	
4	Targets	
5	Geographical area of work	
6	Program Context	
7	Uniqueness	
8	Need for Financial Support?	
9	Value of the Financial Support	
10	Program Monitoring & Evaluation	

**D] Proposed Budget**

<b>Financial details</b>		
1	Budget	
2	Other Funders	