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IDBI Bank/ICICI Bank.

Dear Sir/Madam,

**Public Provident Fund Scheme, 1968  
Amendment to Section 9(3) of the Scheme**

We forward herewith a copy of Government of India Notification G.S.R. 956 (E) dated December 7, 2010, on the captioned subject, the contents of which are self explicit.

2. The contents of the Notification may be brought to the notice of branches of your bank operating the PPF scheme and may also be displayed on the notice boards of your branches for information of the PPF subscribers.

Yours faithfully

(Sangeeta Lalwani)

Deputy General Manager

Encls : 5 copies of Notification.

**यह विभाग आइ एस ओ 9001-2000 प्रमाणित है।**

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**MINISTRY OF FINANCE**  
**(Department of Economic Affairs)**

**NOTIFICATION**

New Delhi, the 7<sup>th</sup> December, 2010

**G.S.R. 956 (E).** – In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (4) of Section 3 of the Public Provident Fund Act, 1968 (23 of 1968), the Central Government hereby makes the following Scheme further to amend the Public Provident Fund Scheme, 1968, namely :-

1. (1) This scheme may be called the Public Provident Fund (Amendment) Scheme, 2010.  
(2) It shall come into force on the date of its publication in the Official Gazette.
2. In the Public Provident Fund Scheme, 1968 in paragraph 9, in sub-paragraph (3), after the proviso, the following proviso shall be inserted, namely :-

“Provided further that an account opened on behalf of a Hindu Undivided Family prior to the 13<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2005, shall be closed after expiry of fifteen years from the end of the year in which the initial subscription was made and the entire amount standing at the credit of the subscriber shall be refunded, after making adjustments, if any, in respect of any interest due from the subscriber on loans taken by him. In the case of accounts opened on behalf of Hindu Undivided Family, where fifteen years from end of the year in which initial subscription was made, has already been completed, they shall also be closed at the end of the current year, i.e. the 31<sup>st</sup> day of March, 2011 and the entire amount standing at the credit of the subscriber shall be refunded, after making adjustments, if any, in respect of any interest due from the subscriber on loans taken by him.”

[F.No. F.7/4/2008-NS.II]

M. A. KHAN, Under Secy.

**Note:** The scheme was notified *vide* G.S.R. 1136(E), dated 15-6-1968 and amended *vide* G.S.R. 368(E), dated 1-8-72, G.S.R. 217(E), dated 9-3-79, G.S.R. 271(E), dated 16-3-83, G.S.R. 54(E), dated 7-2-84, G.S.R. 895(E), dated 23-6-86, G.S.R. 1013(E), dated 6-7-99, G.S.R. 908(E), dated 6-12-2000, G.S.R. 679(E), dated 4-10-2002, G.S.R. 768(E), dated 15-11-2002, G.S.R. 585(E), dated 25-7-2003, G.S.R. 690(E), dated 27-8-2003, G.S.R. 755(E), dated 19-11-2004, and G.S.R. 291(E), dated 13-5-2005.