UGRO Capital Limited

Reserve Bank - Integrated Ombudsman Scheme, 2021 : Salient Features

Scheme covers customers of

All deposit taking NBFCs NBFCs with assets size \geq Rs. 100 crore + customer interface (Excluding: Infrastructure Finance Companies, Core Investment Companies, Infrastructure Debt Fund and NBFCs under liquidation)

the reply from

NBFC)

Grounds for filing a complaint by a customer:

- Interest/Deposit not paid OR paid with delay .
- Cheque not presented OR done with delay •
- Not conveyed the amount of loan sanctioned, terms & conditions, annualised rate of interest, • etc.
- Notice not provided for changes in agreement, levy of charges
- Failure to ensure transparency in contract/loan agreement •
- Failure/ Delay in releasing securities/ documents •
- Failure to provide legally enforceable built-in repossession in contract/ loan agreement •
- RBI directives not followed by NBFC ٠
- Guidelines on Fair Practices Code not followed .

How can a customer file complaint?

Written representation to NBFC	At the end of one month	If reply is not received from NBFC or customer remain dissatisfied with the reply of NBFC	If customer has not approached any forum	File a complaint with NBFC Ombudsman
concerned				(not later than one year after

How does Ombudsman take decision?

- Proceedings before Ombudsman are summary in nature
- Promotes settlement through conciliation \rightarrow If not reached, can issue Award/Order

Can a customer appeal, if not satisfied with decision of Ombudsman?

Yes, If Ombudsman's decision is appealable \rightarrow Appellate Authority: Deputy Governor, RBI

Note:

- This is an Alternate Dispute Resolution mechanism
- Customer is at liberty to approach any other court/forum/authority for the redressal at any stage

Refer to www.rbi.org.in for further details of the Scheme

Note: A Copy of Ombudsman Scheme is available with our Branch Manager for perusal in the office premises, if anyone desires to do so.

Address and Area of Operation of the Ombudsmen for NBFCs

SN	Centre	Address of the Office of NBFC	Area of Operation
		Ombudsman	
1.	Chennai	C/o Reserve Bank of India Fort Glacis, Chennai 600 001 STD Code: 044 Telephone No : 25395964 Fax No : 25395488 Email : cms.nbfcochennai@rbi.org.in <u>Click here to lodge complaint</u>	Tamil Nadu, Andaman and Nicobar Islands, Karnataka, Andhra Pradesh, Telangana, Kerala, Union Territory of Lakshadweep and Union Territory of Puducherry
2.	Mumbai	C/o Reserve Bank of India RBI Byculla Office Building Opp. Mumbai Central Railway Station Byculla, Mumbai-400 008 STD Code: 022 Telephone No : 2300 1280 Fax No : 23022024 Email : cms.nbfcomumbai@rbi.org.in <u>Click here to lodge complaint</u>	Maharashtra, Goa, Gujarat, Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Union Territories of Dadra and Nagar Haveli, Daman and Diu
3.	New Delhi	C/o Reserve Bank of India Sansad Marg New Delhi -110001 STD Code: 011 Telephone No: 23724856 Fax No : 23725218-19 Email : cms.nbfconewdelhi@rbi.org.in <u>Click here to lodge complaint</u>	Delhi, Uttar Pradesh, Uttarakhand, Haryana, Punjab, Union Territory of Chandigarh Himachal Pradesh, and Rajasthan and State of Jammu and Kashmir
4.	Kolkata	C/o Reserve Bank of India 15, Netaji Subhash Road Kolkata-700 001 STD Code: 033 Telephone No : 22310217 Fax No : 22305899 Email : cms.nbfcokolkata@rbi.org.in <u>Click here to lodge complaint</u>	West Bengal, Sikkim, Odisha, Assam, Arunachal Pradesh, Manipur, Meghalaya, Mizoram, Nagaland, Tripura, Bihar and Jharkhand