

Media Release

Kotak Mahindra Bank Distributes Ration Kits to Tribals in Sonbhadra Dist., UP

Sonbhadra, 20th April, 2020: To support the dedicated efforts of the State Government of Uttar Pradesh in their relief operations against the Coronavirus pandemic, Kotak Mahindra Bank (Kotak) today announced that it will distribute ration kits among the tribal communities in Sonbhadra district.

Starting 20th April, Kotak along with the Chief Development Officer’s Office, Sonbhadra District will distribute ration kits consisting of rice, flour, pulses, potatoes, onions, sunflower oil, spices and salt. Each ration kit will meet the needs of a 4-5 member family for around 7-10 days.

[Kotak’s COVID-19](#) relief efforts will continue over the next few weeks and thousands of tribal villagers in the Sonbhadra district will benefit from this relief operation.



D Kannan, Group President - Commercial Banking, Kotak Mahindra Bank said, “The harsh reality of the COVID-19 pandemic is that while it has created mayhem globally and in India, it is the underprivileged and daily wage earners who are the most vulnerable. By distributing dry ration kits to tribal communities in Sonbhadra district, our aim is to provide nutrition and sustenance to these families during this very difficult period and lend support to the Uttar Pradesh Government’s stellar relief work.”

About Kotak Mahindra Bank Limited

Established in 1985, Kotak Mahindra Group is one of India's leading financial services conglomerates. In February 2003, Kotak Mahindra Finance Ltd. (KMFL), the Group's flagship company, received banking license from the Reserve Bank of India (RBI), becoming the first non-banking finance company in India to convert into a bank - Kotak Mahindra Bank Ltd.

The Bank has four Strategic Business Units – Consumer Banking, Corporate Banking, Commercial Banking and Treasury, which cater to retail and corporate customers across urban and rural India. The premise of Kotak Mahindra Group’s business model is *concentrated India, diversified financial services*. The bold vision that underscores the Group’s growth is an inclusive one, with a host of products and services designed to address the needs of the unbanked and insufficiently banked. As on 31st December, 2019, Kotak Mahindra Bank Ltd has a national footprint of 1,539 branches and 2,447 ATMs, and branches in GIFT City and DIFC (Dubai).

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