

RBI invites public comments on the “Draft Reserve Bank of India (Rural Co-operative Banks – Undertaking of Financial Services) Amendment Directions, 2026”

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In view of the release of the draft Amendment Directions on Responsible Business Conduct (“Directions on RBC”), extant regulations governing undertaking of financial services issued vide [Reserve Bank of India \(Rural Co-operative Banks - Undertaking of Financial Services\) Directions, 2025](#), have also been reviewed and amended. The revised draft regulatory framework aligns the instructions with the “Directions on RBC” and also put in place additional prudential norms for certain businesses.

Additional comments or any attachments may also be submitted by email at audor@rbi.org.in.

Last date for submission of comments is March 04, 2026.

Draft Directions [PDF \(138.62 KB\)](#)