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**RBI invites public comments on Discussion Paper - Licensing of Urban Co-operative Banks (UCBs)**

The Reserve Bank of India today placed on its website [a discussion paper on licensing of UCBs](#).

2. Comments are invited from public / stakeholders till February 13, 2026. Comments may be submitted through the link under the '[Connect 2 Regulate](#)' Section available on the Reserve Bank's website. Alternatively, comments/feedback may also be forwarded to:

The Chief General Manager  
Reserve Bank of India  
Department of Regulation  
Registration and Licensing Section (Co-operative Banks)  
12th Floor, Central Office  
Shahid Bhagat Singh Marg, Fort, Mumbai – 400001

or by [email](#) with the subject line "Feedback on Discussion Paper on Licensing of UCBs".

Discussion Paper: [PDF \(220.27 KB\)](#)