

May 28, 2021

BSE Limited National Stock Exchange of India Limited Scrip code: 535755 & 890148 Symbol: ABFRL & ABFRLPP1

Sub.: Statement of deviation or variation in the use of proceeds of Rights Issue of Aditya
Birla Fashion and Retail Limited ("the Company")

Ref.: 1. Regulation 32 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015

2. ISIN: INE647001011 & IN9647001027

Dear Sir/ Madam,

Pursuant to the above referred, we hereby confirm that there has been no deviation or variation in the use of proceeds of the Rights Issue and Preferential Issue, from the objects stated in the Letter of Offer dated June 28, 2020 and Investment agreement dated October 23, 2020, respectively.

A statement in this behalf is enclosed herewith.

The above is being made available on the Company's website i.e. www.abfrl.com.

Thanking you.

Yours faithfully,
For Aditya Birla Fashion and Retail Limited

**Geetika Anand Company Secretary and Compliance Officer** 

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## Statement of Deviation/Variation in utilization of funds raised

Name of listed entity	Aditya Birla Fashion and Retail Limited		
Mode of Fund Raising	Rights Issue	Preferential Issue	
Date of Raising Funds	July 28, 2020	January 28, 2021	
Amount Raised	₹ 742.69 Crore ₹ 1,499.99 Crore		
Report filed for Quarter ended	March 31, 2021		
Monitoring Agency	Applicable	Not Applicable	
Monitoring Agency Name, if applicable	Axis Bank Limited	Not Applicable	
Is there a Deviation / Variation in use of funds	No		
raised			
If yes, whether the same is pursuant to change	Not Applicable		
in terms of a contract or objects, which was			
approved by the shareholders			
If Yes, Date of shareholder Approval	Not Applicable		
Explanation for the Deviation / Variation	Not Applicable		
Comments of the Audit Committee after review	No Comments		
Comments of the auditors, if any	No Comments Not Applicable		

Objects for which funds have been raised and where there has been a deviation, in the following table:

Type of	Original	Modified	Original	Modified	Funds	Amount of
Issue	Object	Object, if	Allocation	allocation	Utilised	Deviation/Variation
		any	(₹ in Crore)	if any	(₹ in	for the quarter
					Crore)	according to
						applicable object
Rights	Repayment of	N.A	745.00	N.A	736.17	Nil
Issue*	certain					
	borrowings of					
	the Company					
	General	N.A	244.26	N.A	6.52	Nil
	corporate					
	purpose					
Preferential	Strengthening	N.A	1,499.99	N.A	1,499.99	Nil
Issue	the balance					
	sheet, pursue					
	growth in					
	existing					
	business,					
	expand new					
	lines of					
	business,					

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		any	(₹ in Crore)	if any	(₹ in	for the quarter
					Crore)	according to
						applicable object
	strengthen					
	digital and					
	omni-channel					

<sup>\*</sup> Till March 31, 2021, the Company has received ₹743.15 Crore on account of the Rights Issue. Out of which ₹742.69 Crore has been utilized and balance of ₹0.46 Crore has been kept in the bank account maintained with Axis Bank Limited.

## Deviation or variation could mean:

- (a) Deviation in the objects or purposes for which the funds have been raised or
- (b) Deviation in the amount of funds actually utilized as against what was originally disclosed or
- (c) Change in terms of a contract referred to in the fundraising document i.e. prospectus, letter of offer, etc.

Yours faithfully,

For Aditya Birla Fashion and Retail Limited

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