

## **Clean note policy**

- 1. RBI has issued a directive under Section 35A of the Banking regulation Act, 1949, prohibiting the stapling of currency notes/packets.
- 2. Bank will ensure removal of soiled notes and will ensure such notes are not circulated. All such notes will be replaced with good notes.
- 3. It is to be noted that the watermark on these notes is a major security feature and if the watermark is damaged or broken the machine classifies them as bad notes.
- 4. Utkarsh Small Finance Bank is committed to provide good quality currency notes to the customers
- 5. All customers are requested to tender currency notes in unstapled condition. The bank will also issue currency notes in unstapled condition.