

February 20, 2026



Mr. Hemish Purushottam  
Company Secretary & Compliance Officer  
**Aster DM Healthcare Limited**  
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Tel. No. - 4846699999

Dear Sir,

**Sub: Regulation 29(2) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011**

We refer to our letter dated April 02, 2024 wherein we had mentioned that as on April 01, 2024, the aggregate holding of the Schemes of HDFC Mutual Fund in "Aster DM Healthcare Limited" ("The Company") was 5% of the paid up equity share capital of the Company (Paid up Equity Share Capital being Rs. 4,99,51,30,600/- comprising 49,95,13,060 Equity Shares of Rs. 10/- each).

Further, in accordance with the captioned regulation and other applicable laws / regulations, if any, we wish to inform you that there has been an **increase** in the shareholding of the Company by the Schemes of HDFC Mutual Fund by **2.184%** as of February 18, 2026. As on February 18, 2026 the aggregate holding of the Schemes of HDFC Mutual Fund in the Company is **7.008%** of the paid up equity share capital of the Company (Paid up Equity Share Capital being Rs. 5,18,12,10,290/- comprising 51,81,21,029 Equity Shares of Rs. 10/- each).

As per Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011 please find enclosed the details of change in the shareholding in the prescribed format enclosed as **Annexure 1**.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of the same.

Thanking you,  
Yours faithfully,  
For **HDFC Asset Management Company Limited**

Dinesh Bhakade  
Deputy Vice President - Compliance



Encl: As above

CC:

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**Annexure-1**

**Disclosures under Regulation 29(2) of SEBI (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011**

Name of the Target Company (TC)	<b>Aster DM Healthcare Limited</b>		
Name(s) of the acquirer and Persons Acting in Concert (PAC) with the acquirer	HDFC Mutual Fund: HDFC Trustee Company Limited A/c –  HDFC BSE 500 ETF HDFC BSE 500 Index Fund HDFC Dividend Yield Fund HDFC Flexi Cap Fund HDFC Children's Fund HDFC Balanced Advantage Fund HDFC Large and Mid Cap Fund HDFC Multi Cap Fund HDFC NIFTY500 MULTICAP 50:25:25 INDEX FUND HDFC Pharma and Healthcare Fund HDFC NIFTY SMALLCAP 250 ETF HDFC NIFTY SMALLCAP 250 INDEX FUND HDFC Small Cap Fund HDFC Mid Cap Fund		
Whether the acquirer belongs to Promoter/ Promoter group	NO		
Name(s) of the Stock Exchange(s) where the shares of TC are Listed	BSE Limited National Stock Exchange of India Limited		
Details of the acquisition / disposal as follows	Number	% w.r.t. total share/ voting capital wherever applicable (*)	% w.r.t. total diluted share/ voting capital of the TC (**)
<b>Before the acquisition under consideration, holding of :</b>			
a) Shares carrying voting rights	2,49,95,021	4.824	N.A
b) Shares in the nature of encumbrance (pledge/ lien/non-disposal undertaking/ others)	0	0	N.A
c) Voting rights (VR) otherwise than by shares	0	0	N.A
d) Warrants/ convertible securities/ any other instrument that entitles the acquirer to receive shares carrying voting rights in the TC (specify holding in each category)	0	0	N.A
<b>e) Total (a+b+c+d)</b> \$(Last disclosure of 5.00% holding as on April 01, 2024 reported vide letter dated April 02, 2024, based on the Paid-up Equity Share Capital being Rs 4,99,51,30,600/- comprising 49,95,13,060 Equity Shares of Rs 10/- each)	<b>2,49,95,021</b>	<b>4.824%</b>	<b>N.A</b>
<b>Details of Acquisition/Sale:</b>			
a) Shares carrying voting rights acquired/sold	1,13,15,620	2.184	N.A



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b) VRs acquired /sold otherwise than by shares	0	0	N.A
c) Warrants/convertible securities/any other instrument that entitles the acquirer to receive shares carrying voting rights in the TC (specify holding in each category) acquired/sold	0	0	N.A
d) Shares encumbered/invoked/released by the acquirer	0	0	N.A
<b>e) Total (a+b+c+/-d)</b>	<b>1,13,15,620</b>	<b>2.184</b>	<b>N.A</b>
<b>After the Acquisition/Sale, holding of:</b>			
a) Shares carrying voting rights	3,63,10,641	7.008	N.A
b) Shares encumbered with the acquirer	0	0	N.A
c) VRs otherwise than by shares	0	0	N.A
d) Warrants/convertible securities/any other instrument that entitles the acquirer to receive shares carrying voting rights in the TC (specify holding in each category) after acquisition.	0	0	N.A
<b>e) Total (a+b+c+d)</b>	<b>3,63,10,641</b>	<b>7.008</b>	<b>N.A</b>
Mode of acquisition/sale (e.g. open market / off-market / public issue / rights issue / preferential allotment / inter-se transfer etc).	Open Market		
Date of acquisition/sale of shares / VR or date of receipt of intimation of allotment of shares, whichever is applicable	February 18, 2026		
Equity share capital / total voting capital of the TC before the said acquisition/sale	Rs. 5,18,12,10,290/- comprising 51,81,21,029 equity shares of Rs. 10/- each.		
Equity share capital/ total voting capital of the TC after the said acquisition/sale	Rs. 5,18,12,10,290/- comprising 51,81,21,029 equity shares of Rs. 10/- each.		
Total diluted share/voting capital of the TC after the said acquisition/sale	N.A.		

(\*) Total share capital/ voting capital has been taken as per the latest filing done by the company to the Stock Exchange under Clause 35 of the listing Agreement.

(\*\*) Diluted share/voting capital means the total number of shares in the TC assuming full conversion of the outstanding convertible securities/warrants into equity shares of the TC.

**For HDFC Asset Management Company Limited**  
(Investment Manager for the Schemes of HDFC Mutual Fund)

  
**Dinesh Bhakade**  
**Deputy Vice President - Compliance**

**Place: Mumbai**  
**Date: February 20, 2026**

