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Dear Sir/Madam,

Sub: Press Release - Karnataka Bank hosts 2nd edition of 'KBL - FinOne' - a fintech partnership event at Mumbai.

Pursuant to Regulation 30 and other applicable provisions of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, we enclose copy of the press communiqué released by us for your kind information and dissemination.

Yours faithfully,

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PRESS RELEASE

Date: 07-09-2023

Karnataka Bank hosts 2nd edition of 'KBL - FinOne' - a fintech partnership event at Mumbai



Private sector lender Karnataka Bank hosted the second edition of KBL - FinOne, “A Fintech Growth Program” on the sidelines of Global Fintech Fest 2023 being held from September 5th to 7th 2023 at Jio World Convention Centre, Mumbai. The leadership session on the topic ‘Evolving Digital Ecosystem @ MSME and Possibilities’ was organized in association with ‘Thefintechmeetup’.

Speaking at the session, Shri Srikrishnan H, Managing Director & CEO of Karnataka Bank, said “At Karnataka Bank, we wish to actively participate in the digital ecosystem that includes specific open collaborations with Fintechs to provide inclusive finance for MSMEs and consumers. As we celebrate the Bank’s Centenary Year, we are positioning and re-inventing ourselves to be a Start-Up @ 100, with an outlook of metamorphosing from being ‘Karnataka’s Karnataka Bank to India’s Karnataka Bank’. The prime focus of

the Bank now is in building the asset book through collaborations with NBFCs and Fintechs. Another key focus for the Bank is on the distribution products such as digital credit cards, UPI on credit, Insurance & investments, Personal finance etc., that the Bank will be happy to partner. Karnataka Bank will also pursue active participation in the B2B segment to serve the underserved.”

Shri Sekhar Rao, Executive Director of Karnataka Bank, in his address said “We are focusing on building our digital lending ecosystem with an eye on three broad parameters, first - by focusing in areas which we understand or our strengths are namely MSMEs and Agri sector, second - developing a commercially viable model, and third without doubt through the collaboration route with fintechs ”

Senior executives representing various verticals of Karnataka Bank also participated in the event.

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ASSISTANT GENERAL MANAGER