SEBI has amended the Foreign Venture Capital Investors (FVCI) Regulations, 2026, introducing timelines for remittance of registration fees collected by Designated Depository Participants (DDPs) to SEBI.

Key Changes:

- DDPs are now required to **remit all FVCI registration fees to SEBI in Indian Rupees (INR)**.
- For **initial registration**, the fee must be remitted to SEBI **within 5 working days from the date of grant of registration certificate** to the FVCI.
- For **subsequent registration blocks and late fees**, the amount must be remitted **within 5 working days from the date of receipt of the fee** by the DDP.
- The amendment aims to ensure **timely transfer of regulatory fees, improve operational efficiency, and strengthen compliance monitoring**.

Key Takeaway

The amendment places a clear compliance responsibility on DDPs to **promptly remit FVCI registration-related fees to SEBI within 5 working days**, enhancing transparency, accountability, and regulatory oversight in the FVCI registration process.