

CCI Approves Acquisition of Shares Under the Large Value Fund (LVF) Scheme

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Recently, the <u>Competition Commission of India (CCI)</u> has approved the acquisition of shares of MG Motor India Private Limited by IndoEdge India Fund under the Large Value Fund (LVF) Scheme.

- Large Value Fund (LVF) Scheme: It is an <u>Alternative Investment Fund (AIF)</u> wherein every investor is an accredited investor and invests a minimum amount of Rs 70 crore.
- Alternative Investment Fund(AIF): An AIF is a privately pooled or collective investment fund incorporated in India for investment purposes.
- SEBI categorizes AIFs into 3 types:
 - Category-1 AIFs:
 - Invest in startups, Small and Medium-sized Enterprises (SMEs), and socially beneficial sectors like infrastructure.
 - Includes <u>Infrastructure Funds</u>, <u>Venture Capital Funds</u>, <u>Angel Funds</u>, and Social Venture Funds.
 - Category-2 AIFs:
 - Invest in equities and debt securities, excluding Category 1 or 3.
 - Includes Fund of Funds, Debt Funds, and Private Equity Funds.
 - Category-3 AIFs:
 - Aim for short-term investment returns, utilizing complex trading strategies.
 - Includes Hedge Funds and Private Investment in Public Equity Funds.

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