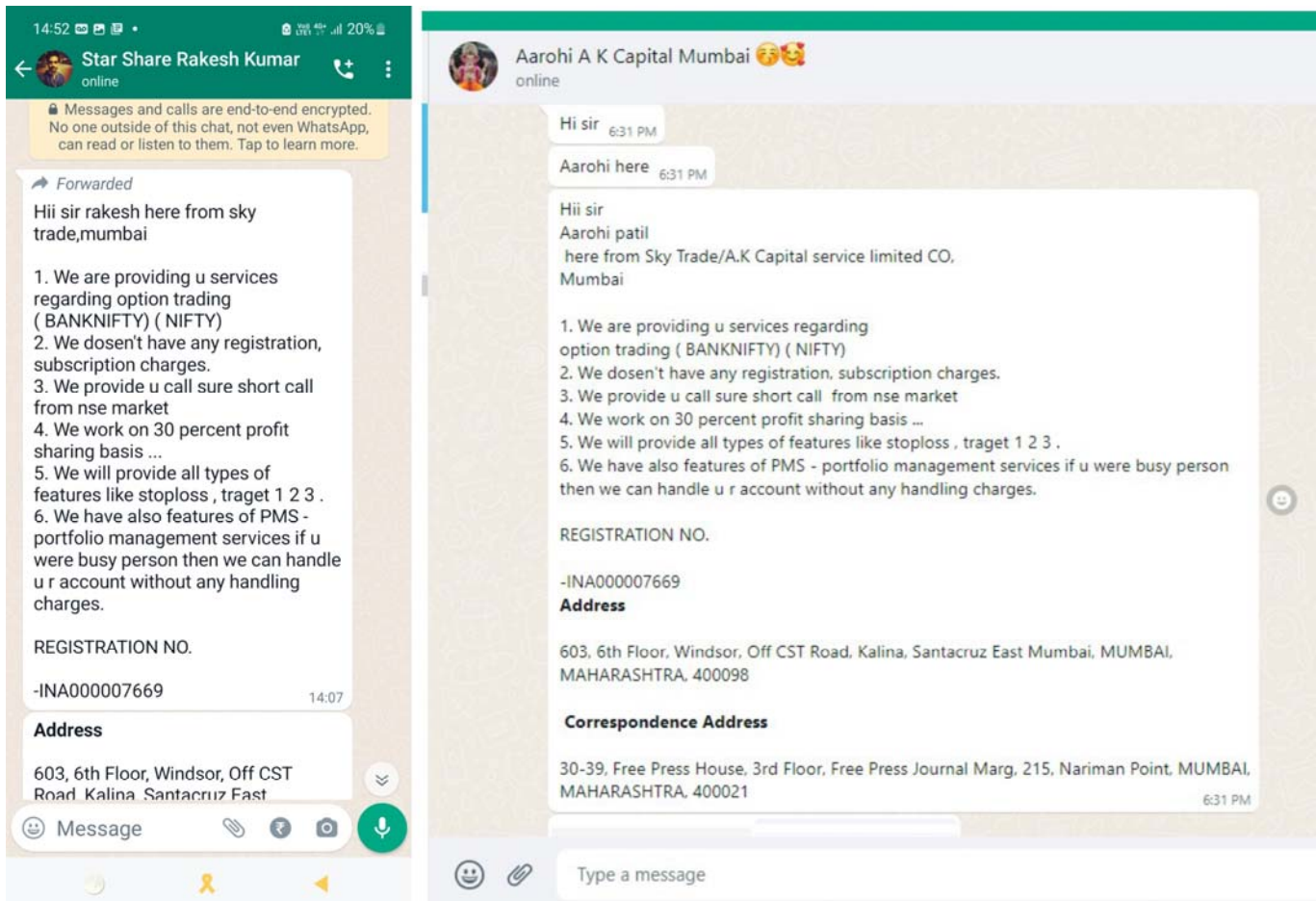


Beware of Unsolicited stock tip/ Investment Advice

In the past few years, the scourge of stock tip messages, calls, and communication using social media has become a dangerous nuisance. We've been seeing queries from unwitting investors who have invested based on these messages and calls. We are writing this as a cautionary note urging you to not invest or trade based on anonymous and fraudulent stock tips.

Also, it has come to our notice that many of general investors, members of public are receiving calls from unsolicited persons and companies posing to be employees of A. K. Group or using our SEBI Registration Nos. and contact details to defraud genuine investors. These persons or companies misrepresent themselves as employees of A.K. Group, with malicious intent. Here are some examples of these messages where these tipsters are impersonating us:



This is illegal and we have always reported such cases to the relevant authorities. We would request our client, investors, and members of public to not encourage or transact with such persons or companies. You can immediately report such activities to us by e-mailing to us on compliance@akgroup.co.in

We would like to bring to your notice that:

- a) We never provide advisory services in equity and/or equity derivatives instruments.
- b) We deal only with registered clients.
- c) A. K. executives will never ask to open an additional account on the pretext of stock tips, name change, etc.
- d) Our company name has not changed.
- e) We never promise guaranteed returns or give stock tips on WhatsApp, SMS etc.

As a precautionary measure, we strongly recommend that you:

- a) Ignore and block unsolicited calls for investment advice/stock trading strategy/stocks Tips.
- b) Beware of unsolicited SMS/ Whatsapp messages for tips and investment advice through SMS and/or social media.

How to report these calls and messages

- a) Enable DND and report the numbers to TRAI.
- b) File a complaint on SEBI against the tipster.
- c) Report the messages to the BSE (https://www.bseindia.com/attention_investors.aspx) and NSE (<https://www.nseindia.com/regulations/unsolicited-messages-report#:~:text=Investors%20may%20report%20unsolicited%20Stock,%40nse.co.in>) exchange tiplines
- d) Please do not spread the message.

Important:

We assure our clients, distributors and other stakeholders that, we do not share any data whatsoever with any unauthorized third parties / outside agency / Advisory firms. Our servers and systems are secured. Rest assured that your database is absolutely safe at our end and will never be shared.