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# **Buyer Manual**

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# 1. Sign Up

Users can sign up as a buyer by clicking on **SignUp**:

**Method (I):** The user can navigate to the sign up module by clicking on the "**Login & Register**" icon/tab available in the header section next to Search. On click, will get a link: Join Now as a Buyer. This will navigate the User to sign up method which is the default functionality of the system. Please refer to the screen below.

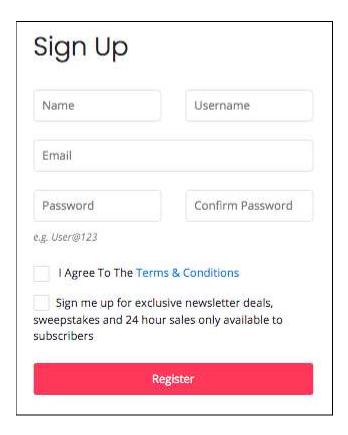


Fig.: Buyer Navigating Signup Module

Account verification Email is sent at the Buyer's Email address after filling the signup form.

**NB:** The admin can include or exclude the '**Email Verification**' step from the sign up process.

# 2. Login (Sign In)

Buyers can navigate to the "Login" button available under the Login & Register icon/tab. A Login form will appear once the Buyer clicks on this button. The Buyer can login through the registered **Email Id/Username**. Clicking on the "Login" button will verify the entered credentials and redirect the Buyer to the homepage/dashboard page.

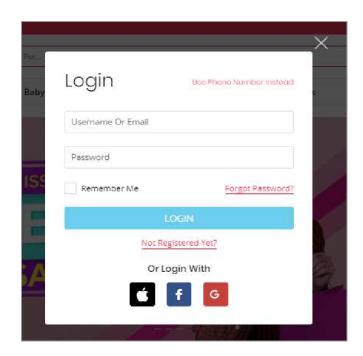


Fig.: Buyer Login Form

In case if the Admin has opted for the **"Admin Approval"** step, the Buyer will see the message appearing.

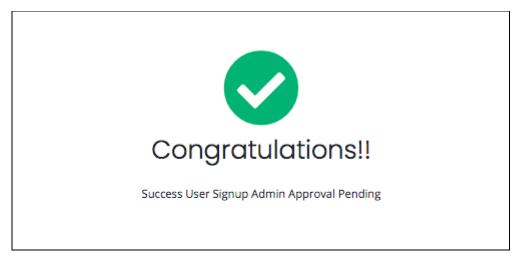


Fig.: Admin Approval

This message will appear until the admin approves the Buyer's request from their end. Only after the request is approved, the Buyer can proceed further in viewing the other sections of the dashboard.

**NB:** The Buyer must Sign up before logging in the website. To sign up please refer to 'Sign Up'.

# 3. Forgot Password

If the Buyer does not remember the password, they can reset it. The similar approach can be followed if the Buyer wants to reset the previously chosen password.

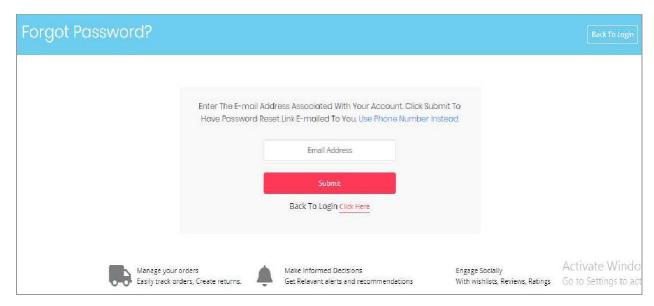


Fig.: "Forgot Password" Page

There is a "Forgot Password" option available just above the "Login" button. Clicking on this button navigates the Buyer to the Forgot Password page. The Buyer can reset their password using either their registered 'Email' or 'Phone Number'.

I. Reset Password Through Registered Email Address: The Buyer must enter their registered Email address in the provided input dialog box and then click on the "Submit" button provided below it. The system forwards a "Password Reset Email" to the entered registered Email ID.

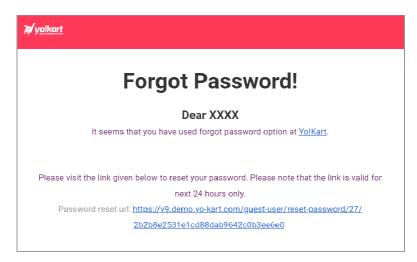
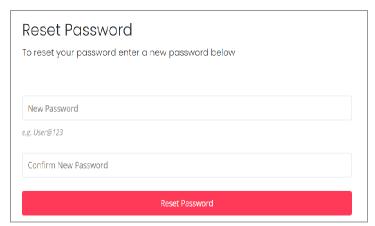


Fig.: Password Reset Email Link

The Buyer must click on the link provided in the received email which will redirect them to the "Reset Password" page.



**Fig.: Reset Password Form** 

The Buyer must enter the "New Password" and "Confirm New Password" input dialog boxes and then click on the "Reset Password" button provided below them. A message declaring "Password Successfully Changed" will be displayed and the Buyer will be redirected to the "Sign in/ Login" page.

The Buyer can proceed with login using the new password.

**NB:** An example of a strong password is provided below the "**New Password**" dialog box. The Buyer can follow the pattern of the given example to create a strong password.

II. **Reset Password Through Registered Email Address:** The Buyer can reset their password using the phone number linked to their account. Clicking on '**Use Phone Number Instead**' will display the following form. The Buyer must enter the contact number that is associated with their account and click on the '**Get OTP**' button.

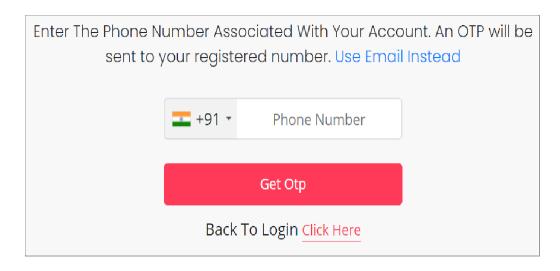


Fig. : Reset Password Using Phone Number

The OTP will be forwarded to the Buyer on their contact number.

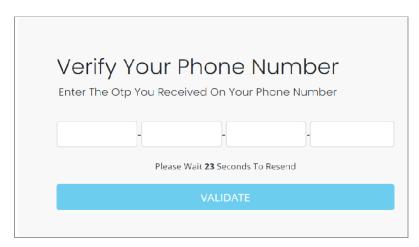


Fig.: 'Verify Your Phone Number' Form

The Buyer must enter the OTP that is forwarded on their phone number and then click on the 'Validate' button.

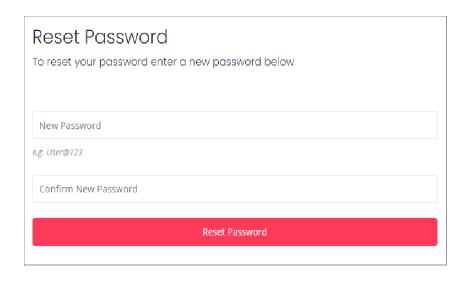


Fig.: Reset Password Form

The 'Reset Password' form will appear through which the Buyer can update their password.

# 4. Buyer Dashboard Top Navigation Bar

Once logged in, the Buyer will be navigated to the dashboard.

#### ❖ Top-Navigation Short-cut Icons

There are several icons available at the top right corner of the dashboard. The functionalities of these icons are explained below:



**Figure: Top Navigation Icons** 

i) User Icon: Clicking on the "User Icon" provided at the extreme right will display the following options in the dropdown menu.

Clicking on the 'My Account" & Orders with Welcome User: "Buyer" button will open a dropdown listing options: Dashboard, My Account, My Orders, Marketplace. Clicking on the 'Logout' button will log the Buyer out of their account. It will redirect to the User Dashboard, Account settings, Order listing, Seller Catalogs sections.

**Message icon:** This is a shortcut button to access the messaging module. This icon will also display the count of unread messages. Clicking on this button

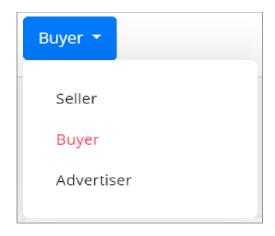
will redirect the Buyer to the 'Messages' page.

- **Home Icon:** Clicking on this icon will redirect the Buyer to the Homepage of the website in a new tab.
- iv) Dashboard: Clicking on this icon will redirect the Buyer to Dashboard.
- **v) Bell Icon:** Clicking on this icon will list Notifications. Upon clicking on a particular Notification, User is redirected to the respective page/screen. And Notifications are removed once read by the Buyer.

#### ❖ Role Switcher

"Role Switcher" button is provided on the top navigation bar. A user can be registered on the website as a 'Buyer', 'Seller' or an 'Advertiser'. However, if any particular user has registered with multiple roles for example, a Buyer has also registered themselves on the website as a 'Seller', they can switch roles using this button. And by default Seller has flexibility to become an Advertiser. This means that the users with multiple roles do not need to login and logout repeatedly. They can directly access the other dashboards by selecting the respective role from the drop-down.

Please refer to the example shown in the figure below.



**Figure: Role Switcher** 



Clicking on this icon will redirect the Buyer to their Shop page at the front-end.

**NB:** This icon is not displayed to the newly registered Buyer since they have not created their shop yet. However, once the Buyer creates their shop, this icon will be displayed on the top-navigation bar.

# ♦ Menu Bar

Clicking on this button will open a vertical side-navigation bar which includes several modules and sub-modules for Buyers. All these modules are explained further in the manual.

#### 5. Dashboard

When clicking on the '**Dashboard**' icon the Buyer is redirected to the Dashboard. There are two shortcut buttons provided on the top-right corner of this page, which are shown in Figure 5.1.



Fig.: Dashboard Shortcut Buttons

The functionalities of these buttons are explained below:

- **Favorites:** This shortcut button redirects the Buyer to the wish list section.
- **Manage Addresses:** This shortcut button redirects the Buyer to the Address book of User i.e. Shipping and Billing Address Location sections.

The dashboard page includes four sections as shown in the following Figures.



Fig.: Credits, Orders and Reward Points

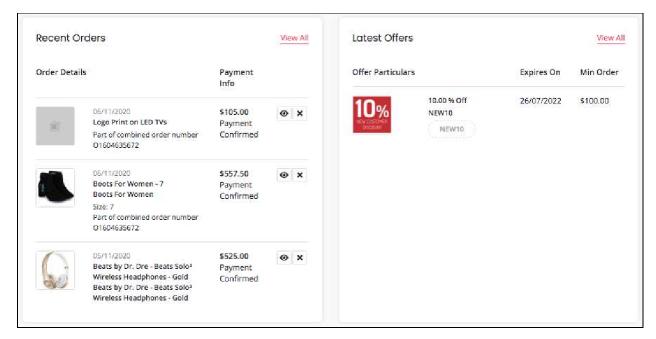


Fig.: Recent Orders & Latest Offers



Fig.: Return & Cancellation Requests

Sections denoted above are explained below:

- a) **Reward Points:** This section displays points earned by a Buyer during the First purchase or most purchases. It also displays equivalent Currency amount as per point count.
- b) **Credits:** The sum total of credits earned by the Buyer from all the successfully completed orders is displayed in this section. It also displays the credits earned on

the respective date.

**NB:** An order is considered as '**Completed**' only when it reaches its dead state, in other words it reaches a state where no actions can be performed on it. The orders under '**Completed**', '**Canceled**' and '**Refunded/Completed**' statuses are considered as '**Completed**'.

c) **Orders:** This section displays the count of the number of orders that have been 'Completed' and the number of orders that are **'Pending'.** 

**NB:** An order is considered as '**Completed**' only when it reaches its dead state, in other words it reaches a state where no actions can be performed on it. The orders under 'Completed', 'Canceled' and 'Refunded/Completed' statuses are considered as '**Completed**'. All the other orders will be considered as '**Pending**'.

- d) **Latest Offers:** This section lists an Offer available for Buyer to avail. This Offer has a code with validity and equivalent currency amount on a minimum order. View All link redirects the Buyer to Offer Listing page.
- g) **Recent Orders:** A list of latest orders placed by customers can be viewed under this section.

Each of the orders displayed is provided with necessary action buttons using which the Buyer can perform certain actions directly from this section. The eye icon • will redirect the Buyer to the order detail page which is known as

'View Sale Order' page. The cross icon X will redirect the Buyer to the 'Cancel Order' page. The 'View All' link will redirect the Buyer to the 'Orders' module.

f) **Return Requests:** This section displays a list of latest Return Requests made by customers in the order of most recent orders on the top.

Each of the orders displayed is provided with necessary action buttons using which the Buyer can perform certain actions directly from this section. The eye icon • will redirect the Buyer to the order detail page which is known as 'View Order Return Request' page. The 'View All' link will redirect the Buyer to the 'Order Return Requests' module.

g) **Cancellation Requests:** This section displays a list of the Cancellation Requests placed by the customers in the order of most recent orders on the top. The **'View All**' link will redirect the Buyer to the **'Cancellation Requests'** module.

#### 6. Orders

This module displays the lists of all orders, Cancellation, Return requests, Downloads, My RFQ Requests, Re-Quote Requests.

#### 6.1 Orders

This module displays a list of orders placed by customers. A search bar is provided on the top of this page from which the Buyer can search a particular order using any of the search filters:

- **Keyword:** Enter the keywords of the product to be searched.
- **Status:** The Buyer can search products based on their statuses. This drop-down bar includes all the possible options of statuses available. The list will display:

- → Payment Pending: The orders placed by customers for which payment has not been received yet.
- → Cash on Delivery: The orders placed with COD.
- → **Payment Confirmed:** The orders for which payments have been confirmed/received from customers' end.
- → **Approved:** The orders that have been approved.
- → In Process: The orders that have begun to be prepared for sale.
- → **Shipped:** The orders that are being shipped to their customers.
- → **Delivered:** The orders that have been delivered to the respective customers.
- → Return Requested: The orders for which customers have sent return requests.
- → **Completed:** The orders that have been completed.
- → Canceled: The orders that have been canceled from Buyer or admin's end.
- → **Refunded/Completed:** The orders for which the respective amount has been refunded to their customers.
- **Price Min [Default Currency]:** The orders above the minimum price limit mentioned in this input box.

- **Price Max [Default Currency]:** The orders below the maximum price limit mentioned in this input box.
- **Date From:** The orders placed after the mentioned date.
- **Date To:** The orders placed before the mentioned date.

**NB:** The 'Date From' and 'Date To' filters can also be used together to specify a time period.

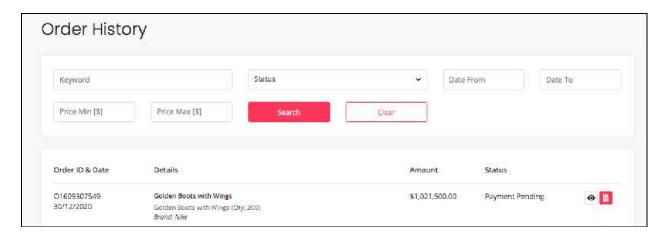
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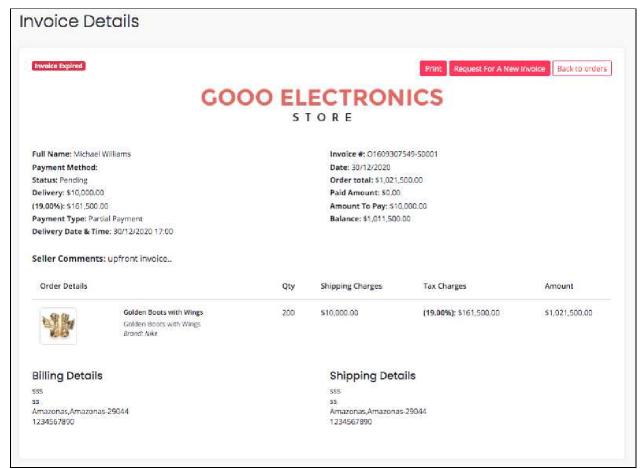
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Fig.: Orders Page

The orders displayed in the list have following short-cut buttons provided to their extreme right which are:

- View Order: Clicking on this icon will redirect the Buyer to the 'View Sale Order' page. This page shows the complete details of the product and the placed order. It also displays the billing as well as shipping details of the respective order. There are two buttons provided on the top-right corner of this page which are "Print" and "Back to Order". Clicking on "Print" will redirect the Buyer to print preview. The Buyer can thus create a hard-copy of the complete order details. Clicking on "Back to Order" will redirect the Buyer back to the orders list. The further functions offered by this page are explained ahead.
- **Re-Order:** Clicking on this icon will redirect the Buyer to the 'Cart' page.
- **Cancel Order:**. The Cancel Order icon is displayed on the View Order Screen on the top left side there is an icon. Clicking on this icon will redirect the Buyer to the Order Cancellation Page to select the reason along with Comments for submission to Seller/Admin.
- **Re-Request Invoice (Only in case of RFQ):** The Buyer can re-request Invoice for the already generated invoice for an order. By default invoice validity is set to 48 hours and after expiry this Re-Request Invoice icon is displayed.





On click of View Invoice: A Buyer can view the status of the invoice in the top. If Invoice status is **Expired** then there is a button: **Request For a new Invoice** for

the Buyer to request Seller for re-generation of Invoice.

On click of Request For a new invoice button, a pop up is displayed for the Buyer to share a reason and then submit the request to the Seller. Refer below Figure:



#### 6.2 Downloads

This section displays Downloadable Files and Links from the platform once a Buyer purchases.



**Downloadable Files:** It contains links which can be downloaded by clicking on a download icon. Options like Download Count, Expired On for each download link is available. This is applicable for Digital products - inventory when configured by a particular Seller.

**Downloadable Links:** It contains links for downloading digital products. button will be available which will redirect the Buyer to download. Options like Download Count, Expired On for each download link is available.

**Search feature:** Files can be searched by name in the Keyword text box. And the applied filter can be resetted by clicking on Clear Button.

### 6.3 Cancellation Requests

It is also possible that the buyer, after placing an order, might cancel it due to whatever reasons. Any such orders canceled from the buyer's end will be displayed on this page. Such requests can only and only be approved by the Admin. The Buyer can only view the status of requests made for respective orders and cannot approve or decline the requests. If the customer's order cancellation request is approved by the admin, the status of order mentioned in

the list will be displayed as 'Approved' and 'Pending' if it is pending and no action has been performed yet. As shown in the below figure, a search bar is provided on the top using which the Buyer can search orders using filters:

- **Order Id/Invoice Number:** The Buyer must enter the order id or invoice number in this input box to search a specific order.
- **Status:** The Buyer can search the orders based on their status as being 'Approved' or 'Pending' or 'Declined'.
- **Date From:** The Buyer can enter the date after which all the order cancellation requests received must be shown.
- **Date To:** The Buyer can enter the date until which all the order cancellation requests received must be shown.
- **NB:** The 'Date From' and 'Date To' filters can also be used together to specify a time period.

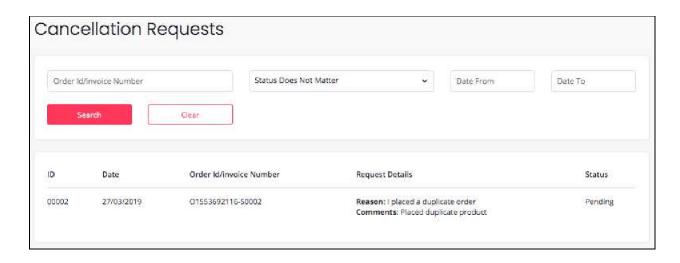


Fig.: Cancellation Requests Page

To remove the filters and view the complete list, Buyers must click on the "Clear" button provided next to the "Search" button.

#### 6.4 My RFQ Requests

This screen lists out all the RFQ Quotation requests submitted by a Buyer for any product or Service. As shown in the below figure, a search bar is provided on the top of this page using which the Buyer can apply filters and search particular orders. The filters provided are:

- **Keyword:** The Buyer can enter the keywords of order they are searching for.
- **Status:** This drop-down bar provides following options:
- → In-progress: The requests which are received and are under review process of a particular Seller, displays In-progress state.
- → Accepted & Confirmed: The requests offered which are accepted by a particular Seller.
- → **Quoted:** The offers which are Quoted by the Buyer for the first time.
- → **Buyer Counter Offer:** This status denotes the Counter Offer submitted by a Buyer on the already submitted Seller Quotation or Counter Offer.
- → **Seller Counter Offer:** This status denotes the Counter Offer submitted by a Seller on the already submitted RFQ request from Buyer.
- → Closed By Buyer: The Offers which are closed by Buyer can be viewed.
- → **Declined By Seller:** The Offers which are Declined by Sellers can be viewed.

- → Accepted By Buyer: The Offers which are Accepted by Buyer can be viewed.
- → **Re-Quoted:** The Offers which are Re-Quoted by the Buyer for the already Quoted Offer i.e. Original Quoted Offer.
- → **Declined by Admin:** The Offers which are Declined by the Admin can be viewed by selecting this status.
- **Date From:** The Buyer can enter the date such that the return requests received after the mentioned date must be shown.
- **Date To:** The Buyer can enter the date until which all the order return requests received must be shown.

**NB:** The 'Date From' and 'Date To' filters can also be used together to specify a time period.

To remove the filters and view the complete list, Buyers must click on the "Clear" button provided next to the "Search" button.

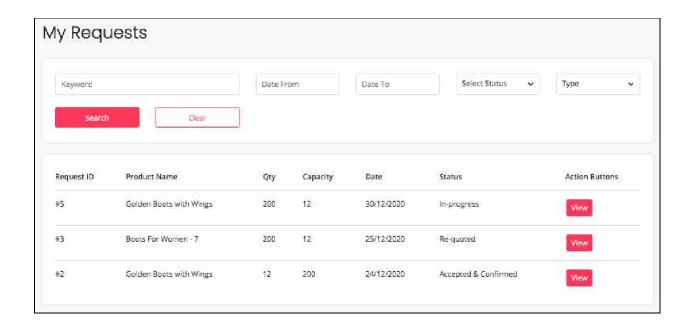
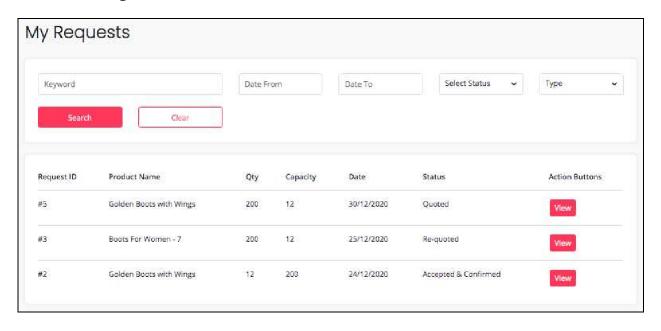


Fig.: RFQ Requests Page

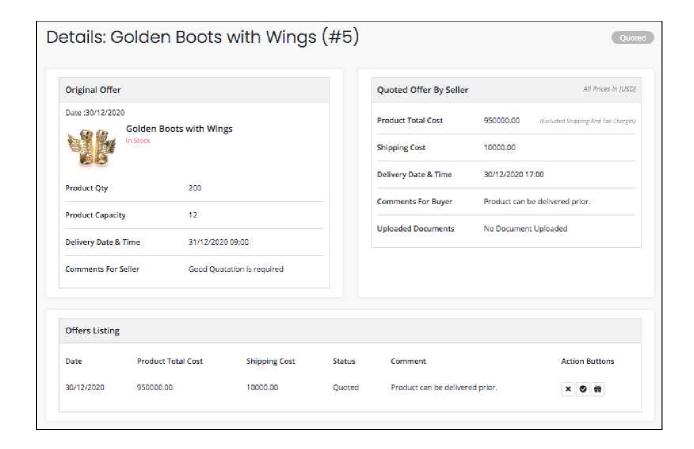
When a new RFQ request is submitted by a Buyer, its status is In-progress and waiting for a first Quotation from Seller. Once a first Quotation is submitted by Seller then status is changed to Quoted.

#### Refer below figure:



The Buyer must click on the View button provided to the right of each request.

This will navigate the Buyer to the 'View Detail' page.



A Buyer can view the first Quotation (i.e. Quoted Offer By Seller) submitted by Seller both under Quoted Offer and Offers listing sections. There are three buttons provided under Action Buttons of Offers listing screen which provide:

i. **Reject Offer:** A Buyer can Reject an Offer by clicking on the Reject Offer icon. Refer below figure, when a Buyer clicks on Reject Offer icon:



A buyer then gets an option to Re-Quote on the same Original Offer by clicking on the Re-Quote Offer icon. Refer below figure:



- ii. **Accept Offer:** A Buyer can Accept an Offer by clicking on the Accept Offer icon.
- iii. **Counter Offer:** A Buyer can Counter Offer on the first Quotation Submitted by Seller by clicking on the Counter Offer icon.

On clicking this Counter Offer icon, it displays a section for the Buyer to do a Counter Offer.

#### Refer Below Figure:

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Shipping Cost [USD]			
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Total Price : 10000.00	r Charges)		
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On Submission of a Counter Offer to Seller, the request is submitted to Seller.

And the Status of this request is changed from Quoted to Buyer Counter Offer.

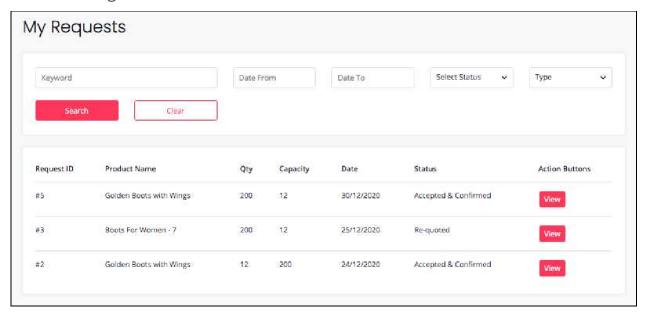
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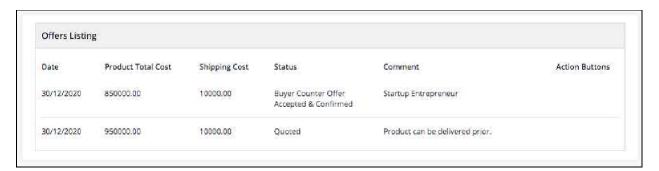


At this point, a Buyer can Reject the Counter Offer by clicking on Close Cross Icon.

When the Counter Offer is Accepted by a Seller then Buyer can view the status of the **Buyer Counter Offer** is changed to **Accepted & Conffirmed**.

#### Refer Below Figure:



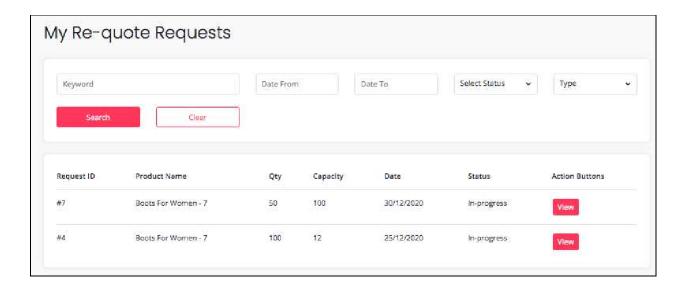


Finally, upon acceptance, the actions are to be taken care of by Seller.

# 6.5 My Re-Quote Requests

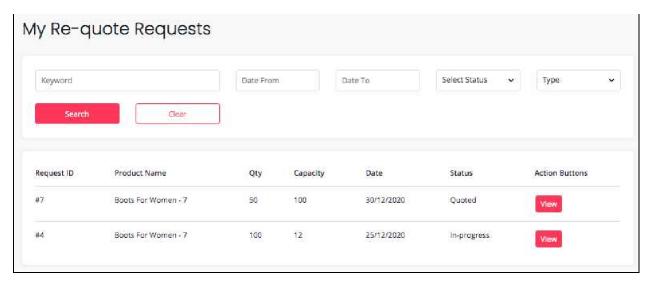
This screen lists out all the Re-Quoted Offer requests submitted by a Buyer for any product or Service, when a Buyer has Rejected the Original Counter Offer.

#### Refer below figure:



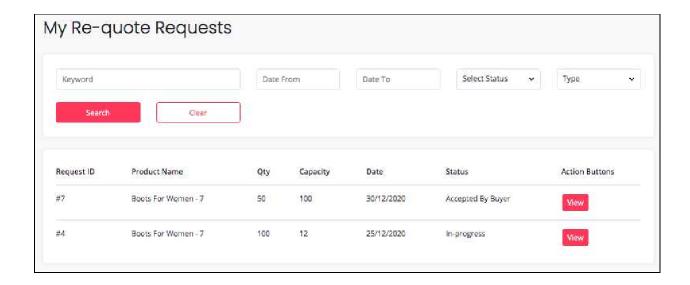
This status of Re-Quoted request is **In-Progress** by default. As a normal process of quotation, a request is re-submitted to the Seller for review. Upon providing a new Quotation from Seller, status of this Re-Quoted request is changed from **In-Progress to Quoted**.

#### Refer below figure:



Finally, on the view details page, after reviewing the revised quotation of a Seller, A buyer can Accept or Reject or Counter Offer. The process remains the same based on the action buttons. Once an Accept Offer icon is clicked the status is changed to **Accepted By Buyer**. Refer below figure:





#### 6.6 Return Requests

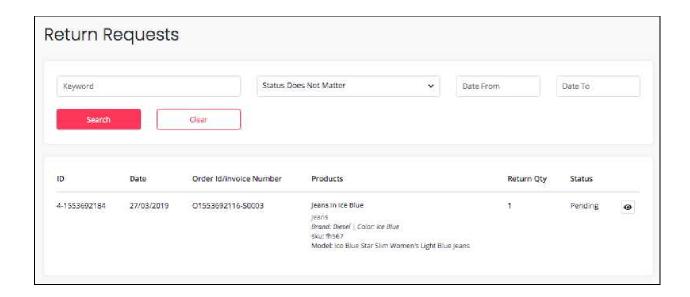
Order return requests are placed by the customers after they have received the order and want to return the product. Such requests can be approved by both Admin and Seller. As shown in the figure below, a search bar is provided on the top of this page using which the seller can apply filters and search particular orders. The filters provided are:

- **Keyword:** The seller can enter the keywords of order they are searching for.
- **Status:** This drop-down bar provides following options:
- → **Pending:** The orders for which the return requests are still pending.
- → **Escalated:** The orders for which the return requests are escalated to the admin.

- → **Refunded:** The orders for which return requests have been approved and the respective amount has been refunded.
- → **Withdrawn:** The orders for which the return requests are withdrawn by the customer themselves.
- → Canceled: The orders for which return requests have been canceled by the seller.
- **Date From:** The seller can enter the date such that the return requests received after the mentioned date must be shown.
- **Date To:** The seller can enter the date until which all the order return requests received must be shown.

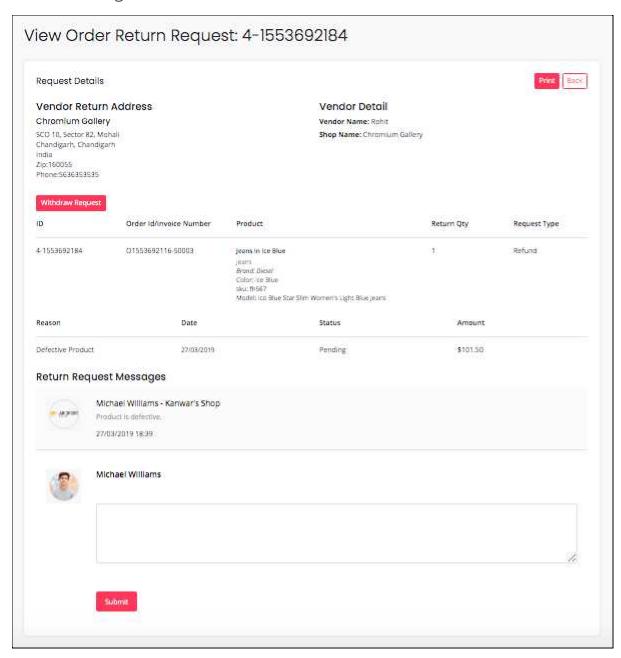
**NB:** The 'Date From' and 'Date To' filters can also be used together to specify a time period.

To remove the filters and view the complete list, sellers must click on the "Clear" button provided next to the "Search" button.



There is an option view, on click will redirect the Buyer to Detail page.

### Refer below figure:



A Buyer can Withdraw Request by clicking on the **Withdraw Request Button**.

Can take a print out in pdf format by clicking on **Print Button**.

Also, can **message a Seller** from Return Request Messages. **Back button** will redirect the Buyer to the Return Requests Listing screen.

### 7. Offers & Rewards

This module lists out Offers, Reward points along with Share & Earn on third party social platforms like Facebook and Google.

# 7.1 My Offers

This module lists out Offers available for the Buyer. Refer below figure:



When Admin links a coupon with a particular User and then it will get listed out in this section.

The Offer/Coupon code can be applied by the Buyer during checkout considering the terms and conditions of Coupon/Offer usage.

#### 7.2 Reward Points

This module lists out points earned by Buyer during the First purchase or most purchases. It also displays equivalent Currency amount as per point count.

## Refer below Figure:

Current Re	ward Points (40) - \$20.00		
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Points	Description	Date	Expiry Date
30	Rewards for most purchase	18/07/2019	-NA-
10	For first purchase	18/07/2019	-NA-

These reward points can be availed during Checkout stage when a Buyer is purchasing products etc. on the platform.

#### 7.3 Share & Earn

This module lists out referral URL/Link which can be shared by Buyer with Friends or on Facebook or Google.

Refer below figure:



**Direct Share & Earn via a Link:** A A Buyer can click on a button named: **Click To Copy.** This will generate a unique referral link/URL in a popup window.

**Share on Facebook:** A Buyer can click on this option and it will ask the Buyer to login via Facebook and then the URL of the platform is posted on the Facebook Wall.

**Share on Email:** A Buyer can click on this option and it will open a form for the Buyer to fill for inviting friends.

## Refer below figure:

Friends Email*		
(Use Commas Separated Emails) Personal Message		
ersonal message		

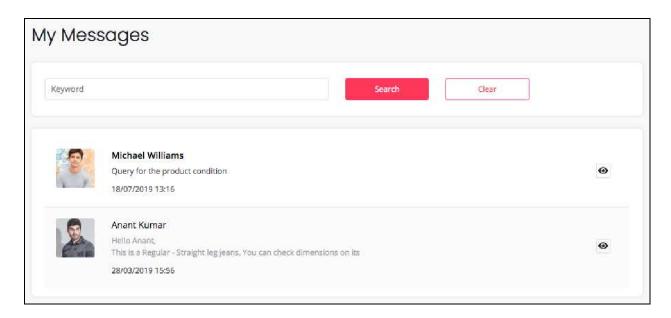
An invitation is sent to the Email IDs of the Friends whereby each Friend will accept the invitation to join the platform.

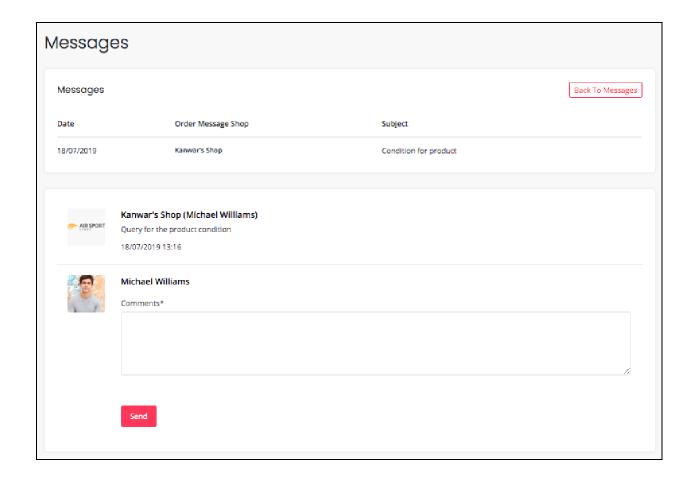
### 8. General

This module displays the lists of generic features available under Buyer Account.

# 8.1 Messages

The customers might have several queries regarding the products due to which they might try to contact their Sellers. Any messages being sent by the customers are shown to the Buyer under the 'My Messages' page shown in below figure. The message threads are created for every different customer. The Buyer can read as well reply to these messages. To search for messages, the Buyer can type the keywords in the search bar provided at the top of this page.

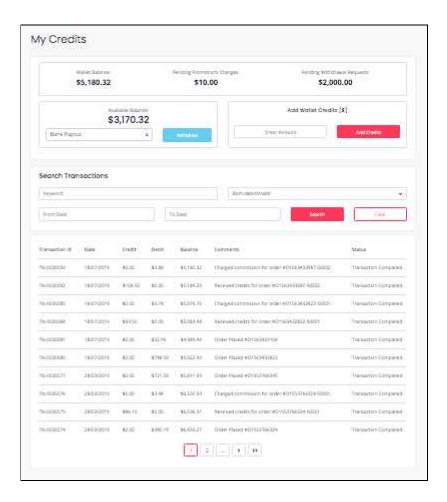




**Back To Messages:** This button will redirect the Buyer to the message listing page.

# 8.2 My Credits

The Buyer can see the complete details of their previous transactions in the 'My Credits' module. Additionally, this page also displays the total Credit, Debit and Balance available in the Buyer's virtual wallet. The complete transaction history of the Buyer is displayed in the 'Transaction History' list provided below 'Search Transactions' section.



The top sections of this page display:

- a. **Wallet Balance:** The total balance available in the Buyer's virtual wallet is displayed under this section. This is a sum total of all the pending credits and debits.
- b. **ending Promotions Charges:** A Buyer is charged for running any promotions as an Advertiser. So, the amount yet to be paid by the Buyer for promotions is displayed under this section.
- c. Pending Withdrawal Requests: A Buyer can send a withdrawal request to

their Admin on approval of which the Buyer will receive the money in their bank/PayPal accounts. The amount yet to be received by the Buyer from previously sent withdrawal requests to the admin is displayed under this section.

d. **Available Balance:** This section displays the balance actually available in the Buyer's account. This amount excludes any pending credits and debits.

The Buyer can make a withdrawal request to the admin. A drop-down bar is provided in this section which includes two options:

• **Bank Payout:** By selecting this option the Buyer can send a withdrawal request to their admin to transfer money from e-wallet to their bank account. By clicking the "**Request Withdrawal**" button the 'Request Withdrawal' form will open as shown in below figure.

Request Withdrawal	
Amount To Be Withdrawn [\$]*	Bank Name*
Current Wallet Balance \$3,170.32	
Account Holder Name*	Account Number*
IFSC/Swift Code*	
Bank Address	Other Info Instructions
Request Cancel	

The Buyer will then have to fill in their own bank details if they have not previously added bank details under the "My Account" section. Buyer needs to share bank account details with the admin as approved withdrawal requests/funds are transferred outside of the system through the Admin's bank. After adding the necessary details, the Buyer must click on the 'Request' button to place the request. The withdrawal request will be forwarded to admin and the amount requested for withdrawal will be displayed in 'Pending Withdrawal Requests' section.

e. **Add Wallet Credits:** Buyer can also add virtual credits to their virtual bank account by entering the amount and clicking the **'Add Credits'** button. This will navigate the Buyer to the **'Billing and Payment'** pages. The Buyer needs to select the payment gateway as per their choice and complete their transaction.

**NB:** Virtual credits are the same value of actual money and vice versa.

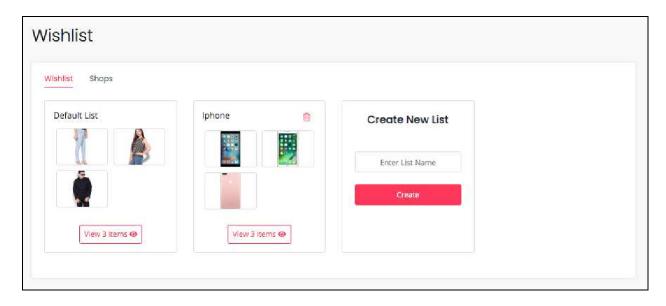
- f. **Search Transactions:** Buyer can also search for any transaction by using following search filters:
- **Keyword:** Enter keywords for particular transactions.
- **Both-Debit/Credit:** Select if the transactions to be searched as 'Credit', 'Debit' or 'Both'.
- **From Date:** Select a date to search for transactions made after the mentioned date.
- **To Date:** Select a date to search for transactions made until the mentioned date.

**NB:** The 'Date From' and 'Date To' filters can also be used together to specify a time period.

g. **Transactions History List:** All kinds of transactions made over the time period will be displayed in this list. The list will display any kinds of credits or debits made on a certain date along with the total balance. The 'Status' column displays '**Transaction Completed**' if the transaction made was successful. Any additional comments relevant to any transaction are displayed under the '**Comments**' column.

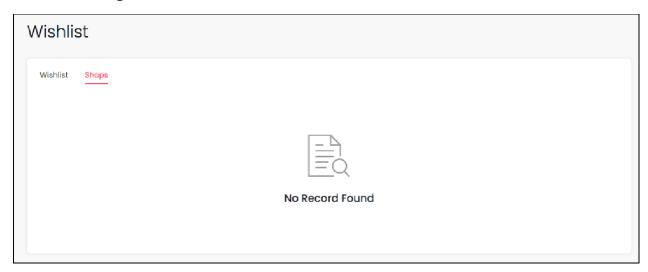
#### 8.3 Wishlist

This module lists out a Wish list created by a Buyer to manage product items. Refer below figure:



**Shops:** This tab lists out a wish list of favorite Shops books marked by a Buyer.

## Refer below figure:



### 8.4 Saved Searches

This module saves the searches performed by a buyer at the front end during browsing of the platform. Refer below figure:



**View Results**: This button will open search results as per keyword. For Example:

**Archies** 

**Delete option:** This will remove the Saved Search record.

## 9. Profile

The Buyer can manage their account/profile details through this module. The Buyer can also save their bank account details in this module.

# 9.1 My Account

It includes three different tabs. In the first tab which is 'My Account' the Buyer can add or edit their basic details. The Buyer cannot make all the changes repeatedly. Fields such as Username, Email ID, phone number and date of birth cannot be changed once entered. As shown in figure 13.1.1, the Buyer can add and modify following fields:

- **Profile Photo:** The Buyer can upload/change their profile picture by clicking on the 'Upload' button provided below the user icon.
- **Full Name\*:** The Buyer can enter/modify their full name.
- **Country\*:** The Buyer must enter the city in which they are located.
- **State\*:** The Buyer must enter the state in which they are located
- **City:** The Buyer can mention the name of the city in which they are located.
- **Organization:** The Buyer can mention the name of their organization.
- **Brief Profile:** The Buyer can mention brief comments regarding their profile.
- What Kind Products Services Advertise: The Buyer can enter brief comments related to the kinds of product services they provide to their customers.

The Buyer must then click on the "Save Changes" button provided below to save the made changes.

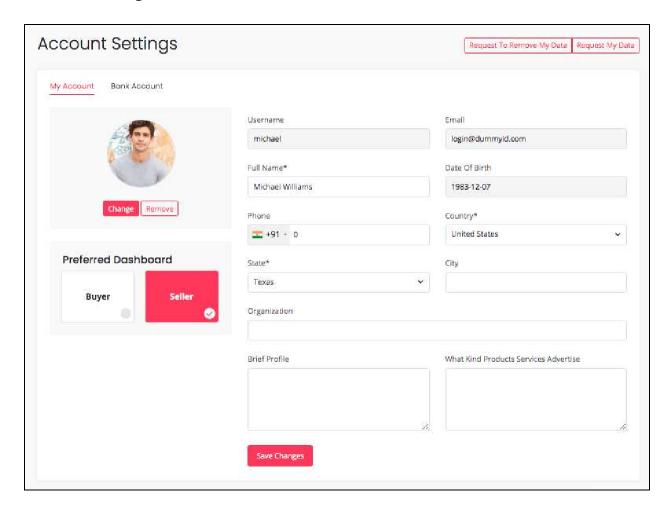


Fig.: My Account tab

If any Buyer has been registered as both 'Buyer' and 'Seller' they can manage which account dashboard is to be preferably displayed when logging into their accounts, from the 'Preferred Dashboard' section.

As per the guidelines of **GDPR** (**General Data Protection Regulation**), every user has the right to protect their data by collecting, storing, altering, erasing or restricting it. Following these guidelines, two buttons are provided for this Buyer on the top-right corner of **'My Accounts'** page. They are:

• Request to Remove My Data: The Buyer can raise a request to the admin to remove their personal data. When the Buyer clicks on this button, a 'Truncate Request' pop-message will appear as shown in the below Figure. The Buyer can click on 'Yes' to proceed and 'Cancel to go back.

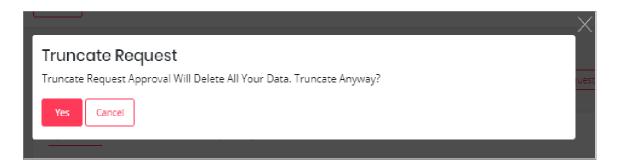


Fig.: Truncate Request

• Request My Data: The Buyer can raise a request to the admin to share their account information. When the Buyer clicks on this button, a pop-up 'Request Data' form will appear. The Buyer must enter the reason for making such a request under the 'Purpose of Request Data' text-box. To understand the policies of GDPR, the Buyer can click on the hyperlink provided with the message 'Click Here to Read the Policies of GDPR'. The Buyer must click on the 'Send Request' button to submit the request.

The second tab is the 'Bank Account' details tab. In this tab, the Buyer can enter

all their bank account details as shown in the below figure. These bank account details will be accessed by the Admin in order to make any transactions to their Buyers when they place 'Withdrawal Requests'.

## The Buyer must enter:

- **Bank Name\*:** The name of the bank in which the Buyer has their account must be mentioned.
- **Account Holder Name\*:** The full name of the account holder must be mentioned in this field.
- **Account Number\*:** The Buyer must enter their bank account number.
- **IFSC Swift Code\*:** The Buyer must enter the unique IFSC swift code of their bank.
- **Bank Address:** The Buyer can mention the complete address of the branch of the bank.

The Buyer must then click on "Save Changes" to save all the details.

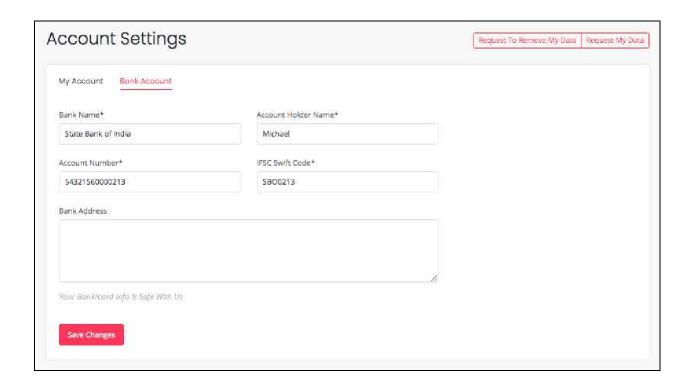
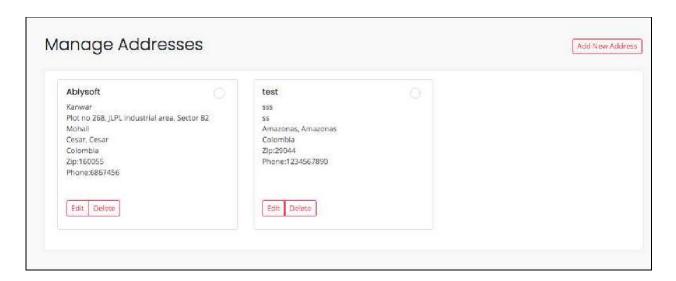


Fig.: Bank Account tab

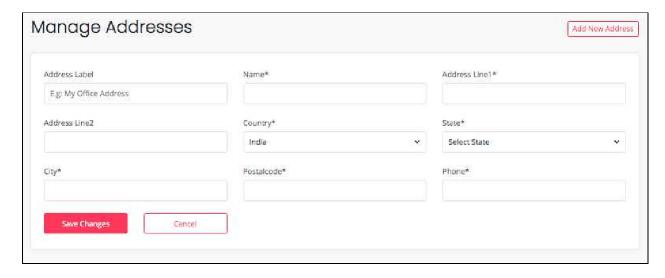
# 9.2 Manage Addresses

The Buyer enters their multiple Address locations.

Refer below Figure:



**Add New Address:** On click will open below the screen where a Buyer can add address details.



**Edit and Delete Options** are available for the Buyer to Edit or Delete existing Address locations.

## 9.3 Update Credentials

The Buyer enters their credentials when creating their shop at the beginning. From this module, the Buyer can change their credentials. This module includes three sections:

- i. **Update Email:** The Buyer can update their new email address. Buyer must enter:
- **New Email\*:** Their new email address.
- Confirm New Email\*: Their new email address to confirm it.
- **Current Password\*:** The current password for verification.

**NB:** Once the Buyer enters a new email id they will receive a **'Verification Link'** on it. The new email address will only be updated if the Buyer verifies their email address by clicking on that link.

The Buyer must click on the 'Save' button to save the changes.

- ii. **Update Password:** The Buyer can update their password by entering:
- **Current Password\*:** The Buyer must enter their currently active password.
- **New Password\*:** The Buyer must enter their new password.
- **Confirm New Password\*:** The Buyer must re-enter their new password.

The Buyer must click on the 'Save' button to save the changes.

- iii. **Update Phone Number:** The Buyer can update their phone number by entering:
- **New Phone Number\*:** The Buyer must enter their new phone number.

**NB:** If this section is not being displayed, it means that it has been restricted from admin-end.

The Buyer must click on the '**Get OTP**' button to proceed further. The OTP will be forwarded to the Buyer on their previously registered contact number. After entering the OTP the phone number will be updated successfully.

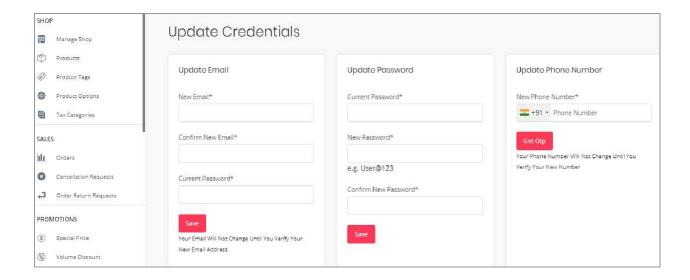


Fig. 13.5.1: Update Credentials Page

# **10.** Language & Currency

From this section, the Buyer can change the language and currency. When the Buyer clicks on 'Language', the options of languages appear in the list. Buyers can select the language of their choice clicking on which will translate the complete portal's content into the respective language. When the Buyer clicks on 'Currency', the options of currencies available appear in the list. Buyers can select the currency of their choice and the prices mentioned in the complete portal will be displayed according to that respective currency.

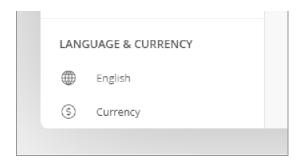


Fig.: Language & Currency

**NB:** These sections are only visible to the Buyer if they are enabled from Admin's end. This means that, admin has the authority to restrict the Buyer from making changes in language and currency used in their portal.