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EQUITAS Holdings on Tuesday started operating as a small finance bank (SFB) with three branches in Chennai, reports **fe Bureau in Mumbai**. Equitas was granted an in-principle approval by the Reserve Bank of India to start operations as an SFB in September 2015.