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### Pashupati Polytex Private Limited

April 18, 2025

Rat	ings				
Instrument / Facility	Amount (Rs. crore)	Current Ratings	Previous Ratings	Rating Action	Complexity Indicator
Long Term Bank Facilities	118.15	IVR BBB-/ Negative ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (IVR triple B minus with Negative Outlook Issuer Not Cooperating)	IVR BBB/ Stable (IVR triple B with Stable outlook)	Rating downgraded and moved to Issuer Not Cooperating category; outlook revised from Stable to Negative	<u>Simple</u>
Short Term Bank Facilities	36.44 (including proposed limit of Rs. 7.09 crore)	IVR A3 ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (IVR A three Issuer Not Cooperating)	IVR A3+ (IVR A three plus)	Rating reaffirmed and moved to Issuer Not Cooperating category	<u>Simple</u>
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\*Issuer did not cooperate; based on best available information

Details of Facilities/Instruments are in Annexure 1. Facility wise lender details are at Annexure 2. Detailed explanation of covenants is at Annexure 3.

#### **Detailed Rationale**

The ratings assigned to the bank facilities of Pashupati Polytex Private Limited (PPPL) considers the common management team and operational & financial linkages between PEPL and its group entities, Pashupati Laminators Private Limited (PLPL), Pashupati Excrusion Private Limited (PEPL) and Shree Ram Polymers. Infomerics has taken a combined view of these entities referred together as Pashupati Group.

Infomerics has downgraded and moved the ratings assigned to the bank facilities of Pashupati Polytex Private Limited (PPPL) in the ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category because of lack of adequate information for rating review from the company and hence the uncertainty around its credit risk. Infomerics assesses whether the information available about the entity is commensurate with its rating and reviews the same as per its policy. The long-term rating outlook has been changed from Stable to Negative due to information availability risk. The



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lenders, investors and other market participants are thus advised to exercise appropriate caution while using these ratings as the ratings may not adequately reflect the credit risk profile of the entity.

#### Non-cooperation by Issuer

Infomerics has been regularly following up with the company to provide the required data & NDS to monitor its assigned rating to the bank facilities, vide mail communications dated December 31, 2024, January 3, 2025, January 31, 2025, February 1, 2025, March 1, 2025, March 3, 2025, March 31, 2025, April 1, 2025, April 2, 2025, April 8, 2025, April 9, 2025 and concurrently over several phone calls. However, despite repeated requests by Infomerics, the company's management has not submitted surveillance fees, and all the essential details required for detailed review of the assigned ratings.

Availability of information is very critical in rating exercise. In the absence of the requisite information, in consonance with SEBI guidelines, Infomerics has to assign the ratings based on the best available information. Accordingly, the ratings assigned to the bank loan facilities aggregating to Rs. 154.59 crore of PPPL shall be moved to the 'ISSUER NOT COOPERATING' category by Infomerics and the long-term rating be noted as 'IVR BBB-/ Negative ISSUER NOT COOPERATING' based on best available information (IVR Triple B minus with Negative Outlook Issuer not cooperating based on best available information) and short-term rating be noted as 'IVR A3 ISSUER NOT COOPERATING' based on best available information).

#### Analytical Approach: Combined

For arriving at the ratings, Infomerics has combined the financial risk profiles of Pashupati Laminators Private Limited (PLPL), Pashupati Polytex Private Limited (PPPL), Pashupati Excrusion Private Limited (PEPL) and Shree Ram Polymers together referred as Pashupati Group. This is because these companies, collectively referred to as the Pashupati Group, are under control of same promoters, have business and financial linkages. The list of Companies is given in Annexure 4.

#### **Applicable Criteria:**

Rating Methodology for Manufacturing Companies Financial Ratios & Interpretation (Non-Financial Sector)

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Guidelines on what constitutes Non-Cooperation by clients

Policy on Default Recognition

Complexity Level of Rated Instruments/Facilities

Criteria of Rating Outlook

Consolidation of companies

#### About the Company

Incorporated in the year 2009 with an installed capacity of 43200 TPA as on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2023, PPPL is engaged in manufacturing of recycled polyester fibre (rPSF) and rPET flakes from PET chips and waste plastic bottles.

#### Financials (Standalone):

(Rs. crore)

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For the year ended/ As on*	31-03-2022	31-03-2023
	Audited	Audited
Total Operating Income	256.09	302.68
EBITDA	26.07	30.64
PAT	6.65	11.29
Total Debt	67.75	105.43
Adjusted Tangible Net Worth	67.74	66.07
EBITDA Margin (%)	10.18	10.12
PAT Margin (%)	2.59	3.72
Overall Adjusted Gearing Ratio (x)	1.00	1.60
Interest Coverage (x)	4.20	4.98

\* Classification as per Infomerics' standards.

#### Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Nil

#### Any other information: Nil

#### Rating History for last three years:

		Currer	nt Rating (Year	2025-26)	Rating History for the past 3 years				
Sr.	Name of Instrument/		Amount		Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned	Date(s) assigned i	& Rating(s) n 2022-23	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in	
No.	Facilities	Туре	outstanding (Rs. Crore)	Rating	in 2023-24 March 11, 2024	February 13, 2023	September 28, 2022	2021-22 August 02, 2021	
1.	Term Loans	Long Term	57.57	IVR BBB-/ Negative ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	IVR BBB/ Stable	IVR BBB/ Stable	IVR BB+ ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	IVR BBB/ Stable	

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		Curre	nt Rating (Year	<sup>·</sup> 2025-26)	Rating History for the past 3 years				
Sr.	Name of	Amount			Date(s) & Rating(s)	Date(s) assigned i	Date(s) & Rating(s)		
No.	Instrument/ Facilities	Instrument/ Type outstanding Pati	Rating	assigned in 2023-24 March 11, 2024	February 13, 2023	September 28, 2022	assigned in 2021-22 August 02, 2021		
2.	GECL Loans	Long Term	10.58	IVR BBB-/ Negative ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	IVR BBB/ Stable	IVR BBB/ Stable	-	-	
3.	Cash Credit	Long Term	50.00	IVR BBB-/ Negative		IVR BBB/ Stable	IVR BB+ ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	IVR BBB/ Stable	
4.	EPC/PCFC	-	-	-	-	IVR A3+	IVR A4+ ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	IVR A3+	
5.	Letter of Credit	Short Term	25.00	IVR A3 ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	IVR A3+	IVR A3+	IVR A4+ ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	IVR A3+	
6.	Bank Guarantee	Short Term	3.50	IVR A3 ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	IVR A3+	IVR A3+	IVR A4+ ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	IVR A3+	
7.	Derivatives	Short Term	0.85	IVR A3 ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	IVR A3+	IVR A3+	IVR A4+ ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	IVR A3+	
8.	Proposed Letter of Credit	Short Term	7.09	IVR A3 ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	IVR A3+	-	-	-	

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Name of Facility		•	Maturity	Size of Facility	Rating Assigned/ Outlook	
Nume of Facility	Issuance	Rate/ IRR	Date	(Rs. Crore)	Rating Assigned, Outlook	
Term Loan-1	-	-	FY 2025	1.86	IVR BBB-/ Negative ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	
Term Loan-2	-	-	FY 2025	4.60	IVR BBB-/ Negative ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	
Term Loan-3	-	-	FY 2026	4.41	IVR BBB-/ Negative ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	
Term Loan-4	-	-	FY 2031	21.70	IVR BBB-/ Negative ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	
GECL – 1	-	-	FY 2026	5.40	IVR BBB-/ Negative ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	
GECL – 2	-	-	FY 2029	5.18	IVR BBB-/ Negative ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	
Term Loan-5	-	-	FY 2031	25.00	IVR BBB-/ Negative ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	

#### Annexure 1: Facility Details



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Cash Credit-1	-	-	-	24.50	IVR BBB-/ Negative ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Cash Credit-2	-	-	-	25.50	IVR BBB-/ Negative ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Bank Guarantee- 1	-	-	-	2.50	IVR A3 ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Letter of Credit-1	-	-	-	5.00**	IVR A3 ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Derivative	-	-	-	0.85	IVR A3 ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Bank Guarantee- 2	-	-	-	1.00	IVR A3 ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Letter of Credit-2	-	-	-	20.00	IVR A3 ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Proposed Letter of Credit	-	-	-	7.09	IVR A3 ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

\*Issuer did not cooperate; based on best available information \*\*75% interchangeability from NFBWC – FLC/ILC to FBWC limits

#### Annexure 2: Facility wise lender details: Not Applicable

Annexure 3: Detailed explanation of covenants of the rated Security/facilities: Not Applicable

#### Annexure 4: List of companies considered for consolidated/Combined analysis:

Name of the Company	Combining Approach		
Pashupati Excrusion Private Limited	Full Combined		
Pashupati Laminators Private Limited	Full Combined		
Pashupati Polytex Private Limited	Full Combined		
Shree Ram Polymers	Full Combined		

Note on complexity levels of the rated instrument: Infomerics has classified instruments

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