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### Atlas Pet Plas Industries Limited

July 18, 2024

Ratings						
Amoun Facilities (Rs. crore)		Current Ratings	Previous Ratings	Rating Action	Complexit y Indicator	
Long Term Bank Facilities	8.50	IVR C+/Negative/INC* (IVR Single C Plus with Negative Outlook/ ISSUER NOT COOPERATING)	IVR B-/Negative/ INC* (IVR Single B Minus/Negative/ ISSUER NOT COOPERATING)	Downgraded and continued under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING Category	<u>Simple</u>	
Long Term Bank Facilities – Proposed	ities – 4.00 with Negative Outlook/		IVR B-/Negative/ INC* (IVR Single B Minus/Negative/ ISSUER NOT COOPERATING)	Downgraded and continued under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING Category	<u>Simple</u>	
Total	12.50	Rupees Twelve Crore and Fifty Lakhs Only				

\* ISSUER NOT COOPERATING; Based on best available information

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

#### Ratings

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The rating has been downgraded and continued under 'ISSUER NOT COOPERATING' category due to non-submission of information and lack of management co-operation.

#### **Detailed Rationale**

The rating revision is because of lack of adequate information regarding Atlas Pet Plas Industries Limited (APPIL) performance and hence the uncertainty around its credit risk. Infomerics Valuation and Rating Private Limited (IVR) assesses whether the information available about the entity is commensurate with its rating and reviews the same as per its policy.

The rating was due for review in June 2024. IVR took up with issuer to provide required information vide multiple E-mail communications latest by July 16, 2024, and through various telephonic calls. Despite the best efforts of IVR to get the minimum required information for a

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review, the entity has not provided the same. In the absence of adequate information from the entity, IVR is unable to assess the entity's financial performance and its ability to service its debt and maintain a valid rating. Hence, on account of inadequate information, IVR is unable to assess the entity's financial performance and its ability to service its debt and maintain a valid rating. Accordingly, the lenders, investors and other users of this rating are requested to exercise adequate caution while using this rating as this rating may not adequately reflect the current credit risk profile of the company.

#### Non-cooperation by Issuer

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 rating based on the best available information. Accordingly, the long-term rating for the bank loan facilities aggregating to Rs. 12.50 Crore of APPIL have been downgraded and continued under 'ISSUER NOT COOPERATING' category by Infomerics and the rating for the long term be noted as IVR C+/Negative; ISSUER NOT CO-OPERATING based on best available information.

**Analytical Approach:** For arriving at the ratings, IVR has analysed APPIL's credit profile by considering the standalone financial statements of the company.

#### Applicable Criteria:

Rating Methodology for Manufacturing Entities Financial Ratios & Interpretation (Non-Financial Sector) Guidelines on what constitute Non-Cooperation by clients Criteria of assigning rating outlook Policy on default recognition Complexity level of rated instruments/facilities

#### About the Company

Atlas Pet Plas Industries Limited (APPIL) was started by Atlas Cycles Haryana Ltd in 1994. Initially, the company was engaged in manufacturing of plastic bottles. Subsequently in 2009, the promoters leveraged their experience in the steel industry and set up a unit for manufacturing of CDW tubes. In 2010, the business operations were taken over by Mr. Gurmeet Singh, Mr. Gursimran Singh, and Mr. Tejbir Singh and the company underwent major transformation and restructuring. APPIL manufactures CDW (Cold Drawn Welded) steel tubes for use in automotive, boiler & heat exchangers, shock absorbers, air heaters, cylinder bore, etc and has its manufacturing unit at Bawal, District Rewari (Haryana) with an installed capacity of 750 tonnes per month.

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#### Financials (Standalone):

		(Rs. crore)
For the year ended*/As on	31-03-2017	31-03-2018
	Audited	Audited
Total Operating Income	29.33	31.20
EBIDTA	0.83	0.70
PAT	0.97	0.91
Total Debt	12.72	12.89
Adjusted Tangible Net worth	8.03	8.93
EBIDTA Margin (%)	12.45	10.24
PAT Margin (%)	3.31	2.90
Overall Gearing Ratio (x)	1.58	1.44
Interest Coverage Ratio (x)	1.88	1.81

\*Classification as per Infomerics' standards

#### Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: None

#### Any other information: Nil

#### Rating History for last three years:

Sr. No	Name of Instrume	Current Ratings (Year 2024-25)		Rating History for the past 3 years			
	nt/ Facilities	Туре	Amount outstanding (Rs. Crore)	Rating	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2023- 24 (June 07, 2023)	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2022- 23 (April 13, 2022)	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2021- 22 (Feb 02, 2021)
1.	Fund Based	Long Term	8.50	IVR C+/ Negative/ INC	IVR B- /INC	IVR B/INC	IVR B+/INC
2.	Fund Based – Proposed	Long Term	4.00	IVR C+/ Negative/ INC	IVR B- /INC	IVR B/INC	IVR B+/INC

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#### About Infomerics:

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Adhering to best international practices and maintaining high degree of ethics, the team of analysts at Infomerics deliver quality credit ratings. Infomerics evaluates wide range of debt instruments which helps corporates access to financial markets and provides investors credit ratings backed by in-depth research. The transparent, robust, and credible ratings have gained the confidence of investors and the banks.

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#### **Annexure 1: Details of Facilities**

Name of Facility	Date of	Coupon	Maturity	Size of	Rating Assigned/
	Issuance	Rate/	Date	Facility	Outlook
		IRR		(Rs. Crore)	
Cash Credit	-	-	-	8.50	IVR C+/Negative/
					INC
Proposed – Cash Credit	-	-	-	4.00	IVR C+/Negative/
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Annexure 2: Facility wise lender details. https://www.infomerics.com/admin/prfiles/len-AtlasPetPlas-july24.pdf

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

Annexure 4: List of companies considered for consolidated/combined analysis: Not Applicable.

**Note on complexity levels of the rated instrument:** Infomerics has classified instruments rated by it on the basis of complexity and a note thereon is available at <u>http://www.infomerics.com</u>.