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K&R Rail Engineering Limited

May 31, 2022

Ratings:

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (Rs. crore)	Current Ratings*	Rating Action	Complexity Indicator (Simple/High /Complex)
Long Term Fund Based Facility	1.00	IVR BB+ ISSUER NOT COOPERATING (IVR Double B Plus ISSUER NOT COOPERATING)	Revised and moved to ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	Simple
Short Term Facility	40.50	IVR A4+ ISSUER NOT COOPERATING (IVR A Four plus ISSUER NOT COOPERATING)	Revised and moved to ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	Simple
Total	41.50			

**Issuer not cooperating, based on best available information*

Details of Facilities are in Annexure 1

Detailed Rationale

The aforesaid rating revision to the bank facilities of K&R Rail Engineering Limited reflects lack of adequate information available about the performance of the company and 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 lenders, investors and other market participants are thus advised to exercise appropriate caution while using this rating as the rating may not adequately reflect the credit risk profile of the entity, despite the rating revision.

Note on non-cooperation

Infomerics has repeatedly followed up with the company to provide information to monitor the rating(s) vide multiple e-mails and telephonic follow-ups dated 28/02/2022, 15/03/2022,



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29/04/2022 and 10/05/2022. However, has not submitted all the essential information and documents.

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.

In the absence of the relevant information, in consonance with SEBI guidelines, Infomerics has moved the long term and short-term rating for the bank loan facilities of K&R Rail Engineering Limited, aggregating to INR 41.50 crore to the 'ISSUER NOT COOPERATING' category. The rating is now denoted as IVR BB+ ISSUER NOT COOPERATING (IVR Double B Plus ISSUER NOT COOPERATING) and IVR A4+ ISSUER NOT COOPERATING (A Four Plus ISSUER NOT COOPERATING). Accordingly, the lenders, investors and other market participants are advised to exercise appropriate caution while using this rating as the rating may not adequately reflect the credit risk profile of the company; Based on best available information”

Analytical Approach: Standalone

Applicable Criteria:

[Rating Methodology for Infrastructure Companies](#)

[Financial Ratios & Interpretation \(Non-Financial Sector\)](#)

[Guidelines on what constitutes Non-Cooperation by Clients](#)

About the Company

Established in 1983 as Gupta Carpets International Limited, M/s K&R Rail Engineering Limited (Formerly Axis Rail India Limited) is one of the leading Professional Turnkey EPC Contractor executing railway siding projects all across India. K&R Rail Engineering Limited is a listed company having its registered office at Secunderabad, Telangana. The company is being promoted and managed by professionals with vast experience in disciplines of rail engineering, transportation, planning & project management and execution of complex railway siding projects. The operations of the company are looked after by Mr. Amit Bansal (Director & CEO) having an experience of around three decades in the sector



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Financials (Standalone):

(In Crore)

For the year ended / As on	31-03-19	31-03-20
	Audited	Audited
Total Operating Income	120.51	60.49
EBITDA	21.32	15.02
PAT	4.07	5.89
Total Debt	59.44	48.65
Tangible Net worth	61.26	65.68
Ratios		
a. EBIDTA Margin (in %)	17.69	24.83
b. PAT Margin (in %)	3.37	9.53
c. Overall Gearing ratio (x)	0.97	0.74

*Classification as per Infomerics' standards.

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: INC from CRISIL as per PR dated April 30, 2022 due to unavailability of information.

Any other information: Nil

Rating History for last three years:

Sl. No.	Name of Instrument/Facilities	Type	Current Rating (Year 2022-23)		Rating History for the past 3 years		
			Amount outstanding (INR crore)	Assigned Rating	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 20-21 (April 01, 2021)	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 19-20 (January 03, 2020)	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 18-19
1.	Long Term Facilities	Long Term	1.00	IVR BB+ ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	IVR BBB-/Stable	-	-
2.	Short Term Bank Facilities	Short Term	40.50	IVR A4+ ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	IVR A3	IVR A3	-

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About Infomerics:

Infomerics was founded in the year 1986 by a team of highly experienced and knowledgeable finance professionals. Subsequently, after obtaining Securities Exchange Board of India registration and RBI accreditation and the activities of the company are extended to External Credit Assessment Institution (ECAI).

Adhering to best International Practices and maintaining high degree of ethics, the team of knowledgeable analytical professionals deliver credible evaluation of rating.

Infomerics evaluates wide range of debt instruments which helps corporates open horizons to raise capital and provides investors enlightened investment opportunities. The transparent, robust and credible rating has gained the confidence of Investors and Banks.

Infomerics has a pan India presence with Head Office in Delhi, branches in major cities and representatives in several locations.

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Annexure 1: Details of Facilities: NA

Annexure 2: List of companies considered for consolidated analysis: Not Applicable.

Annexure 3: Facility wise lender details: NA

Annexure 4: Detailed explanation of covenants of the rated instrument/facilities: Not Applicable



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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 www.infomerics.com