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### Nahars Engineering India Private Limited October 17, 2023

#### Ratings

Instrument / Facility	Amount (Rs. crore)	Ratings	Rating Action	<a href="#">Complexity Indicator</a>
Long Term Fund Based Bank Facilities – Term Loan	77.83	IVR BBB-/ Negative (ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*) (IVR Triple B Minus with Negative Outlook; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*)	Revised and moved to ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category	Simple
Long Term Fund Based Bank Facilities – Cash Credit	50.00	IVR BBB-/ Negative (ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*) (IVR Triple B Minus with Negative Outlook; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*)	Revised and moved to ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category	Simple
Short term Non Fund Based Bank Facilities – Bank Guarantee	64.50	IVR A3 (ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*) (IVR A Three; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*)	Revised and moved to ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category	Simple
<b>Total</b>	<b>192.33</b>			

\* Issuer did not cooperate; Based on best available information

#### Details of Facilities are in Annexure 1

#### Detailed Rationale

The revision in the ratings assigned to the bank facilities of Nahars Engineering India Private Limited reflects lack of adequate information available, 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 lender, investors and other market participants are thus advised to exercise appropriate caution while using this rating as this rating may not adequately reflect the credit risk profile of the entity.



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### **Non-cooperation by Issuer**

Infomerics has been regularly following up with the company to provide the required data, results to monitor its assigned rating to the bank facilities, vide E-mail communications dated August 08, 2023, September 14, 2023 September 15, 2023 and September 25, 2023 concurrently over several phone calls. However, despite repeated requests by Infomerics, the company's management has not submitted the essential details required for monitoring the 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 rating based on the best available information. Accordingly, the long term ratings of the bank facilities aggregating Rs.192.33 crore of Nahars Engineering India Private Limited moved under the 'ISSUER NOT COOPERATING' category by Infomerics and the rating be noted as IVR BBB-/ Negative; Issuer Not Co-operating\* and IVR A3; Issuer Not Co-operating\*; Based on no available information.

**Analytical Approach:** Standalone

### **Applicable Criteria:**

[Guidelines on what Constitute Non-Cooperation by Client](#)

[Criteria of assigning Rating Outlook](#)

[Criteria on consolidation of companies](#)

[Rating Methodology for Manufacturing Entities](#)

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

### **About the Group:**

The Laxmi group consists of 4 companies namely Laxmi Metal Pressing Works Pvt. Ltd, Nahars Engineering India Pvt. Ltd, Laxmi Rickshaw Body Pvt. Ltd and Luminaz Safety Glass Pvt. Ltd. M/s Laxmi Metal Pressing Works Pvt. Ltd. was incorporated on January 02, 1996 by Mr. Subhash & M. Nahar. For the past 4 decades, it has been in manufacturing of Stampings, Tubular and Sheet Metal Assemblies, BIW Parts and Mufflers (Silencers) in India being supplied to leading Indian Automotive Manufacturers (OEMs). The group has also



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diversified into manufacturing of Laminated and Toughened automotive glasses for passenger and commercial vehicles.

### About the Company:

Nahars Engineering Pvt Ltd is in Windshield Assembly line, and 22 Robots for manufacturing 3WH body and 3WH windshield Frame.

### Financials (Standalone)\*:

(Rs. Crore)

For the year ended / As on	31-Mar-2021 (Audited)	31-Mar-2022 (Audited)
Total Operating Income	448.66	690.26
EBITDA	36.34	45.61
PAT	-2.20	10.57
Total Debt	177.52	165.12
Tangible Net worth	45.89	60.73
EBITDA Margin (%)	8.10	6.61
PAT Margin (%)	-0.49	1.52
Overall Gearing Ratio (times)	3.90	2.72

\*Classification as per Infomerics standards

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Nil

Any other information: None

### Rating History for last three years:

Sr. No.	Name of Instrument / Facilities	Current Ratings (Year 2023-24)			Rating History for the past 3 years		
		Type	Amount outstanding (Rs. Crore)	Rating	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2022-23	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2021-22	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2020-21
	PR Date				August 08, 2022	–	–
1.	Long Term Fund Based Bank Facilities – Term Loan	Long Term	77.83	IVR BBB-/ Negative; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	IVR BBB /Stable Outlook (IVR Triple B with Stable Outlook)	–	–
2.	Long Term Fund Based Bank Facilities – Cash	Long Term	50.00	IVR BBB-/ Negative; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	IVR BBB /Stable Outlook (IVR Triple B with Stable Outlook)	–	–



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	PR Date				August 08, 2022	–	–
	Credit				Outlook)		
3.	Short term Non Fund Based Bank Facilities – Bank Guarantee	Short Term	64.50	IVR A3 (ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*) (IVR A Three; ; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*)	IVR A3+ (IVR A Three Plus)	–	–

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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. For more information visit [www.infomerics.com](http://www.infomerics.com).



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### Annexure 1: Details of Facilities

Name of Facility	Date of Issuance	Coupon Rate/ IRR	Maturity Date	Size of Facility (Rs. Crore)	Rating Assigned/ Outlook
Long Term Fund Based Bank Facilities – Term Loan	–	–	–	77.83	IVR BBB-/ Negative; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Long Term Fund Based Bank Facilities – Cash Credit	–	–	–	50.00	IVR BBB-/ Negative; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Short term Non Fund Based Bank Facilities – Letter of Credit	–	–	–	64.50	IVR A3 (ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*) (IVR A Three; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*)

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

**Annexure 3: Facility wise lender details:** Not available.

**Annexure 4: Detailed explanation of covenants of the rated instrument/facilities:** 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 [www.infomerics.com](http://www.infomerics.com).