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### P. P. Pandey Infrastructure Private Limited

### August 09, 2024

Ratings					
Instrument Amount		Current	Previous	Rating	<b>Complexity</b>
/ Facility	(Rs. crore)	Ratings	Ratings	Action	<b>Indicator</b>
Long Term Bank Facilities	12.00	IVR D; Issuer Not Cooperating (IVR D Issuer Not Cooperating)	IVR C/ Stable Outlook (IVR C with Stable Outlook)	Downgraded And moved under Issuer Not Cooperating	<u>Simple</u>
Short Term Bank Facilities	15.00	IVR D; Issuer Not Cooperating (IVR D Issuer Not Cooperating)	IVR A4 (IVR A Four)	Downgraded And moved under Issuer Not Cooperating	<u>Simple</u>
Total	27.00 (Rupees Twenty- seven Crore only)				

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**

Infomerics Ratings has downgraded its rating assigned to the Bank facilities of P.P. Pandey Infrastructure Private Limited because of non-submission of No Default Statement. 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.

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#### Note on non-cooperation

Infomerics has repeatedly followed up with the company to provide NDS to monitor the rating(s) vide e-mail dated, June 10, 2024, June 13, 2024, June 17, 2024, June 19, 2024, June 25, 2024, July 01, 2024, July 08, 2024, July 10, 2024, July 12, 2024, July 15, 2024, July 19, 2024, July 22, 2024, July 29, 2024, July 31, 2024, August 07, 2024 and August 08, 2024, along with telephonic conversations. However, despite repeated requests, the company has failed to submit the No Default Statement for the month of May, June and July 2024. Availability of information is very critical in rating exercise. In the absence of the relevant information, in consonance with SEBI guidelines, the long-term and short-term ratings of the bank loan facilities aggregating to Rs. 27.00 crore of P P Pandey Infrastructure Private Limited have been moved under 'ISSUER NOT COOPERATING' category by Infomerics .The rating is now denoted as IVR D; 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.

#### Analytical Approach: Standalone

#### Applicable Criteria:

Policy on Issuer Not Cooperating
Rating Methodology for Infrastructure companies
Financial Ratios & Interpretation (Non-Financial Sector)
Criteria for assigning Rating outlook.
Policy on Default Recognition and Post-Default Curing Period
Complexity Level of Rated Instruments/Facilities

#### About the Firm

P. P. Pandey Infrastructure Pvt Ltd is a company involved in construction of Roads, Stone Crushing & Mining, Urban Infrastructure and Industrial development. The company came into existence in 1992. The company is promoted Mr. Pateshwari Pandey, Mr. Manish Pandey and Mr. Nitish Pandey. Being in the infrastructure segment for over a decade, company has acquired clients such as Uttar Pradesh State Highway Authority, Uttar Pradesh Public Works Departments, National Highway Authority of India, GR Infraprojects Ltd.

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#### **Financials Standalone:**

		(Rs. crore)	
For the year ended/ As on*	31-03-22	31-03-23	
	Audited	Audited	
Total Operating Income	98.61	64.73	
EBITDA	11.89	12.78	
PAT	-0.84	0.50	
Total Debt	41.25	27.58	
Tangible Net Worth	23.17	24.39	
EBITDA Margin (%)	12.05	19.75	
PAT Margin (%)	-0.85	0.78	
Overall Gearing Ratio (x)	1.78	1.10	
Interest Coverage (x)	4.31	3.92	

\* Classification as per Infomerics' standards.

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

India Ratings moved the rating to Issuer Not Cooperating category based on best available information vied PR dated October 26, 2023, as the company did not participate in the surveillance exercise.

Acuite Ratings moved the rating to Issuer Not Cooperating category based on best available information vied PR dated March 22, 2024, in the absence of information provided by the company.

Brickworks Ratings moved the rating to Issuer Not Cooperating category based on best available information vied PR dated August 30, 2023, in the absence of adequate information from the entity

#### Any other information: Not Applicable



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#### Rating History for last three years:

Sr.	Name of	<b>3</b> (			Rating History for the past 3 years			
No.	Security/F acilities	Type (Long Term/Sh ort Term)	Amou nt outsta nding (Rs. Crore)	Rating	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2023-2024	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2022-2023	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in in 2021-2022	
					Date - (January 24, 2024)	Date - (November 11, 2022)	Date - (October 18, 2021)	
1.	Cash Credit	Long Term	12.00	IVR D; ISSUER NOT COOPERA TING	IVR C/ Stable Outlook (IVR C with Stable Outlook)	IVR BB-; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING (IVR Double B Minus; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING)	IVR BB ISSUER NOT COOPERATING (IVR Double B ISSUER NOT COOPERATING)	
2.	Bank Guarantee	Short Term	15.00	IVR D; ISSUER NOT COOPERA TING	IVR A4 (IVR A Four)	IVR A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING (IVR A Four; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING)	IVR A4 ISSUER NOT COOPERATING (IVR A Four, ISSUER NOT COOPERATING)	

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Infomerics Valuation and Rating Private Ltd (Infomerics) was founded in the year 1986 by a team of highly experienced finance professionals for research and risk evaluation. Infomerics commenced its activities as External Credit Assessment Institution after obtaining registration from Securities Exchange Board of India (SEBI) and accreditation from Reserve Bank of India (RBI).

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



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Name of Facility/ /Security	ISIN	Date of Issuance	Coupon Rate/ IRR	Maturity Date	Size of Facility (Rs. Crore)	Rating Assigned/ Outlook
Cash Credit	-	-		Revolving	12.00	IVR D; INC
Bank Guarantee	-	-	-	-	15.00	IVR D; INC

#### Annexure 1: Instrument/Facility Details

Annexure 2: Facility wise lender details (Hyperlink to be added): Not Applicable

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

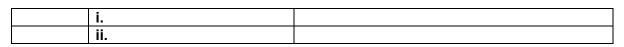
Name of the Security	Detailed Explanation		
Financial Covenant			
i.			
ii.			
Non-financial Covenant			

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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>www.infomerics.com</u>.

