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Rajasthan Rajya Vidyut Prasaran Nigam Limited

July 02, 2025

Ratings

Instrument	Amount	Current	Previous	Rating	Complexity
/ Facility	(Rs. crore)	Ratings	Ratings	Action	<u>Indicator</u>
Long Term Bank Facilities	4888.14	IVR BBB- /Stable (IVR Triple B with Stable Outlook)	IVR BBB- /Stable (IVR Triple B with Stable Outlook)	Rating Reaffirmed	Simple
Short Term Bank Facilities	7.00	IVR A3 (IVR A Three)	IVR A3 (IVR A Three)	Rating Reaffirmed	Simple
NCD	378.70	IVR A- (CE)#/Stable (IVR Single A Minus [Credit Enhancement] with Stable Outlook) *	IVR A- (CE)#/Stable (IVR Single A Minus [Credit Enhancement] with Stable Outlook) *	Rating Reaffirmed	Complex
Bonds	252.30	IVR A- (CE)#/Stable (IVR Single A Minus [Credit Enhancement] with Stable Outlook) *	IVR A- (CE)#/Stable (IVR Single A Minus [Credit Enhancement] with Stable Outlook) *	Rating Reaffirmed	Complex
Total	5526.14	Rupees Five Thousand Five Hundred Twenty Six Crore and Fourteen Lakhs Only			

Details of Facilities/Instrument are in Annexure 1

Facility wise lender details are at Annexure 2

Detailed explanation of covenants is at Annexure 3

*Credit enhancement (CE) rating based on Sovereign Guarantee" provided by the Government of Rajasthan.

Particulars	Current Ratings	Previous Ratings		
Unsupported Rating#	IVR BBB-/Stable (IVR Triple B	IVR BBB-/Stable (IVR Triple B		
	Minus with Stable Outlook)	Minus with Stable Outlook)		

[#] Unsupported rating does not factor in the explicit credit enhancement.



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Detailed Rationale

Infomerics Valuation and Rating Limited (IVR) [Formerly Infomerics Valuation and Rating Pvt Ltd] has reaffirmed long term rating to IVR BBB-/Stable and short-term rating to IVR A3 for the bank loan facilities and non-convertible debentures (NCD)/Bonds to IVR A- (CE)/Stable of Rajasthan Rajya Vidyut Prasaran Nigam Limited (RRVPNL). The rating continues to draw comfort from the wholly owned by Government of Rajasthan (GoR), established track record of operations and experienced management, satisfactory financial risk profile, comfortable financial profile of GoR and maintenance of government securities by GoR. However, these strengths are partially offset by high receivable levels, gearing and decline in debt protection metrics and highly capital-intensive nature of operations.

The 'Stable' outlook indicates utilities nature of business with assured offtake from state discoms.

IVR has principally relied on the standalone audited financial results of RRVPNL upto 31 March 2025 (refers to period April 1st, 2024, to March 31, 2025), and projected financials for FY2026, FY2027 and FY2028, and publicly available information/ clarifications provided by the company's management.

Key Rating Sensitivities:

Upward Factors

- Substantial improvement in credit profile of the off taker along with timely realization of receivables on sustained basis
- Improvement in overall operational performance and debt protection metrics

Downward Factors

- Weakening of credit profile off-taker resulting in an elongated collection period
- Deterioration in operational performance, debt protection metrics and overall gearing

Adequacy of credit enhancement structure:

For reaffirming the rating, Infomerics has assessed the attributes of the guarantee issued by GoR in favour of the rated bonds/NCD. The guarantee is legally enforceable, irrevocable and unconditional. Further, a trustee-monitored payment mechanism is in place to ensure timely payment of the interest and principal obligation. The support from GoR results in an enhancement in the rating of the said instrument to IVR A- (CE)/ Stable against the unsupported rating of IVR BBB-/ Stable.

Transaction Structure

The transaction structure to ensure a timely payment under the credit enhancement is as follows:

Payment structure for bonds amounting to Rs. 252.30 crore



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Trigger Date	Action Point
	RRVPNL shall furnish to the trustees a certificate from SBI (earlier State Bank of Bikaner & Jaipur (SBBJ)) confirming the availability of adequate funds in the Designated Account (DIP)/ (DPP) for servicing of the bonds/ interest and/ or outstanding in relation thereto. In the event, there are inadequate funds in the Designated Account available for payment, or if the Trustees are otherwise satisfied, having regard to the circumstance pertaining to the RRVPNL that it would not be in a position to fully pay and/ or discharge obligations, the Trustees shall be entitled to call upon GOR to transfer amounts required by the RRVPNL for servicing the
T-10	obligations in respect of the Bonds. GOR shall transfer the requisite funds in the
	Designated Account (s) and the RRVPNL shall
	furnish to the Trustees a certificate from SBBJ
T-5	confirming the deposit of amounts by GOR.

[&]quot;T" refers to the due date for interest payment/principal repayment

<u>Infomerics will consider T-10 as its legal final maturity for the purpose of recognition of default.</u>

Payment structure for NCD amounting to Rs. 378.70 crore

Trigger Date	Action Point
	The Trustee shall ascertain whether there are
	adequate funds in the Designated Escrow Account
	to make payments to the Bond Holder (s) on the
	respective due dates. In case the designated
	Escrow Account is not funded adequately by the
	Company, an Event of Default occurs, the Trustee
	shall forthwith invoke the Guarantee by sending a
T-4	written Notice to GOR
	GOR shall transfer the requisite funds into the
T-2	Designated Escrow Account

[&]quot;T" refers to the due date for interest payment/principal repayment

Infomerics will consider T-4 as its legal final maturity for the purpose of recognition of default.

List of Key Rating Drivers with Detailed Description Key Rating Strengths

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• Wholly owned by Government of Rajasthan:

RRVPNL is wholly owned by Government of Rajasthan (GoR). Considering the strategic importance of power sector to the state government, it has extended support in the past which is likely to continue in future too.

• Established track record of operations and experienced management:

The company commenced its operations in July 2000 and has a successful track record of more than two decades in the existing line of business. Overall activities of RRVPNL are managed by GoR nominated administrators and professionals with several decades of experience in power industry. They are ably supported by qualified and well experienced management team.

• Satisfactory financial risk profile:

The company tangible networth has improved to Rs. 2901.98 crore in FY2025 (Provisional) from Rs. 2607.48 crore in FY2024 due to retention of profits. The total operating income (TOI) stood at Rs. 4,188.38 crore in FY2025 (Provisional).

• Comfortable financial profile of Government of Rajasthan:

The budget 2024-25 (R.E.) of the State was presented with budget surplus of Rs. 106.92 crore. This indicates that it has been able to manage the state finances in a better manner than its peer states. Also, the fiscal deficit as percentage of GSDP of Rajasthan stood at 4.10% was lower than that of the national average. For the financial year 2025-26 (R.E) total receipts (excluding borrowing) stood at Rs. 4,98,954.14 crore.

Maintenance of government securities by GoR

The state government maintains Consolidated sinking fund (CSF) and auction treasury bills (ATB) with RBI. As on March 31, 2025, the corpus of Rajasthan state in CSF and ATB stood at Rs. 1818.00 crore and Rs. 7,750 crore respectively.

Key Rating Weaknesses

High receivable levels

RRVPNL has been discharging wheeling of power and transmission of electricity to Rajasthan discoms namely AVVNL, JVVNL and JDVVNL. It has continued to report high outstanding receivables levels in last three years. Weak credit profile of these discoms also restricts the credit profile of RRVPNL. However, outstanding receivables have marginally decreased from Rs. 3,015.17 crore in FY2024 to Rs. 2,916.61 crore in FY2025. Out of said receivables Rs. 1,849.24 crore were receivable outstanding for less than six months and Rs. 1,067.36 crore were receivable outstanding for more than six months from the three discoms. The more than six months receivable are realizable as per company.

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• High gearing and decline in debt protection metrics

The overall gearing of the company stood high at 4.09x in FY2025. RRVPNL has relied on borrowings from banks, financial institutions and government funding to meet any cash flow mismatches. In terms of the debt coverage indicators, the interest service coverage ratio (ISCR) and the debt service coverage ratio (DSCR) declined to 2.25x and 1.16x respectively in FY2025 as compared to 2.83x and 1.38x respectively in FY2024 mainly due to decline in operating profitability.

• Highly capital-intensive nature of operations:

By virtue of its business, RRVPNL's operation continues to be capital intensive. In order to maintain operational efficiencies (i.e., replacing old towers and lines and modernization of the existing transmission lines), the company would have to incur regular operational capital expenditure. As a result, increase in term borrowings of the company might impact the overall financial risk profile.

Analytical Approach:

Credit enhancement (CE) rating: For arriving at the credit enhancement (CE) ratings, IVR has analysed the credit profile of Government of Rajasthan (GoR) provider of irrevocable and unconditional sovereign guarantee to the **NCD/Bonds** aggregating to Rs. 1450 crore of RRVPNL's. IVR has analysed RRVPNL's credit profile by considering the standalone financial statements.

Unsupported Rating: By considering the standalone financial statements of RRVPNL (without considering the credit enhancement) for bank loan facilities.

Applicable Criteria:

Rating Methodology for Infrastructure Companies.

Financial Ratios & Interpretation (Non-Financial Sector).

Parent & Group Support

Public Finance

Government Support

Rating Methodology structure-debt-transaction-non securitisation-transaction

Criteria for assigning Rating outlook.

Policy on Default Recognition

Complexity Level of Rated Instruments/Facilities

<u>Liquidity</u> – Adequate

The company has an adequate liquidity position. There are long-term secured and unsecured borrowings/NCD amounting to Rs. 11628.58 crore, as on 31st March 2025. Against a current portion of long-term debt (CPLTD) of Rs 1,406.27 crore in FY2025, the company had a cash accrual of Rs. 1807.20 crore in FY2025. The company projected to generate cash accruals between Rs. 1695.91 crore- Rs. 2146.96 crore during FY2026-

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FY2028 which are sufficient for future repayment obligations. With the adequate expected cash accruals against repayments, the liquidity position will remain adequate. Also, the comfort can be derived from the fact that the company has been supported by Government of Rajasthan which owns entire shareholding in the company.

About the Company

Rajasthan Rajya Vidyut Prasaran Nigam Limited (RRVPNL) has been established by Government of Rajasthan under the provisions of the Rajasthan Power Sector Reforms Act, 1999 as the successor company of RSEB (Rajasthan State Electricity Board). The government of Rajasthan constituted the RRVPNL on 19th July 2000. It is a transmission company and procure power generated from Rajasthan Rajya Vidyut Utpadan Nigam Limited and transmit the same to the distribution companies namely, Jaipur Vidyut Vitran Nigam Limited (JVVNL), Ajmer Vidyut Vitran Nigam Limited (AVVNL)and Jodhpur Vidyut Vitran Nigam Limited (JDVNL). RRVPNL has been discharging wheeling of power and transmission of electricity.

Financials (Standalone):

(Rs. crore)

For the year ended as on	31-03-2024	31-03-2025
	Audited	Audited
Total Operating Income	4574.76	4188.38
EBITDA	3030.87	2448.61
PAT	-1418.36	727.52
Total Debt	12166.74	11858.58
Tangible Networth	2607.48	2901.98
EBITDA Margin (%)	66.25	58.46
PAT Margin (%)	-28.75	15.70
Overall Gearing Ratio (x)	4.77	4.09
Interest Coverage Ratio (x)	2.83	2.25

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Not Applicable

Any other information: Not Applicable



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Rating History for last three years:

Sr.	Type of	Current Ratings (Year		r 2025-26)	Rating History for the past 3 years			
No.	Instrument/Facilit	Tenur	Amount	Rating	Date(s) &	Date(s) &	Date(s) &	Date(s) &
	у	е	outstandin		Rating(s)	Rating(s)	Rating(s)	Rating(s)
			g (Rs.		assigned	assigned	assigned	assigned
			Crore)		in 2024-25	in 2024-25	in 2023-24	in 2022-
					04 Oct	10 July	12 July	23
					2024	2024	2023	
1.	Fund Based	Long	4888.14	IVR BBB-	IVR BBB-	IVR BBB-	IVR BBB-	-
		Term		/Stable	/Stable	/Stable	/Stable	
2.	Non-Fund Based	Short	7.00	IVR A3	IVR A3	IVR A3	IVR A3	-
		Term						
3.	NCD	Long	378.70	IVR A-	IVR A-	IVR A-	IVR A-	-
		Term		(CE)/Stable	(CE)/Stabl	(CE)/Stabl	(CE)/Stabl	
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4.	Bonds	Long	252.30	IVR A-	IVR A-	IVR A-	IVR A-	-
		Term		(CE)/Stable	(CE)/Stabl	(CE)/Stabl	(CE)/Stabl	
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About Infomerics:

Infomerics Valuation and Rating Ltd (Infomerics) [Formerly Infomerics Valuation and Rating Pvt Ltd] 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).

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Annexure 1: Details of Facilities:

Name of Facility	Date of Issuance	Coupon Rate/	Maturity Date	Size of Facility	Rating Assigned/
		IRR		(Rs. Crore)	Outlook
Cash Credit (CC)	-	-	-	40.00	IVR BBB- /Stable
Term Loan	-	-	Sep 2031	500.00	IVR BBB- /Stable
Bank Guarantee (BG)	-	-	-	1.00	IVR A3
Letter of Credit (LC)	-	-	-	6.00	IVR A3
Proposed-CC	-	-	-	4348.14	IVR BBB- /Stable
NCD (ISIN: INE572F09202)	05.01.2015	8.65	05.01.2027	155.61	IVR A- (CE)/Stable
NCD (ISIN: INE572F08089)	23.03.2015	8.69	23.03.2027	223.09	IVR A- (CE)/Stable
Bonds (ISIN: INE572F11265)	31.01.2012	Deep Discount	31.01.2026	36.42	IVR A- (CE)/Stable
Bonds (ISIN: INE572F11273)	31.01.2012	Deep Discount	31.01.2027	32.88	IVR A- (CE)/Stable
Bonds (ISIN: INE572F11281)	31.01.2012	Deep Discount	31.01.2028	29.69	IVR A- (CE)/Stable



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Bonds		Deep			IVR A-
(ISIN:	31.01.2012	Discount	31.01.2029		(CE)/Stable
INE572F11299)				26.81	
Bonds		Deep			IVR A-
(ISIN:	31.01.2012	Discount	31.01.2030		(CE)/Stable
INE572F11307)				24.20	, ,
Bonds	14.01.2011	Deep			IVR A-
(ISIN:		Discount	14.01.2026		(CE)/Stable
INE572F11174)				16.74	, ,
Bonds	14.01.2011	Deep			IVR A-
(ISIN:		Discount	14.01.2027		(CE)/Stable
INE572F11182)				15.24	
Bonds	14.01.2011	Deep			IVR A-
(ISIN:		Discount	14.01.2028		(CE)/Stable
INE572F11190)				13.87	
Bonds	14.01.2011	Deep			IVR A-
(ISIN:		Discount	14.01.2029		(CE)/Stable
INE572F11208)				12.62	
Bonds		Deep			IVR A-
(ISIN:	31.12.2010	Discount	31.12.2025		(CE)/Stable
INE572F11075)				12.55	
Bonds	31.12.2010	Deep			IVR A-
(ISIN:		Discount	31.12.2026		(CE)/Stable
INE572F11083)				11.42	
Bonds	31.12.2010	Deep			IVR A-
(ISIN:		Discount	31.12.2027		(CE)/Stable
INE572F11091)				10.40	
Bonds	31.12.2010	Deep			IVR A-
(ISIN:		Discount	31.12.2028		(CE)/Stable
INE572F11109)				9.46	
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Note: Previously we have rated Bonds (Deep Discount) having ISIN: INE572F11067, INE572F11166 and INE572F11257 which have been fully repaid on 31.12.2024, 14.01.2025 and 31.01.2025 respectively and now are longer part of the total outstanding bonds.

Annexure 2: Facility wise lender details:

www.infomerics.com/admin/prfiles/Len-Rajasthan-Rajya-Vidut-Parsaran-2july25.pdf

Annexure 3: Detailed explanation of covenants of the rated instrument/facilities:

Name of the Security/Instrument		Detailed Explanation		
Bonds	Financial Covenant	Not Applicable		
(Non-	Non-financial Covenant			
Convertible	I.	The guarantor irrevocably and unconditionally		
Deep		guarantees timely payment of principal and		
Discount		interest on bonds		
Bonds)	II.	The Trustee shall, 10 (ten) days prior to each		
		Due Date, ascertain whether there are		



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		adequate funds in the Designated Escrow Account to make payments to the Bond Holder(s) on the respective Due Dates
Name of the	Security/Instrument	Detailed Explanation
Non-	Financial Covenant	Not Applicable
convertible	Non-financial Covenant	
Debentures	I.	The guarantor irrevocably and unconditionally
(NCD)		guarantees timely payment of principal and
		interest on bonds
	II.	The Trustee shall, 4 (four) days prior to each
		Due Date, ascertain whether there are
		adequate funds in the Designated Escrow
		Account to make payments to the Bond
		Holder(s) on the respective Due Dates.

Annexure 4: List of companies considered for consolidated 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 www.infomerics.com.