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### Satvik Enterprises Limited

### December 27, 2024

Ratings			1		
Instrument / Facility	Amount (Rs. crore)	Current Ratings	Previous Ratings	Rating Action	Complexity Indicator
Long Term Bank Facility	29.72	IVR BB+/ Negative ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (IVR Double B Plus with Negative Outlook Issuer Not Cooperating)	IVR BBB-/ Stable (IVR Triple B Minus with Stable outlook)	Downgraded and moved to the Issuer Not Cooperating category	<u>Simple</u>
Short Term Bank Facility	40.00	IVR A4+ ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (IVR A Four Plus Issuer Not Cooperating)	IVR A3 (IVR A Three)	Downgraded and moved to the Issuer Not Cooperating category	<u>Simple</u>
Total	69.72 (INR sixty- nine crore seventy- two lakh only)				

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

### 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**

The ratings assigned to the bank facilities of Satvik Enterprises Limited (SEL) considers the common management team and operational & financial linkages between SEL and its group companies, Saatvik Ferro Limited, Vamancore Global (FZE), and Vamancore Pte Limited. Infomerics has taken a combined view of these entities referred together as Saatvik group.

Infomerics has downgraded the ratings and moved the ratings assigned to the bank facilities of SEL in the ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category because of lack of adequate information for rating review from the company and hence the uncertainty around its credit risk. Infomerics assesses whether the information available about the entity is commensurate with its ratings and reviews the same as per its policy. The long-term rating outlook has been changed from



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'Stable' to 'Negative' due to information availability risk. The lenders, investors and other market participants are thus advised to exercise appropriate caution while using these ratings as the ratings may not adequately reflect the credit risk profile of the entity.

#### Non-cooperation by Issuer

Infomerics has been regularly following up with the company to provide the required data & NDS to monitor its assigned rating to the bank facilities, vide mail communications dated 9<sup>th</sup> September 2024, 30<sup>th</sup> September 2024, 8<sup>th</sup> October 2024, 24<sup>th</sup> October 2024, 7<sup>th</sup> November 2024, 21<sup>st</sup> November 2024, 27<sup>th</sup> November 2024, 28<sup>th</sup> November 2024, 29<sup>th</sup> November 2024, 17<sup>th</sup> December 2024, and concurrently over several phone calls. However, despite repeated requests by Infomerics, the company's management has not submitted surveillance fees all the essential details required for detailed review of the assigned 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 ratings based on the best available information. Accordingly, the ratings assigned to the bank loan facilities aggregating to INR 69.72 crore of SEL shall be moved to the 'ISSUER NOT COOPERATING' category by Infomerics and the long-term rating be noted as 'IVR BB+/ Negative ISSUER NOT COOPERATING' based on best available information (IVR Double B Plus with Negative Outlook Issuer not cooperating based on best available information), and the short-term rating be noted as 'IVR A4+ ISSUER NOT COOPERATING' based on best available information).

#### Analytical Approach: Combined

For arriving at the ratings, Infomerics has considered the combined financials of Satvik Enterprises Limited, Saatvik Ferro Limited, Vamancore Global (FZE), and Vamancore Pte Limited constituting the Saatvik Group considering the same management and strong operational and financial linkages. List of companies considered for combined analysis is given at Annexure 4.

#### **Applicable Criteria:**



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Rating Methodology for Trading CompaniesCriteria of assigning Rating outlookPolicy on Default RecognitionComplexity Level of Rated Instruments/FacilitiesFinancial Ratios & Interpretation (Financial Sector/Non- Financial Sector)Guidelines on what constitutes Non-Cooperation by clientsConsolidation of companies

#### About the Company

Satvik Enterprises Limited (SEL) was incorporated by Mr. Vikash Kumar Agarwal in 1997. Initially, the company was engaged in trading of steel products. Since 2006, the company started trading of ferro- alloys. Presently the company caters to both domestic and overseas markets such as France, USA, European nations etc.

#### Financials (Standalone):

(Rs. crore)

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For the year ended/ As on*	31.03.2022	31.03.2023
	Audited	Audited
Total Operating Income	349.74	421.17
EBITDA	6.57	10.31
PAT	3.10	3.89
Total Debt	28.66	77.31
Tangible Net Worth	46.41	50.31
EBITDA Margin (%)	1.88	2.45
PAT Margin (%)	0.88	0.92
Overall Gearing Ratio (x)	0.62	1.54
Interest Coverage (x)	4.90	2.06
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\* Classification as per Infomerics' standards.

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

#### Any other information: Nil



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	Rating History for last three years:							
		Current Ratings (Year 2024-25)			Rating History for the past 3 years			
Sr. No.	Name of Facilities	Type (Long Term/Sho rt Term)	Amount outstandi ng (Rs. Crore)	Rating	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2023-24	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2022-23	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2021-22	
					Nov 21, 2023	Aug 30, 2022	June 03, 2021	
1.	Cash Credit	Long Term	29.72	IVR BB+/ Negative ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	IVR BBB-/ Stable	IVR BBB-/ Stable	IVR BBB-/ Stable	
2.	Inland/ Import Letter of Credit/ Foreign Letter of Credit	Short Term	40.00	IVR A4+ ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	IVR A3	IVR A3	IVR A3	

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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: Facility Details

Name of Facility	ISIN	Date of Issuance	Coupon Rate/ IRR	Maturity Date	Size of Facility (Rs. Crore)	Rating Assigned/ Outlook
Cash Credit	-	-	-	-	29.72	IVR BB+/ Negative ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Inland/ Import Letter of Credit/ Foreign Letter of Credit	-			_	40.00	IVR A4+ ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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#### Annexure 2: Facility wise lender details: Not Applicable Annexure 3: Detailed explanation of covenants of the rated Security/facilities: Not Applicable

#### Annexure 4: List of companies considered for consolidated/Combined analysis:

Name of the company	Consolidation Approach
Satvik Enterprises Limited	Full combined
Saatvik Ferro Limited	Full combined
Vamancore Pte Limited	Full combined
Vamancore Global (FZE)	Full combined

**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>.

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