

Sincon Infrastructure Private Limited November 10, 2023

Ratings:						
Facilities/ Instruments	Amount (Rs. crore)	Current Ratings*	Rating Action	Complexity Indicator		
Long Term Bank Facilities	5.20	IVR BB-/Negative; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (IVR Double B Minus with Negative Outlook; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING) *	Revised and continued in Issuer not cooperating category	Simple		
Short Term Bank Facilities	14.00	IVR A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING (IVR A Four; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING) *	Reaffirmed and continued in Issuer not cooperating category	Simple		
Total	19.20 (Rupees Nineteen crore and twenty lakh only)					

*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 Sincon Infrastructure Private 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 company 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 company, despite the downgrade.



Non-Cooperation by Issuer:

Infomerics has been regularly following up with the company to provide the required data to monitor its assigned ratings to the bank facilities, vide mails communications dated October 18, October 19, October 27, October 30, October 31, November 02, 2023 and concurrently over several phone calls. However, despite repeated requests by Infomerics, the company's management has not submitted all the essential details/information for surveillance exercise.

In the absence of the relevant information, in consonance with SEBI guidelines, Infomerics has continued the bank loan facilities of Sincon Infrastructure Private Limited aggregating to Rs 19.20 crore under the 'ISSUER NOT COOPERATING' category. The long-term rating is now denoted as IVR BB-/Negative; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (IVR Double B Minus with negative outlook; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*), and the short- term rating is now denoted as IVR A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (IVR A Four; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*). *Issuer Not Co-operating; 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 Criteria for assigning rating outlook

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About the Company

Incorporated in 1989, Sincon Infrastructure Private Limited (SIPL) is a civil contractor involved in the construction of bridges, roads, flyovers, railway and other civil work in Bihar. The company is a registered Class I category contractor under Road Construction Department.

Financials (Standalone):

For the Year ended*/ As on	31-03-2020	31-03-2021
	Audited	Provisional
Total Operating Income	27.28	40.54
EBIDTA	2.89	4.76
PAT	0.89	1.95
Total Debt	8.57	8.40
Tangible Net Worth	12.64	14.59
Ratios		
EBITDA Margin (%)	10.58	11.75
PAT Margin (%)	3.25	4.80
Overall Gearing Ratio (x)	0.68	0.58



Status of non-cooperation with other CRA:

 India Ratings has classified the rating of Sincon Infrastructure Private Limited under the Issuer Non-Cooperating category as the company did not co-operate in the rating procedure despite repeated follow ups as per the Press Release dated September 12, 2023.

Any other information: Not Applicable

Rating History for last three years:

	Name of Instrumen t/ Facilities	Current Ratings (Year 2023-24)			Rating History for the past 3 years		
Sr No.		Typ e	Amount outstandin g (INR Crore)	Rating	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigne d in 2022- 2023 (03 rd October , 2022)	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigne d in 2021- 2022 (10 th August , 2021)	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigne d in 2020- 2021
1.	Long Term Bank Facilities	Lon g Ter m	5.20	IVR BB- /Negative; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	IVR BB; INC	IVR BB+/ Stable	-
2.	Short Term Bank Facilities	Shor t Ter m	14.00	IVR A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	IVR A4; INC	IVR A4+	-

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



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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 facilities- GECL	-	-	April 2023	1.20	IVR BB-/ Negative; INC*
Long Term fund-based facilities- Cash Credit	-	-	-	4.00	IVR BB-/ Negative; INC*
Short Term fund-based facilities- Bank Guarantee	-	-	-	14.00	IVR A4; INC

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

Annexure 3: Facility wise lender details.

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 <u>www.infomerics.com</u>.