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Prachay Capital Limited

(Erstwhile known as Prachay Capital Private Limited)

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Ratings

Instrument	Amount	Current Previous		Rating	Complexity		
/ Facility	(Rs. crore)	Ratings	Ratings	Action	Indicator		
Long Term Bank	33.23 (Enhanced	IVR BBB /Stable	IVR BBB /Stable	Action	maioator		
Facilities – Term Loan	from Rs.23.88 Crore)	(IVR Triple B with Stable Outlook)	(IVR Triple B with Stable Outlook)	Rating Reaffirmed	<u>Simple</u>		
Long Term Bank Facilities – Dropline OD	14.33 (Enhanced from Rs.5.34 Crore)	IVR BBB /Stable (IVR Triple B with Stable Outlook)	IVR BBB /Stable (IVR Triple B with Stable Outlook)	Rating Reaffirmed	<u>Simple</u>		
Proposed Long Term Bank Facilities – Term Loan	27.44 (Reduced from Rs.44.53 Crore)	IVR BBB /Stable (IVR Triple B with Stable Outlook)	IVR BBB /Stable (IVR Triple B with Stable Outlook)	Rating Reaffirmed	<u>Simple</u>		
Long Term Bank Facilities – Term Loan	0.00		IVR BBB /Stable (IVR Triple B with Stable Outlook)	Rating Withdrawn*	Simple		
Total	Rs.75.00 Crore (Rs Seventy-Five Crore)						

^{*} Bank facility that was rated in last rating exercise has been fully repaid and NDC (No dues certificate) has been provided by the PCL. Withdrawal is at the request of the company and is in line with Infomerics policy of withdrawal.

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



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Infomerics Ratings has reaffirmed its ratings assigned to the bank facilities of Prachay Capital Limited (PCL) continues to derive strength from healthy earnings profile along with adequate capitalisation. The ratings are however, constrained by inherent risk of asset quality due to nature of borrowers, limited financial flexibility and sectoral concentration.

Infomerics has withdrawn the ratings assigned to the term loan facilities of Rs.12.50 crore as facility has been fully repaid, no dues certificate received from the lender and at the request of the PCL. The rating has been withdrawn in accordance with Infomerics' Policy on withdrawal of ratings.

Infomerics Ratings expects the outlook to remain stable with expected continuation of growth momentum in AUM on the back of comfortable capitalisation levels.

Key Rating Sensitivities:

Upward Factors

 Sustained improvement in AUM along with geographical diversification while maintaining current asset quality and capitalisation

Downward Factors

 Substantial decline in AUM and/or any deterioration in asset quality, profitability and capitalization levels below regulatory requirement.

List of Key Rating Drivers with Detailed Description

Key Rating Strengths

Adequate capital position

PCL's capitalization profile remains adequate, with a capital adequacy ratio (CRAR) of 24.82% and a net worth of Rs.84.22 crore as on March 31, 2025, supported primarily by internal accruals. In July 2025, PCL received an equity infusion of Rs.25.00 crore from Prachay Capital Holdings Private Limited. Ability to infuse capital of the promoters while maintaining the comfortable capitalisation would be key credit monitorable.

Healthy earnings profile



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PCL's earnings profile remains supported by its scale of operations, with Net Interest Income (NII) improving to Rs.26.16 crore in FY25 (period refers from 01st April 2024 to 31st March 2025) from Rs.21.47 crore in FY24, driven by higher disbursements during the year. The company's Assets Under Management (AUM) grew to Rs.314.19 crore at the end of FY25 though significantly lower than the projections, compared to Rs.276.51 crore at the end of FY24, with higher disbursements coming from Equipment lease finance and equipment purchase finance. The Net Interest Margin (NIM) moderated to 8.86% in FY25 from 9.76% in FY24, primarily due to an increase in the cost of capital. Despite the contraction in NIM, the company reported a healthy Return on Total Assets (RoTA) of 3.78% in FY25, reflecting operational efficiency.

Key Rating Weaknesses

Vulnerable Asset Quality on account of customer concentration risk

Though, PCL has reported NIL GNPA since inception due to effective recovery mechanisms. However, PCL's portfolio is largely concentrated to real estate sector and majority of the lending is in Pune Region which posses higher risk as any downtrend in the real sector in the region would significantly impact the asset quality of the entity. However, as per management, PCL is diversifying its operations in the other region over a medium term.

High leveraged structure and concentrated funding profile

As on March 31, 2025, the company had outstanding debt of approximately Rs. 265.2 crore, of which around Rs. 213 crore comprised Non-Convertible Debentures (NCDs) and Inter-Corporate Deposits (ICDs), bearing a relatively high cost of capital of ~14%. The balance debt includes term loans and other borrowings. The company's capital structure remains leveraged, with a gearing of 3.15 times as on FY25, given its current scale of operations. Going forward, the ability of the company to diversify its funding profile and secure borrowings at more competitive rates remains a key monitorable.

High Sectoral and geographical concentration risk

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As on March 31, 2025, over 90% of the company's assets under management (AUM) were concentrated in the real estate sector, making its earnings profile susceptible to adverse regulatory or market developments in the sector. Additionally, PCL's operations are primarily concentrated in Maharashtra, particularly in Pune, which heightens geographical concentration risk. While the company's recent strategic tie-up with a leading Aluform manufacturer, is expected to support diversification by facilitating customer acquisition across geographies, the benefits of this initiative are likely to accrue over the medium term.

Analytical Approach: Standalone

Applicable Criteria:

Rating Methodology for Financial Institutions/NBFCs

Financial Ratios and Interpretation (Financial Sector)

Criteria for assigning Rating Outlook

Policy on Default Recognition

Complexity Level of Rated Instruments/Facilities

Policy on withdrawal on ratings

Liquidity - Adequate

PCL's liquidity remains adequate with total CRAR of 24.82% as on March 31,2025 supported tangible net worth of Rs.84.22 crore. In July 2025, Rs.25 crore has been infused by promoter which will further strengthen the net worth. ALM as on March 31,2025 has no cumulative mismatches in any buckets. As on 31st July 2025, DLOD limit from AU Small Finance Bank was Rs.13.33 Crores and outstanding against it was Nil.

About the Company



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Prachay Capital Limited (PCL) (Erstwhile known as Prachay Capital Private limited provides business loans mainly to real estate developers primarily last mile funding and inventory funding. Their products have an average ticket size of Rs.7 Crore to 8 crore, a tenure of up to 30 months, and a principal moratorium of up to 18 months.

Financials (Standalone):

INR in Crore

For the year ended* As on	31-03-2024	31-03-2025		
	Audited	Audited		
Total Income	42.36	58.15		
PAT	10.97	12.61		
Tangible Net worth	71.55	84.22		
AUM	276.51	314.19		
Ratios	00			
NIM (%)	9.76	8.86		
ROTA (%)	4.11	3.78		
Interest Coverage (times)	1.72	1.58		
Total CRAR (%)	26.99%	24.82%		
Gross NPA [Stage III] (%)	0.00	0.00		
Net NPA [Stage III] (%)	0.00	0.00		

^{*} Classification as per Infomerics' standards

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Not Applicable

Any other information: Not Applicable

Rating History for last three years:



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Sr. No.	Name of	Current Ratings (Year 2025-26)			Rating History for the past 3 years			
	Instrument/Fa cilities	Туре	Amount outstan ding (Rs. Crore)	Rating	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2024-25	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2023- 24	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2022- 23	
					May 25,2024	March 27,2023	June 17,2022	
1.	Long Term Bank Facilities- Term Loan	Long Term	33.23	IVR BBB/Stable	IVR BBB/Stable	IVR BBB- /Positive	IVR BBB- /Stable	
2	Long Term Bank Facilities- Dropline OD	Long Term	14.33	IVR BBB/Stable	IVR BBB/Stable	IVR BBB- /Positive		
3	Proposed Long Term Bank Facilities	Long Term	27.44	IVR BBB/Stable	IVR BBB/Stable	IVR BBB- /Positive	IVR BBB- /Stable	
4	Long Term Bank Facilities- Term Loan	Long Term	0.00	 @	IVR BBB/Stable	IVR BBB- /Positive	IVR BBB- /Stable	

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Annexure 1: Details of Facilities

Name of Facility	ISIN	Date of Issuance	Coupon Rate/ IRR	Maturity Date	Size of Facility (Rs. Crore)	Listing Status	Rating Assigned/ Outlook
Long Term Bank Facilities- Term Loans	ı	-	ı	Till October 2031	33.23	1	IVR BBB/Stable
Proposed Long Term Bank Facilities- Term Loans	-	-	-	-	27.44	-	IVR BBB/Stable
Long Term Bank Facilities- Dropline OD	-	-	-	-	14.33	-	IVR BBB/Stable

Annexure 2: Facility wise lender details:

https://www.infomerics.com/admin/prfiles/len-prachaycapital-aug25.pdf



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

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 www.infomerics.com.

