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R C Apparels

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Facilities	Amount	Ratings	Rating Action	Complexit Indicator Simple	
Long Term Bank Facilities	(Rs. crore) 15.96	IVR BB-; Negative Outlook ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (IVR Double B minus; Negative Outlook ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*)	Revised and migrated to ISSUER NOT COOPERATING Category and Outlook revised to Negative		
Short Term Bank Facilities	0.10	IVR A4; Negative Outlook ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (IVR A four; Negative Outlook ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*)	Revised and migrated to ISSUER NOT COOPERATING Category and Outlook revised to Negative	Simple	
Total	16.06 (Rupees Sixteen Crores & Six Lakhs				

*Issuer did not cooperate; based on best available information **Details of Facilities are in Annexure 1**

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Detailed Rationale

The revision in the ratings assigned to the bank facilities of R C Apparels reflects lack of adequate information available and the uncertainty around its credit risk. 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.



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Non-cooperation by Issuer

Infomerics has been regularly following up with the firm to provide the required data to monitor its assigned rating to the bank facilities, vide email communication dated June 7, 2023, June 13, 2023, June 15, 2023, June 21, 2023 and July 04, 2023 and concurrently over several phone calls. However, despite repeated requests by Infomerics, the company's management has not submitted all the essential details required for monitoring the 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 rating based on the best available information. Accordingly, the ratings for the bank facilities of R C Apparels aggregating Rs.16.06 crore has been moved to the 'ISSUER NOT COOPERATING' category by Infomerics.

Analytical Approach: Standalone

Applicable Criteria:

Guidelines on what constitutes Non-Cooperation by Clients Criteria of assigning Rating Outlook Rating Methodology for Manufacturing Companies Financial Ratios & Interpretation (Non- Financial Sector)

About the Company

R C Apparels is a Gurgaon based partnership firm which was registered in the year 2006 and is engaged in the manufacturing of readymade garments of both denim & non-denim variety. The firm has manufacturing units in Gurgaon wherein readymade clothes such as Men's Shirts, Bottomwear and Kurtis for women which are manufactured from cotton and denims and supplies to various reputed brands such as Pepe Jeans India Ltd, ITC Ltd, Aditya Birla Fashion & Retail Ltd, Spykar Lifestyle Pvt. Ltd., Benetton India Pvt Ltd.

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Financials (Standalone):

			(Rs. crore)
For the year ended/ As on	31-03-2021	31-03-2022	31-03-2023
	Audited	Audited	Provisional
Total Operating Income	39.76	97.12	189.65
EBITDA	3.04	6.13	10.81
PAT	0.19	0.60	1.32
Total Debt	25.32	32.52	33.15
Tangible Net Worth (including			
quasi equity)	6.31	8.67	12.60
Ratios			
EBITDA Margin (%)	7.66	6.31	5.70
PAT Margin (%)	0.46	0.62	0.69
Overall Gearing Ratio (x)	4.01	3.75	2.63

*Classification as per Infomerics' standards

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Not Applicable

Any other information: Nil

Rating History for last three years:

Sr.	Name of	Current Ratings (Year 2023-24)		Rating History for the past 3 years			
No.	Instrument/ Facilities	Туре	Amount outstand ing (Rs. Crore)	Rating	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2022-23 (May 12, 2022)	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2021-22	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2020-21
1.	Fund Based	Long Term	15.96	IVR BB-; Negative Outlook ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	IVR BB (Stable)		-
2.	Non-Fund Based	Short Term	0.10	IVR A4; Negative Outlook ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	IVR A4	-	-

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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: 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 Bank Facilities - Cash Credit	-	-	-	11.50	IVR BB-; Negative Outlook
Long Term Fund Based Bank Facilities - Term Loan	-	-	-	3.00	ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (IVR Double B minus; Negative Outlook ISSUER NOT
Long Term Fund Based Bank Facilities - GECL	-	-	-	1.46	COOPERATING*)
Short Term Non-Fund Based Bank Facilities – Bank Guarantee	-	-	-	0.10	IVR A4; Negative Outlook ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (IVR A Four; Negative Outlook ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*)

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

Annexure 3: Facility wise lender details: Not Applicable

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>.