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Tapir Constructions Limited

August 21, 2023

The revised press release is provided in relation to the Press Release published dated October 31, 2022. The revised press release mentions the following:

- Adequacy of Credit Enhancement Structure, Transaction Structure
- Detailed explanation of covenants of the rated instrument/facilities as per the regulator guidelines.

Link to the press release dated October 31, 2022, published on Infomerics' website:

[pr-Tapir-Constructions-31oct22.pdf \(infomerics.com\)](https://www.infomerics.com/pr-Tapir-Constructions-31oct22.pdf)

Ratings

Instrument / Facility	Amount (Rs. Crore)	Ratings**	Rating Action	Complexity Indicator (Simple / High / Complex)
<u>Long Term Fund Based Facilities</u> Non-Convertible Debentures (NCDs)	100.00	IVR A+ (CE)* / Credit Watch with Developing Implication [IVR A Plus (Credit Enhancement)/ placed under Credit Watch with Developing Implication])	Reaffirmed	Complex
<u>Long Term Fund Based Facilities</u> Non-Convertible Debentures (NCDs)	50.00	IVR A+ (CE)* / Credit Watch with Developing Implication [IVR A Plus (Credit Enhancement)/ placed under Credit Watch with Developing Implication])	Reaffirmed	Complex
<u>Long Term/ Short Term Fund Based Facilities</u> Proposed Non- Convertible Debentures (NCDs)*	350.00	-	Withdrawn	Complex
Total	150.00			



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** Based on the Credit Enhancement in the form of unconditional & irrevocable Corporate Guarantee issued by Indiabulls Real Estate Limited (IBREL) for the proposed NCD of the company.*

Infomerics has withdrawn the provisional outstanding rating assigned to the proposed NCD of Rs. 350 Crore of Tapir Constructions Limited with immediate effect as the company has not proceeded with the NCD as envisaged. As per the Infomerics 'Policy on Provisional Ratings'; the provisional ratings need to be withdraw or shall be converted into final ratings within the maximum time period of 180 days.

Details of Facilities are in Annexure 1

Rating update of Indiabulls Real Estate Limited:

The rating of corporate guarantor of Tapir Constructions Limited i.e., Indiabulls Real Estate Limited has been revised to **IVR A+/Credit Watch with Developing Implications & IVR A1+/Credit Watch with Developing Implications** vide press release dated September 22, 2022. Therefore, the CE rating for Tapir Constructions Limited has been revised.

Unsupported Rating¹	IVR BB+/ Stable
Rating in the absence of the pending steps/ documents²	IVR BB+/ Stable

Note: Unsupported Rating does not factor in the explicit credit enhancement

Detailed Rationale

The ratings assigned to the debt facility of Tapir Constructions Limited derive comfort from Support from Diversified Group with experienced promoters, Available Land Bank and Strategic Location of the project. These are partially offset by Nature of real estate industry subject to regulations and High dependence on Customer advances.

The corporate guarantee results in an enhancement in the rating of the said instrument to IVR A+ (CE)* / Credit Watch with Developing Implication & IVR A1+ (CE) against the unsupported rating of IVR BB+/ Stable.

¹ As stipulated vide SEBI circular no. SEBI/ HO/ MIRSD/ DOS3/ CIR/ P/ 2019/ 70 dated June 13, 2019

² As stipulated vide SEBI circular no. SEBI/ HO/ MIRSD/ MIRSD_CRADT/ P/ CIR/ 2021/ 554 dated April 27, 2021



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Key Rating Sensitivities:

Upward Factors

- Completion of Project within stipulated cost.
- Timely sale of flats and adequate cash flow generation.

Downward Factors

- Inadequate and untimely cash flows to the ESCROW account to meet the debt obligations for the projects.
- Changes in regulatory requirement & risk associated with real estate industry.
- Deterioration in risk profile of Guarantor.

Adequacy of Credit Enhancement Structure:

For assigning the rating, Infomerics has assessed the attributes of the guarantee issued by Indiabulls Real Estate Limited (IBREL) in favour of the said instrument. The guarantee is legally enforceable, irrevocable, unconditional and covers the entire amount and tenor of the rated instrument. The support from Corporate Guarantor results in an enhancement in the rating of the said instrument to IVR A+ (CE)* / Credit Watch with Developing Implication against the unsupported rating of IVR BB+ / Stable.

Transaction Structure:

The Issuer undertakes to have in the NCD Servicing Account a Minimum Collection Run Rate of INR24Crores (Rupee Twenty-Four Crores Only) every quarterly interval where every quarter means every 3 (Three) months with the 1st such Scheduled date starting 3 (Three) months from the Deemed Date of Allotment ('DDA') Incase during any quarter interval, the Issuer fails to meet the Minimum Cumulative Collection Run Rate, the Debenture Trustee shall call upon the Issuer/Corporate Guarantor to deposit the Shortfall immediately towards the Minimum Cumulative Collection Milestone by the Issuer by T-7 Days wherein quarter interval end is "T" Day. In case the Issuer/Corporate Guarantor fails to bring the shortfall in the NCD Servicing Account, the Debenture Trustee shall have the right to call an Event of Default.



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List of Key Rating Drivers with Detailed Description

Key Rating Strengths

Support from Diversified Group with experienced promoters

Indiabulls is a well-diversified group and has emerged as one of the leading business conglomerates in country with business interests across sectors like consumer finance, real estate, infrastructure & construction leasing, pharmaceuticals etc. The operations of the company are professionally managed by competent personnel and IBREL would continue benefiting from its experienced and qualified management of Indiabulls group.

Tapir Constructions Limited (TCL) is a fully owned subsidiary of Indiabulls Real Estate Limited (IBREL). The proposed NCD is backed by unconditional and irrevocable corporate guarantee is issued by Indiabulls Real Estate Limited to the lenders of the company for the repayment obligation on the said facility.

Available Land Bank

The company through acquisitions and government allotments has created a sizeable land bank of 1856 acres spread across Mumbai, NCR, Chennai. This land bank is sufficient for proposed development over the next 5-7 years. In addition to the said land bank, the company also possesses 1,424 acres of SEZ land in Nashik, Maharashtra.

Strategic Location of the project

Tapir Constructions Limited (TCL) is involved in developing a project – 'One Indiabulls' located at Pokhran Road, Thane. Thane is one of the affordable micro markets in Mumbai Metropolitan Region for residential projects and is a prime location in terms of both social and civic infrastructure and the project shall benefit from such infrastructure. The project is close to proposed Metro Station (Wadala-Kasavadavali corridor) and major arterial roads (Eastern Expressway & Ghodbunder Road). Places like schools, colleges, malls, shopping centres, supermarkets/hypermarkets, general stores, cinemas, medical centres, hospitals, restaurants, clubs, pubs, lounges, cafes, entertainment zones, water parks, banks, ATMs, petrol pumps, highways, public transport, and a lot more can be accessed from the project without worrying



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about long-distance traveling. The project is situated at a walking distance from Eastern Express Highway and near Viviana Mall, Jupiter Hospital and Singhanian School.

Key Rating Weaknesses

Nature of real estate industry subject to regulations

The real estate sector is volatile in nature with an inherent liquidity risk associated to it. There may be fluctuations in cash flows due to delayed realization & changes in regulatory requirements. The central law RERA provided the basic framework of consumer protection in real estate transactions: raising disclosure requirements of builders, bridging existing information asymmetry between buyers and builders, and ring-fencing the money paid upfront by buyers.

High dependence on Customer advances

Primarily, the company depends on advances received from its customers and external borrowings to fund its operations. With the strategy to reduce the total debt to zero, IBREL's future operations would depend largely on the advances received from the customers. Any unexpected deviations from the customer receivables would result in delay in company's commitments and have a contagion effect on its financials.

Analytical Approach:

Unsupported rating: Standalone Approach

Credit Enhancement (CE Rating): CE rating is based on an unconditional & irrevocable Corporate Guarantee issued by Indiabulls Real Estate Limited (IBREL) to the lenders of the Company for the repayment obligation on the said facility.

Applicable Criteria:

[Rating methodology for Infrastructure Companies.](#)

[Rating Methodology for Structured Debt Transaction \(Non-securitization transaction\)](#)

[Financial Ratios & Interpretation \(Non-Financial Sector\)](#)

[Criteria of Rating Outlook | Infomerics Ratings](#)

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Liquidity –Adequate

The Company's sales are expected to rise with an increase in the number of sold flats. The company maintains moderate cash and bank balance to meet its liquidity requirements, thus indicating Adequate liquidity position of the company in meeting its debt obligations.

About the Company:

Tapir Constructions Limited (TCL) is an Indiabulls Group company which in the business of developing residential real estate projects. TCL is a 100% subsidiary of Indiabulls Real Estate Limited (IBREL). TCL is currently developing a premium residential project "One Indiabulls, Thane" having a saleable area of about 15.93 lakh sq. ft.

About the Project:

TCL is developing a premium residential project "One Indiabulls, Thane" located at Thane, Mumbai. Extended over 7.4 acres of land, this residential development consists of 3 towers that offers 1BHK, 2BHK and 3 BHK apartments.

Financials (Standalone):

(In Crore)

For the year ended/ As on*	31-03-2020 (Audited)	31-03-2021 (Audited)
Total Income	0.03	0.05
PAT	-38.17	-22.74
Total Debt	397.17	405.79
Tangible Net Worth	-154.48	-177.22
Overall Gearing Ratio (x)	-2.57	-2.29

* Classification as per Infomerics' standards

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: None

Any other information: None



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Rating History for last three years:

Sr. No.	Name of Instrument/Facilities	Current Ratings (Year 2022-23)			Rating History for the past 3 years		
		Type	Amount outstanding (Rs. Crore)	Rating	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2021-22	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2020-21	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2019-20
1.	Non-Convertible Debentures (NCDs)*	Long Term Fund Based Facilities	100.00	IVR A+ (CE)* / Credit Watch with Developing Implication	Provisional proposed IVR AA- (CE)* / Credit Watch with Developing Implication (May 10, 2022) & (Sept. 02, 2022) IVR A+ (CE)* / Credit Watch with Developing Implication (Sep 27, 2022)	-	-
2.	Non-Convertible Debentures (NCDs)*	Long Term Fund Based Facilities	50.00	IVR A+ (CE)* / Credit Watch with Developing Implication	Provisional proposed IVR AA- (CE)* / Credit Watch with Developing Implication (May 10, 2022) & (Sept. 02, 2022) IVR A+ (CE)* / Credit Watch with Developing Implication (Sep 27, 2022)	-	-
3.	Proposed Non-Convertible Debentures (NCDs)*	Long Term Fund Based Facilities	350.00	-	Provisional proposed IVR AA- (CE)* / Credit Watch with Developing Implication (May 10, 2022) & (Sept. 02, 2022) Provisional proposed IVR A+ (CE)* / Credit Watch with Developing Implication (Sep 27, 2022)	-	-



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About Infomerics:

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Annexure 1: Details of Facilities:

Facility Type	Sanction Amount (INR Crore)	ISIN	Date of Issuance	Coupon	Tenure	Rating
NCD	100.00	INE00DJ07011	15-Sept-2022	12.25%	2 years Redemption date: 14-June-2024	IVR A+ (CE)* / Credit Watch with Developing Implication
NCD	50.00	INE00DJ07029	15-Sept-2022	12.25%	3 years Redemption date: 14-March-2025	IVR A+ (CE)* / Credit Watch with Developing Implication

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:

Name of the Instrument		Detailed Explanation
Financial Covenant		
i.	Borrower level Financial Covenants	<input type="checkbox"/> Minimum DSCR to be maintained of 1.1x and Average DSCR to be maintained of 1.1x basis the gross collections on an aggregate basis both from the Sold Units and Unsold Inventory <input type="checkbox"/> Minimum Security cover of 2.00x to be maintained throughout the tenure of the NCDs as defined below. Security cover shall be computed as ratio of (a) is to (b) below: a) Market Value of the Security Area b) Outstanding Amount minus balance in the NCD Servicing Account, Master Collections account, RERA account, ISRA, Any permitted investments, etc. Debenture Trustee shall appoint an Independent Valuer as per the requisite guidelines for submission of the Valuation Report on semiannual starting from 31st December 2022.
ii.	Corporate Guarantor Financial Covenants	Net Debt to Tangible Net-Worth of Corporate Guarantor shall be < 1.5
Non-financial Covenant		
i.	Rating related Covenants	In case the Rating of the Instrument is downgraded, the Coupon will be stepped up by 25 bps for each notch of such downgrade and such revised coupon shall be applicable for the period such downgrade continues. The coupon would be reduced by 25 basis points for each notch of subsequent upgrade such that the coupon shall not at any time be less than the coupon rate on the deemed date of allotment In case the Rating of the Instrument and/ or the rating of the Guarantor is downgraded by 3 (three) notches from



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Name of the Instrument		Detailed Explanation
		the respective outstanding rating at the Deemed Date of Allotment, then the investors will have an option to ask for Accelerated Redemption of the Debentures. In case the Debenture Holders exercise this right, then Issuer shall have to pay the outstanding amount along with accrued interest within 60 days from such notice. In case of ratings from multiple agencies, the lowest rating shall be considered for both increase in Coupon in case of Downgrades and Acceleration in Redemption in case of 3 (three) notch downgrade.
2.	Information Covenant	<p>Issuer shall provide the following information to the Debenture Trustee</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Quarterly Sales report and Collection report within 60 days from end of each quarter2. Monthly Bank Statement of Project Master Collection Account and NCD Servicing Account within 3 working days from end of each month3. Monthly Details of the Conditional NOC for Sale taken from the Debenture Trustee within 3 working days from the end of each month.4. Details of Permitted Expenditure made in each quarter within 60 days from end of each quarter5. Audited financials within 180 days from end of each financial year6. Unaudited/ Provisional financials (including Cash Flow Statement) within 60 days from end of each quarter7. List of all Litigations within 7 days from end of each half year

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