

#### **Press Release**

# <u>Indiabulls Liquid Fund and Indiabulls Short Term Fund (Indiabulls Asset Management Company Limited)</u>

#### January 10, 2019

#### **Rating**

| Scheme Name                | Rating                             | <b>Rating Action</b> |
|----------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------|
| Indiabulls Liquid Fund     | IVR AAAmfs (IVR Triple A mfs)      | Withdrawn            |
| Indiabulls Short Term Fund | IVR AA+mfs (IVR Double A Plus mfs) | Withdrawn            |

#### **Details of Facilities are in Annexure 1**

#### **Rating Action**

Infomerics Valuation and Rating Private Ltd has withdrawn the credit quality rating of IVR AAAmfs (IVR Triple A mfs) of Indiabulls Liquid Fund.

Infomerics Valuation And Rating Private Ltd has withdrawn the credit quality rating of IVR AA+mfs (IVR Double A Plus mfs) of Indiabulls Short Term Fund.

Both these funds are managed by Indiabulls Asset Management Company Limited (Indiabulls AMC). The ratings have been withdrawn after the expiry of notice for withdrawal of one month.

#### **Detailed Rationale**

The credit risk ratings of the schemes were placed on notice of withdrawal for a period of one month and released on INFOMERICS' website on November 21, 2018. Since the withdrawal period has ended, the rating is withdrawn in accordance with INFOMERICS' policy on withdrawal.

#### **Analytical Approach and Applicable Criteria**

Credit Quality Rating Methodology for Mutual Funds

Policy on Withdrawal of Ratings



#### **About the Funds**

Indiabulls Liquid Fund (IBLF) is a short-term open ended fund which was launched in October 2011. Indiabulls Short Term Fund (IBSTF) is a short-term open ended fund which was launched in September 2013.

#### **About the AMC**

Indiabulls AMC is the Investment Manager of IBLF. It manages 10 mutual fund schemes with an AUM of Rs.8008 crore as on September 30, 2018.

#### **About the sponsor**

The sponsor is Indiabulls Housing Finance Ltd (IBHFL). IBHFL is one of the leading housing finance companies in India. IBHFL has presence in mortgage loans (housing loans and LAP), corporate loans (mainly in the nature of short-term secured bridge loans, project finance and lease rent discounting) and commercial vehicle financing. IBHFL is present across 220 locations spreading across 20 States and /or Union Territories of India. IBHFL reported a total revenue of Rs.14,640 crore and a PAT of Rs.3,847 crore in FY2018. As on March 31, 2018, its net worth and loan book stood at Rs.13,424 crore and Rs.1,22,578 crore respectively.

**Key financial indicators:** Not applicable

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Not applicable

**Any other information:** Nil

#### **Rating History for last three years:**

| Scheme<br>Name               | <b>Current Ratings (2018-19)</b> |   |                         | Rating History                                   |  |   |   |  |
|------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|-------------------------|--|--|---|---|--|
|                              | Type                             | Amount<br>Outstan<br>ding<br>(Rs.<br>Crore) | Rating                  | Date & Rating<br>Release Assigne<br>2018-19      |  | Date & Rating Press Release Assigned in 2017-18 | Date & Rating Press Release Assigned in 2016-17 |  |
| Indiabulls<br>Liquid<br>Fund | Long<br>Term                     | -   | Rating<br>Withdra<br>wn | IVR - AAAmfs (Reaffirmed and placed on notice of |  | IVR<br>AAAmfs<br>(September<br>14, 2017)        | Nil   |  |



|            |      |   |         | withdrawal)  |           |           |           |
|------------|------|---|---------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
|            |      |   |         | (November    |           |           |           |
|            |      |   |         | 21, 2018)    |           |           |           |
| Indiabulls | Long | - | Rating  | IVR          | IVR       | IVR       | IVR       |
| Short      | Term |   | Withdra | AA+mfs       | AA+mfs    | AAAmfs    | AAAmfs    |
| Term       |      |   | wn      | (Reaffirmed  | (June 22, | (November | (November |
| Fund       |      |   |         | and placed   | 2018)     | 6, 2017)  | 2, 2016)  |
|            |      |   |         | on notice of |           |           |           |
|            |      |   |         | withdrawal)  |           |           |           |
|            |      |   |         | (November    |           |           |           |
|            |      |   |         | 21, 2018)    |           |           |           |

**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.

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# **Annexure 1: Details of Facility**

| Scheme Name                   | Date of<br>Issuance | Coupon<br>Rate/ IRR | Maturity<br>Date | Size of Facility (Rs. Crores) | Rating Assigned/<br>Outlook |
|-------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Indiabulls Liquid<br>Fund     | -                   | -                   | -                | -                             | Rating<br>Withdrawn         |
| Indiabulls Short<br>Term Fund | -                   | -                   | -                | -                             | Rating<br>Withdrawn         |