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Date August 23,2023

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Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers

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Mumbai-400001 Scrip code: 517271 The Listing Department
National Stock Exchange of India Limited
Exchange Plaza, Bandra Kurla Complex
Bandra (East)

Mumbai - 400 051 Scrip code: HBLPOWER

Dear Sir/Madam

Sub: : Intimation regarding Credit Rating - Intimation under Regulation 30 of SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015

Pursuant to Regulation 30 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("SEBI Listing Regulations"), please note that Care Edge Ratings has reviewed the ratings on bank facilities of the Company. In this regard, please find below the ratings for the bank loan facilities of the Company, and the rating actions by Care Edge Ratings on the ratings:

Total Bank Loan Facilities Rated	Rs. 771.82 Crores (Rupees Seven Hundred Seventy-One Crore and Eighty-Two Lakhs Only)
Long Term Rating	CARE A; Positive (Single A; Outlook: Positive)
Short Term Rating	CARE A1 (A One)

The rating letter received from Care Edge Ratings is attached as Annexure.

The above information will also be available on the website of the Company at www.hbl.in.

Kindly take the same on record and acknowledge.

Thanking you, Yours truly,

For HBL Power Systems Limited

G B S Naidu

Company Secretary



No. CARE/HRO/RL/2023-24/1254

Shri A.J. Prasad Chairman & Managing Director HBL Power Systems Limited Road No. 8-2-601, Road No. 10, Banjara Hills Hyderabad Telangana 500034



August 22, 2023

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Dear Sir,

Credit rating for bank facilities

On the basis of recent developments including operational and financial performance of your Company for FY23 (Audited) and Q1FY24 (UA), our Rating Committee has reviewed the following ratings:

Facilities	Amount (Rs. crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	325.82 (Enhanced from 229.00)	CARE A; Positive (Single A; Outlook: Positive)	Reaffirmed; Outlook revised from Stable
Short Term Bank 446.00 Facilities		CARE A1 (A One)	Reaffirmed
Total Facilities	771.82 (Rs. Seven Hundred Seventy-One Crore and Eighty-Two Lakhs Only)		

2. Refer **Annexure 1** for details of rated facilities.

¹Complete definitions of the ratings assigned are available at www.careedge.in and in other CARE Ratings Ltd.'s publications.



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- 3. The rationale for the rating will be communicated to you separately. A write-up (press release) on the above rating is proposed to be issued to the press shortly, a draft of which is enclosed for your perusal as **Annexure 2**. We request you to peruse the annexed document and offer your comments if any. We are doing this as a matter of courtesy to our clients and with a view to ensure that no factual inaccuracies have inadvertently crept in. Kindly revert as early as possible. In any case, if we do not hear from you by August 24, 2023, we will proceed on the basis that you have no any comments to offer.
- 4. CARE Ratings Ltd. reserves the right to undertake a surveillance/review of the rating from time to time, based on circumstances warranting such review, subject to at least one such review/surveillance every year.
- 5. CARE Ratings Ltd. reserves the right to revise/reaffirm/withdraw the rating assigned as also revise the outlook, as a result of periodic review/surveillance, based on any event or information which in the opinion of CARE Ratings Ltd. warrants such an action. In the event of failure on the part of the entity to furnish such information, material or clarifications as may be required by CARE Ratings Ltd. so as to enable it to carry out continuous monitoring of the rating of the bank facilities, CARE Ratings Ltd. shall carry out the review on the basis of best available information throughout the life time of such bank facilities. In such cases the credit rating symbol shall be accompanied by "ISSUER NOT COOPERATING". CARE Ratings Ltd. shall also be entitled to publicize/disseminate all the aforementioned rating actions in any manner considered appropriate by it, without reference to you.
- 6. Our ratings do not take into account the sovereign risk, if any, attached to the foreign currency loans, and the ratings are applicable only to the rupee equivalent of these loans.
- 7. Our ratings do not factor in any rating related trigger clauses as per the terms of the facility/instrument, which may involve acceleration of payments in case of rating downgrades. However, if any such clauses are introduced and if triggered, the ratings may see volatility and sharp downgrades.
- 8. Users of this rating may kindly refer our website <u>www.careedge.in</u> for latest update on the outstanding rating.
- 9. CARE Ratings Ltd. ratings are **not** recommendations to sanction, renew, disburse or recall the concerned bank facilities.

If you need any clarification, you are welcome to approach us in this regard.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,



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Encl.: As above



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Annexure 1

Details of Rated Facilities

1. Long Term Facilities

1.A. Term Loans

Sr. No.	Name of Bank / Lender	Rated Amount (Rs. crore)	Debt Repayment Terms	Remarks
1.	Axis Bank Ltd.	75.00	To be repaid in 20 quarterly instalments from Sept 2023	-
2.	ICICI Bank Ltd.	26.82	To be repaid in 22 quarterly instalments from Oct 2022	-
3.	Proposed	75.00	-	-
	Total	176.82		

1.B. Fund Based Limits

Sr. No.	Name of Bank / Lender	Rated Amount (Rs. crore)	Debt Repayment Terms	Remarks
1.	State Bank of India	65.00	-	Cash Credit
2.	Axis Bank Ltd.	44.00	-	Cash Credit
3.	ICICI Bank Ltd.	40.00	-	Cash Credit
	Total	149.00		

Total Long Term Facilities: Rs.325.82 crore

2. Short Term Facilities

2.A. Fund Based Limits

Sr. No.		Rated Amount (Rs. crore)	Debt Repayment Terms	Remarks
1.	Kotak Mahindra Bank Ltd.	30.00	-	Purchase bill factoring
2.	Axis Bank Ltd.	30.00	-	Purchase bill factoring
3.	ICICI Bank Ltd.	15.00		Purchase bill factoring
4.	Proposed	20.00	-	Purchase bill factoring



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Sr. No.		Rated Amount (Rs. crore)	Debt Repayment Terms	Remarks
	Total	95.00		

2.B. Non-Fund Based Limits

Sr. No.	Name of Bank / Lender	Rated Amount (Rs. crore)	Debt Repayment Terms	Remarks		
1.	State Bank of India	188.00	-	Letter of Credit/ Bank Guarantee		
2.	Axis Bank Ltd.	94.00	-	Letter of Credit/ Bank Guarantee		
	Total	282.00				

2.C. Non-Fund Based Limits

Sr. No.	Name of Bank / Lender	Rated Amount (Rs. crore)	Debt Repayment Terms	Ro	emarks	
1.	ICICI Bank Ltd.	69.00	-	Letter of Guarantee	credit/	Bank
	Total	69.00				

Total Short Term Facilities: Rs.446.00 crore

Total Facilities (1.A+1.B+2.A+2.B+2.C): Rs.771.82 crore



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