



INFOMERICS VALUATION AND RATING PVT. LTD.

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Date: April 19th, 2022

To,
Mr. Ajay Kumar Bansal
Chairman & Managing Director
Hi-Tech Pipes Limited
Plot No.10, Bulandshahar Road,
Industrial Area, Sikandrabad,
Bulandshahar - 203205
Uttar Pradesh.

Dear Sir,

Assignment of rating to the Commercial Paper of Hi-Tech Pipes Limited

Please refer to the Mandate contract dated **February 21, 2022** on the captioned subject and accepting our rating & use thereof.

1. Our Rating Committee has assigned the following ratings:

Instrument / Facility	Amount (Rs. Crore)	Ratings*	Rating Action
Proposed Commercial Paper	10.00	IVR A1 (IVR A One)	Assigned
Total	10.00 (INR Ten Crore Only)		

**For above mentioned proposed CP issuance, Hi-Tech Pipes Limited will keep an equivalent amount of working capital bank limits unutilized.*

For arriving at the rating, Infomerics has combined the financial risk profiles of Hi-Tech Pipes Limited, HTL Metal Private Limited, HITECH Metalex Private Limited and HTL ISPAT Private Limited, as these entities are running under a common management, dealing in similar product line and having strong operational & financial linkages between themselves. Additionally, HTL Metal Private Limited, HITECH Metalex Private Limited and HTL ISPAT Private Limited are 100% subsidiaries of Hi-Tech Pipes Limited as on March 31, 2022.

Name of the Company	Extent of Consolidation
HTL Metal Pvt. Ltd.	Full*
HITECH Metalex Pvt. Ltd	Full*
HTL ISPAT Pvt. Ltd.	Full*

**Intercompany transaction has been adjusted as per Infomerics standards.*

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2. Details of the credit facilities are attached in **Annexure I**. Our rating symbols for short-term ratings and explanatory notes thereon are attached in **Annexure II**.
3. The press release for the rating(s) will be communicated to you shortly.
4. If the proposed long term facility is not availed within a period of six months / three months respectively from the date of this letter, then the rating may please be revalidated from us before availing the facility.
5. The above rating is normally valid for a period of one year from the date of our **initial communication** of rating to you (that is. **April 19, 2022**).
6. A formal surveillance/review of the rating is normally conducted within 12 months from the date of initial rating/last review of the rating. However, INFOMERICS reserves the right to undertake a surveillance/review of the rating more than once a year if in the opinion of INFOMERICS, circumstances warrant such surveillance/review.
7. Further in terms of the mandate executed with us, you have undertaken to comply with the following: -
 - a) Inform INFOMERICS before availing any new bank facility/ies and/or of any changes in the terms, conditions and/or size of the facilities rated.
 - b) Furnish all material information and any other information in a timely manner as may be required by INFOMERICS, for monitoring the Rating assigned during the tenure of the bank facilities rated by INFOMERICS.
 - c) Co-operate with and enable INFOMERICS to arrive at and maintain a true and fair rating and in particular, provide INFOMERICS with true, adequate, accurate, fair, and timely information for the purpose.
 - d) Inform INFOMERICS, in writing and in a timely manner, of any other developments which may have a direct or indirect impact on the CLIENT's debt servicing capability including any proposal for re-schedulement or postponement of the repayment programs of the dues/ debts of the CLIENT with any lender (s)/ investor (s) within seven days from the date of such developments/ proposal.
8. **You shall provide us a No Default Statement as at the last date of the month on the first date of succeeding month without fail.** The NDS shall be mailed every month to nds@Infomerics.com and to the mail id of the undersigned.
9. **You shall provide the quarterly performance results/quarterly operational data (being submitted to Banks) to us within 6 weeks from the close of each calendar quarter for our review/monitoring.**

10. You shall furnish all material information and any other information called for by INFOMERICS in a timely manner, for monitoring the rating assigned by INFOMERICS. In the event of failure on your part in furnishing such information, to carry out continuous monitoring of the rating of the bank facilities, INFOMERICS shall carry out the review/annual surveillance on the basis of best available information throughout the lifetime of such bank facilities as per the policy of INFOMERICS.

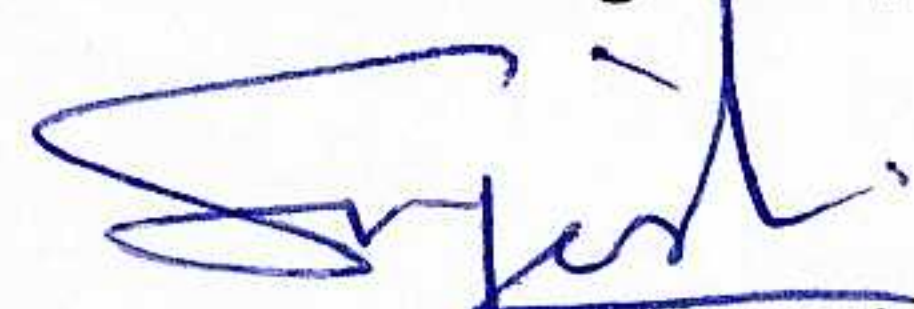
11. INFOMERICS reserves the right to withdraw/revise/reaffirm the rating assigned on the basis of new information. INFOMERICS is also entitled to publicise/disseminate such withdrawal/revision in the assigned rating in any manner considered appropriate by it, without reference to you.

12. Please note that INFOMERICS ratings are not recommendations to buy, sell or hold any security or to sanction, renew, disburse or recall the bank facilities. INFOMERICS 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.

13. In case you require any clarification, you are welcome to communicate with us in this regard.

Thanking you,

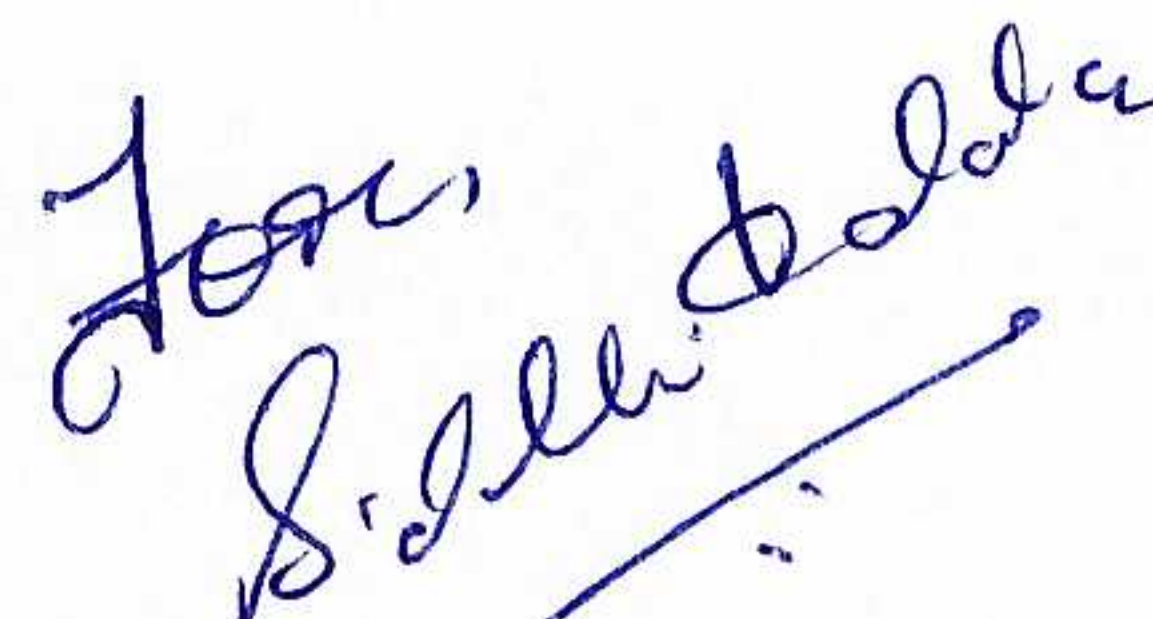
With Regards,



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ANNEXURE I

Details of Rated Facilities:

1. Short Term: Non-Fund based bank facilities:

Sr. No.	Name of Bank	Type of Facility	Amount	Tenure
1	Not Applicable	Proposed Commercial Paper	10.00	--
	Total		10.00	

ANNEXURE II

INFOMERICS Rating Scale for Short Term Instruments & Borrowing Programmes

Rating Scale	Definition
IVR A1	Instruments with this rating are considered to have very strong degree of safety regarding timely payment of financial obligations. Such instruments carry lowest credit risk.
IVR A2	Instruments with this rating are considered to have strong degree of safety regarding timely payment of financial obligations. Such instruments carry low credit risk.
IVR A3	Instruments with this rating are considered to have moderate degree of safety regarding timely payment of financial obligations. Such instruments carry higher credit risk as compared to instruments rated in the two higher categories.
IVR A4	Instruments with this rating are considered to have minimal degree of safety regarding timely payment of financial obligations. Such instruments carry very high credit risk and are susceptible to default.
IVR D	Instruments with this rating are in default or expected to be in default on maturity in servicing of debt obligations.

INFOMERICS may apply '+' (plus) signs for ratings assigned from 'IVR A1' to 'IVR A4' to indicate their relative standing within the category.