

Ref. No. AAVAS/SEC/2022-23/507

Date: September 07, 2022

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The National Stock Exchange of India Limited	BSE Limited
The Listing Department	Dept. of Corporate Services
Exchange Plaza,	Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers,
Bandra Kurla Complex,	Dalal Street, Fort,
Mumbai - 400051	Mumbai - 400001
Scrip Symbol: AAVAS	Scrip Code: 541988

Dear Sir / Madam,

Sub: Intimation of Credit Rating Upgradation

Pursuant to Regulation 30(6) read with Schedule III of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, we are glad to inform you that based on rating assessment undertaken by CARE Ratings, the Company's Long term facilities credit rating has been upgraded to CARE AA from CARE AA-' while reaffirming the short term facilities rating. Outlook on the long term facilities rating is revised to Stable from Positive.

Please find below the details of the same-

Credit Rating Agency	Instrument	Rating Action	Rating ; Outlook
CARE Ratings	Credit Rating for Rs. 4,512 crore Long Term Bank facilities	Upgraded; Rating upgraded from CARE AA-; Positive to CARE AA; Stable	CARE AA; Stable (Double A; Outlook: Stable)
	Credit Rating for Rs. 1,095 crore Long Term facilities- NCD's including Subordinate Debt	Upgraded; Rating upgraded from CARE AA-; Positive to CARE AA; Stable	CARE AA; Stable (Double A; Outlook: Stable)
	Credit Rating for Rs. 100 crore Short Term Instrument- Commercial Paper Programme	Reaffirmed	CARE A1+ [A one Plus]

Details of Listed Non-Convertible Debentures-

	Details of Credit Rating Current Rating details									
Sr. No.	ISIN	the Credit (Stable/ Credit rating Positive Rating assigned Negative		Outlook (Stable/ Positive/ Negative/ No Outlook)	Rating Action (New/Upgrade Specify / other Downgrade/ rating Re- action		Date of Credit rating	Verificatio n Status of Credit Rating Agencies	Date of verification	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
1.	*INE216P08017	CARE Ratings	CARE AA; Stable	Stable	Upgrade	-	September 06, 2022	Verified	September 06, 2022	
2.	INE216P07225	CARE Ratings	CARE AA; Stable	Stable	Upgrade	-	September 06, 2022	Verified	September 06, 2022	
3.	INE216P07217	CARE Ratings	CARE AA; Stable	Stable	Upgrade	-	September 06, 2022	Verified	September 06, 2022	

*Subordinate Debt

The rating rationale letter of CARE Ratings is attached herewith.

We request you to take the same on your record.

Thanking You,

For Aavas Financiers Limited

Sharad Pathak **Company Secretary and Compliance Officer** (FCS-9587)



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September 06, 2022

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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 FY22 (Audited) and Q1FY23 (Audited), our Rating Committee has reviewed the following ratings:

Facilities	Amount (Rs. crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	4,512.00	CARE AA; Stable (Double A; Outlook: Stable)	Revised from CARE AA-; Positive (Double A Minus; Outlook: Positive)
Total Facilities	4,512.00 (Rs. Four Thousand Five Hundred Twelve Crore Only)		

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

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 Sep 09, 2022, we will proceed on the basis that you have no any comments to offer.

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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.

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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)	Remarks
1.	State Bank of India	819.93	TL
2.	Punjab National Bank	542.62	TL
3.	HDFC Bank Ltd.	386.11	TL
4.	Union Bank of India	378.01	TL
5.	Bank of Baroda	346.11	TL
6.	Axis Bank Ltd.	320.04	TL
7.	Canara Bank	307.17	TL
8.	Central Bank of India	282.49	TL
9.	UCO Bank	240.96	TL
10.	Federal Bank	207.87	TL
11.	Yes Bank Ltd.	189.33	TL
12.	Kotak Mahindra Bank Ltd.	82.94	TL
13.	SBI Life Insurance Company Ltd.	68.75	TL
14.	Indian Bank	52.27	TL
15.	Karur Vysya Bank Ltd.	48.20	TL
16.	IndusInd Bank Ltd.	22.91	TL
17.	South Indian Bank Ltd.	21.98	TL
18.	IDBI Bank Ltd.	18.07	TL
19.	Proposed	66.24	TL
	Total	4,402.00	

1.B. Fund Based Limits

Sr. No.	Name of Bank / Lender	Rated Amount (Rs. crore)		
1.	HDFC Bank Ltd.	40.00		
2.	Axis Bank Ltd.	25.00		
3.	Kotak Mahindra Bank Ltd.	25.00		
4.	ICICI Bank Ltd.	10.00		
5.	IndusInd Bank Ltd.	5.00		
6.	State Bank of India	5.00		
	Total	110.00		

Total Long Term Facilities : Rs.4,512.00 crore

Total Facilities (1.A+1.B) : Rs.4,512.00 crore

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September 06, 2022

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Dear Sir,

Credit rating for Non-Convertible Debenture issue and Subordinate debt

On the basis of recent developments including operational and financial performance of your Company for FY22 (Audited) and Q1FY23 (Audited), our Rating Committee has reviewed the following ratings:

Sr. No.	Instrument	Amount (Rs. crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
1.	Non Convertible Debentures	375.00	CARE AA; Stable (Double A; Outlook: Stable)	Revised from CARE AA-; Positive (Double A Minus; Outlook: Positive)
2.	Non Convertible Debentures	420.00	CARE AA; Stable (Double A; Outlook: Stable)	Revised from CARE AA-; Positive (Double A Minus; Outlook: Positive)
3.	Non Convertible Debentures	200.00	CARE AA; Stable (Double A; Outlook: Stable)	Revised from CARE AA-; Positive (Double A Minus; Outlook: Positive)
4.	Subordinate Debt	50.00	CARE AA; Stable (Double A; Outlook: Stable)	Revised from CARE AA-; Positive (Double A Minus; Outlook: Positive)
5.	Subordinate Debt	50.00	CARE AA; Stable (Double A; Outlook: Stable)	Revised from CARE AA-; Positive (Double A Minus; Outlook: Positive)
	Total Instruments	1,095.00 (Rs. One Thousand Ninety-Five Crore Only)		

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- 2. The NCDs are repayable as per Annexure 1.
- 3. Please inform us the below-mentioned details of issue immediately, but not later than 7 days from the date of placing the instrument:

Instrument type	ISIN	Issue Size (Rs cr)	Coupon Rate	Coupon Payment Dates	Terms of Redemption	Redemption date	Name and contact details of Debenture Trustee	Details of top 10 investors
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- 4. 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 Sep 09, 2022, we will proceed on the basis that you have no any comments to offer.
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Name of the instrument	ISIN	Date of issuance	Coupon rate	Maturity date	Size of the issue (₹ crore)
Long Term Subordinate Debt	INE216P08017	Dec-22-2017	9.49%	22-Dec-23	100.00
Non-Convertible		Dec-22-2017	9.49%	22-Dec-23	100.00
Debentures	INE216P07167	Sep-16-2019	8.39%	15-Sep-24	345.00
Non-Convertible					
Debentures	INE216P07175	Mar-30-2020	8.65%	30-Mar-28	444.40
Non-Convertible Debentures	INE216P07225	Mar-25-2022	Repo rate linked	25-Mar-27	100.00
Non-Convertible Debentures	INE216P07217	Nov-26-2021	Repo rate linked	26-Nov-26	99.00
Non-Convertible Debentures	Proposed				6.60
Commercial Paper (Standalone)	Proposed				100.00

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Dear Sir,

Credit rating for Commercial Paper (CP) issue aggregating Rs.100.00 crore¹

On the basis of recent developments including operational and financial performance of your company for FY22 (Audited) and Q1FY23 (Audited), our Rating Committee has reviewed the following rating(s):

Instrument	Amount (Rs. crore)	Rating ²	Rating Action
Commercial Paper	100.00	CARE A1+ (A One Plus)	Reaffirmed
Total Instruments	100.00 (Rs. One Hundred Crore Only)		

- 2. The CP issue would be for a maturity not exceeding one year.
- 3. Please arrange to get the rating revalidated in case the issue is not made within **two months** from the date of this letter i.e. by Nov 05, 2022. Once the CP is placed, the rating is valid for the tenure of such instrument till redemption.
- 4. Please inform us the below-mentioned details of issue immediately, but not later than 7 days from the date of placing the instrument:

Instrument type	Issu ISIN (Rs cr.)	Coupon	Coupon Payment Dates	Terms of Redemption	Redemption date	Name and contact details of Trustee/IPA	Details of top 10 investors
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5. 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/by end of the day, a draft of which is enclosed for your perusal as **Annexure**. 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

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