

## Press Release

### KOSC Industries Private Limited (KIPL)

March 9, 2018



## Rating Update

<b>Total Bank Facilities Rated*</b>	Rs.13.90 Cr
<b>Long Term Rating (Indicative)</b>	SMERA BB Issuer not co-operating*
<b>Short Term Rating (Indicative)</b>	SMERA A4+ Issuer not co-operating*

*#Refer Annexure for details*

\*The issuer did not co-operate; Based on best available information.

SMERA has reviewed the long-term rating of '**SMERA BB**' (read as **SMERA double B**) and short term rating of 'SMERA A4+' (read as SMERA A four plus) on the Rs.13.90 crore bank facilities of KOSC Industries Private Limited (KIPL). This rating is now an indicative rating and is based on best available information.

**Non-cooperation by the issuer/borrower:** SMERA has been requesting for data, information and undertakings from the rated entity for conducting surveillance & review of the rating. However, the issuer/borrower failed to submit such information before due date.

This rating is therefore being flagged as "Issuer not-cooperating", in line with prevailing SEBI regulations and SMERA's policies.

### Applicable Criteria

- Manufacturing Entities: <https://www.smera.in/criteria-manufacturing.htm>
- Default Recognition: <https://www.smera.in/criteria-default.htm>

**Limitation regarding information availability:** The rating is based on information available from sources other than the issuer/borrower (in the absence of information provided by the issuer/borrower). SMERA endeavoured to gather information about the entity / industry from the public domain. Therefore, SMERA cautions lenders and investors regarding the use of such information, on which the indicative credit rating is based.

### About the Rated Entity:

KOSCIPL, incorporated in 2004 (the erstwhile SKP Pipes Private Limited) is a Kolkata-based company engaged in the manufacture of ERW Pipe & MS Sheet. The company is expanding its current installed capacity from 18,000 MT per annum to 37,680 MT per annum apart from addition of products in the form of MS Scaffoldings and roofing sheet. The manufacturing unit is

located at West Bengal and the day-to-day operations are managed by Mr. Suresh Sharma, Pankaj Sharma and Mr. Bimal Sharma.

For FY2016, KOSCIPL reported Profit after Tax (PAT) of Rs.0.23 crore on total operating income of Rs.70.67 crore as compared with PAT of Rs.0.21 crore on total operating income of Rs.61.20 crore in FY2015.

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

Date	Name of Instrument / Facilities	Term	Amount (Rs. Cr.)	Ratings/Outlook
1-February-2017	Cash Credit	Long Term	12.00	SMERA BB/Stable (Reaffirmed)
	Term Loan	Long Term	0.90	SMERA BB/Stable (Reaffirmed)
	Letter Of Credit	Short Term	1.00	SMERA A4+ (Reaffirmed)
9-March-2016	Cash Credit	Long Term	12.00	SMERA BB/Stable (Assigned)
	Term Loan	Long Term	0.90	SMERA BB/Stable (Assigned)
	Letter Of Credit	Short Term	1.00	SMERA A4+ (Assigned)

Name of the Facilities	Date of Issuance	Coupon Rate	Maturity Date	Size of the Issue (Rs. Crore)	Ratings
Cash Credit	NA	NA	NA	12.00	SMERA BB Issuer not co-operating*
Term Loan	NA	NA	NA	0.90	SMERA BB Issuer not co-operating*

Letter Of Credit	NA	NA	NA	1.00	SMERA A4+ Issuer not co-operating*
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#### **Annexure – Details of instruments rated:**

*\*The issuer did not co-operate; Based on best available information.*

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