

No. CARE/HO/RL/2026-27/1799

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June 29, 2026

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Dear Sir,

Credit rating for Commercial Paper (CP) issue aggregating Rs.25.00 crore¹

On the basis of recent developments including operational and financial performance of your company for FY26 (Audited) , our Rating Committee has reviewed the following rating(s):

Instrument	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ²	Rating Action
Commercial Paper	25.00	CARE A1+	Reaffirmed

- The CP issue would be for a maturity not exceeding one year..
- 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 August 28, 2026. Once the CP is placed, the rating is valid for the tenure of such instrument till redemption.
- 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 Trustee/IPA	Details of top 10 investors
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Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,



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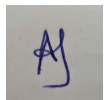
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