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National Stock Exchange of India Limited

The Listing Department, Exchange Plaza, Bandra- Kurla Complex, Bandra (East), Mumbai - 400 051.

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<u>Subject: Press Release in respect of Proposed divestment of stake in Magma HDI General Insurance Company Limited, Joint Venture of the Company.</u>

Reference: Regulation 30 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015

Enclosed herewith please find the Press Release and presentation to be made to the Investors/ Analysts on the Proposed divestment of stake in Magma HDI General Insurance Company Limited, Joint Venture of the Company.

The presentation is also being uploaded on the website of the Company at the URL https://www.poonawallafincorp.com/investor.php#financial-result in accordance with Regulation 46 of the Listing Regulations.

This is for your information and record.

Thanking You,
Yours faithfully,

For Poonawalla Fincorp Limited

(Formerly, Magma Fincorp Limited)

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Company Secretary

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Proposed divestment of stake in Magma HDI General Insurance

Mumbai, 2 November 2021: Poonawalla Fincorp Limited ("PFL") is a joint venture partner in Magma HDI General Insurance Limited ("Magma HDI"), a general insurance company registered with Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority of India (IRDAI). The other joint venture partners of Magma HDI include Celica Developers, Jaguar Advisory and HDI Global SE.

IRDAI "Registration of Insurance Companies Regulations" stipulate that a promoter of an insurance company cannot be a subsidiary of another company. Post the acquisition of PFL by Rising Sun Holdings Private Limited ("RSH") in May 2021 PFL has become a subsidiary of RSH. Accordingly, IRDAI has sought compliance from Magma HDI regarding its shareholding structure.

The Board of Directors having evaluated alternative options, and with a view to remain compliant with Regulatory requirements of Reserve Bank of India and IRDAI, has approved divestment of the Company's direct and indirect shareholding in Magma HDI.

Sanoti Properties LLP, which is held by Mr Adar Poonawalla and Serum Institute of India Private Limited; has agreed to acquire the direct and indirect stake of the Company in Magma HDI. This structure is in line with other financial services groups with NBFC and general insurance operations and will also allow a framework for continued business relationship between PFL and Magma HDI.

As part of the divestment, PFL will also divest its of 48.89% shareholding in Jaguar Advisory, which consequent to the above transaction of divestment in MHDI shares will own only cash and cash equivalent, to Celica Developers, the joint venture partner in Jaguar Advisory.

In addition to complying with the sector Regulators requirements, the divestment is in line with PFL's strategy to focus on the core lending business. By monetising the investment in Magma HDI, the Company will have full capital allocation to its core lending businesses. The proposed transactions will result in a pre-tax profit of Rs. 351.85 crores for PFL and sale of stake will result in an effective increase in Tier 1 capital adequacy ratio from 52.2% to 56.1%.

The valuation for the transaction is proposed to be at a post-money valuation of Rs 1,500 crore for Magma HDI (including the proposed equity issuance of Rs 250 crore by Magma HDI announced in March 2021, presently awaiting Regulatory approvals). Magma HDI has received a valuation report for the same from Corporate Professionals Valuation Services Private Limited, Registered Independent Valuer and PFL has a received a fairness opinion on the same from Ernst & Young Merchant Banking Services LLP. Wadia Ghandy & Co is acting as the legal advisor to PFL.

The proposed transaction is subject to the approval of the minority shareholders of PFL, and Regulatory approvals including from IRDAI and the Competition Commission of India.

Commenting on the proposed transaction, Mr Vijay Deshwal, Group CEO Poonawalla Fincorp said "With a view to remain compliant with the sector regulator's requirements and the vision to create a high RoE business, Poonawalla Fincorp had decided to exit its shareholding in Magma HDI. The monetisation of our stake in Magma HDI reinforces our strategic intent to allocate capital to our core lending business. We shall continue to derive synergies of the group companies and strengthen our business relationship with Magma HDI to generate fee income through effective cross sell of insurance products for our customers."



About Poonawalla Fincorp

Poonawalla Fincorp Limited (earlier known as Magma Fincorp Limited) is a Cyrus Poonawalla group promoted NBFC-ND-SI that focuses on consumer and small business financing. The Company started operations nearly three decades back and is listed on the Bombay Stock Exchange and the National Stock Exchange in India.

The Company's financial services offerings include pre-owned car finance, personal loans, loan to professionals, business loans, SME LAP, affordable home loans and general insurance. The Company has AUM of ₹15,275 crore and employs more than 7,000 people. The Company operates through 285 branches across 21 states, focusing on the urban and semi-urban geographies.

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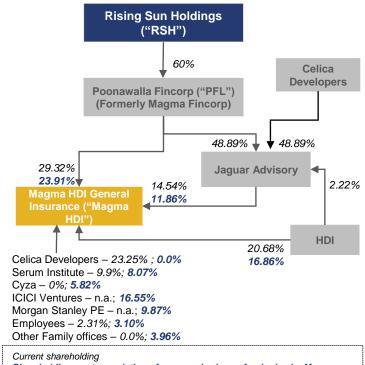


Proposed sale of stake in Magma HDI General Insurance Limited

Background of Insurance JV



- Magma HDI General Insurance Co. Ltd. ("Magma HDI") was set up as a JV between Poonawalla Fincorp Limited ("PFL"), Celica Developers, Jaguar Advisory & HDI Global SE
- On March 17th, 2021 Magma HDI entered a transaction to raise primary capital and give part exit to Celica Developers through funds from ICICI Ventures, Morgan Stanley PE, and others (subject to Regulatory and other approvals)
 - Transaction valued Magma HDI at Rs 1,200 crore pre money (implying post money Rs 1,450 crore)
- Transaction structure envisaged to enable PFL to comply with the RBI guidelines requiring maximum 50% ownership by an NBFC and its Promoter Group in an insurance company



Shareholding post completion of proposed primary fund raise by Magma HDI and secondary sale by Celica (on a fully diluted basis)

Regulatory requirements



- In May 2021, consequent to Rising Sun Holdings Private Limited ("RSH") acquiring 60% of PFL, PFL has become a subsidiary of RSH
 - Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority ("IRDAI") Registration of Insurance Companies Regulations require that an Indian Promoter of an Insurance company <u>cannot be a subsidiary</u>
 - IRDAI has written to Magma HDI seeking compliance on its shareholding structure
- Due to change in the shareholding structure of PFL, there is a need to restructure the shareholding of Magma HDI to comply with IRDAI and RBI Regulations

Proposed Shareholding Structure



Overview

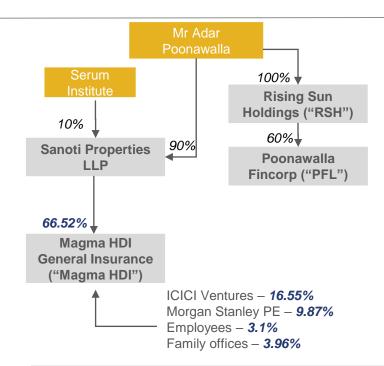
 PFL will sell its direct and indirect shareholding in Magma HDI to Sanoti Properties LLP, an entity owned by Promoter group of PFL

Advantages

- Structure addresses Regulatory issues
- Proposed structure will be in line with peers having NBFC and Insurance companies in the same group
- PFL to continue distribution of insurance products earning fee income & free up capital to be deployed at a better RoE

Considerations

 Transfer of stake to Promoter entity will need approval of shareholders



Resultant shareholding structure on completion of entire transaction of primary capital raise and consolidation of promoter shareholding (on a fully diluted basis)

Valuation Consideration



- Independent valuation from Corporate Professionals Valuation Services Private Limited, Registered Valuer
- Proposed valuation is higher than the preferential allotment price being paid by ICICI Ventures and Morgan Stanley Private Equity; which is awaiting Regulatory approvals
- Original promoters of Magma HDI exiting at same valuation (i.e. INR 1,500 crore, including the proposed equity infusion of Rs 250 crore in Magma HDI)
- Fairness opinion from Ernst & Young Merchant Banking Services LLP

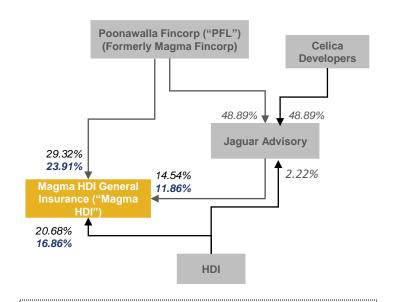


Sale of PFL shareholding in Jaguar Advisory

Background



- Jaguar Advisory is an entity held 48.89% by PFL, 48.89% by Celica Developers and 2.22% by HDI Global
- Jaguar Advisory presently holds 14.5% stake in Magma HDI & Redeemable Preference Shares of Microfirm Capital Pvt. Ltd.
- With the exit of both PFL and Jaguar Advisory from Magma HDI, the shareholding of PFL in Jaguar becomes non-core and it is proposed to exit by divesting the stake to Celica Developers, the JV partner in Jaguar Advisory
- Valuation for the same is driven by the net cash with Jaguar post divestment of Magma HDI Stake and the same has been determined by M/S Corporate Professionals; Independent Registered valuer
- Total consideration to be received by PFL from sale of stake of Jaguar is Rs 99.66 crore, which reflects the cash and cash equivalent of proportionate shareholding of PFL



Current shareholding

Shareholding post completion of proposed primary fund raise by Magma HDI and secondary sale by Celica (on a fully diluted basis)



Overall impact to PFL: Sale of stake in Magma HDI and Jaguar Advisory

Pro-forma inflow for PFL



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	Gross inflow	Gross P&L impact
1. Sale of stake in Magma HDI	361.39	252.21
2. Sale of stake in Jaguar Advisory	99.66	99.64
Total	461.05	351.85

Proposed transactions: Consideration for PFL



Regulatory view

• Fully compliant shareholding structure both from RBI and IRDAI guidelines perspective

Realignment of Capital

- Enables PFL to focus on its core lending business
- Free's up capital for profitable growth and avoids drag of initial losses in high growth phase of insurance business

Upfront cash consideration

- This would entail an gross inflow of approximately Rs 461.05 crore to PFL
- MFL's holding cost of these shares is Rs 109.2 crore, resulting a in a pre-tax profit of Rs 351.85 crore

Release of Tier 1 Capital

- As per the Capital Adequacy guidelines of The Reserve Bank of India, MFL's investment in Magma HDI is reduced from the net worth for the computation of Tier 1 capital
- Sale of stake will result in an effective increase in Tier 1 Capital from 52.2% to 56.1%

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