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The National Stock Exchange of India Limited Exchange Plaza, 5th Floor Plot No. C/1, G Block Bandra Kurla Complex Bandra (E)

Mumbai- 400 051

**NSE Symbol: HAVELLS** 

BSE Limited
Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers
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Mumbai- 400 001

Scrip Code: 517354

# Sub: CARE reaffirms Credit Ratings

Dear Sir,

In terms of Regulation 30 and other applicable provisions of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 read with corresponding circulars and notifications issued thereunder, it is hereby informed that CARE has reaffirmed the following Ratings to the facilities/ instruments of the Company viz. Havells India Limited, as follows:-

Facilities	Rating	Remarks
Long Term Bank Facilities	CARE AAA	Reaffirmed
	(Triple A)	
Short Term Bank Facilities	CARE A1+	Reaffirmed
	(A One Plus)	>
Commercial Paper	CARE A1+	Reaffirmed
	(A One Plus)	

The Rating Letters issued by CARE are also enclosed for your kind information.

Thanking you.

Yours faithfully,

for **Havells India Limited** 

(Sanjay Kumar Gupta) Company Secretary

Encl: As above













No. CARE/DRO/RL/2022-23/1863

Mr. Pardeep Gupta **General Manager - Finance Havells India Limited** QRG Towers, 2D, Sector 126, Expressway Noida Uttar Pradesh 201304

September 14, 2022

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Dear Sir,

#### Credit rating for bank facilities

1. 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 <sup>1</sup>	Rating Action	
Long Term Bank Facilities	629.49	CARE AAA; Stable (Triple A; Outlook: Stable)	Reaffirmed	
Short Term Bank Facilities	670.00	CARE A1+ (A One Plus)	Reaffirmed	
Total Facilities	1,299.49 (Rs. One Thousand Two Hundred Ninety-Nine Crore and Forty-Nine Lakhs Only)			

- 2. Refer **Annexure 1** for details of rated facilities.
- 3. The rationale and press release for the rating will be communicated to you separately.
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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.

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Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

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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)
1.	Proposed	484.49
	Total	484.49

## 1.B. Fund Based Limits

Sr. No.	Name of Bank / Lender	Rated Amount (Rs. crore)
1.	Canara Bank	60.00
2.	IDBI Bank Ltd.	25.00
3.	HSBC Ltd.	15.00
4.	Axis Bank Ltd.	15.00
5.	Standard Chartered Bank	10.00
6.	ICICI Bank Ltd.	10.00
7.	Yes Bank Ltd.	10.00
	Total	145.00

**Total Long-Term Facilities: Rs.629.49 crore** 

## 2. Short Term Facilities

# 2.A. Non-Fund Based Limits

Sr. No.	Name of Bank / Lender	Rated Amount (Rs. crore)
1.	Yes Bank Ltd.	300.00
2.	ICICI Bank Ltd.	200.00
3.	IDBI Bank Ltd.	150.00
4.	HSBC Ltd.	15.00
5.	Canara Bank	5.00
	Total	670.00

**Total Short-Term Facilities: Rs.670.00 crore** 

Total Facilities (1. A+1.B+2.A): Rs.1,299.49 crore

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Mr. Pardeep Gupta **General Manager - Finance Havells India Limited** QRG Towers, 2D, Sector 126, Expressway Noida Uttar Pradesh 201304

September 14, 2022

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Dear Sir,

## Credit rating for Commercial Paper (CP) issue aggregating Rs.500.00 crore1

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

Instrument Amount (Rs. crore)		Rating <sup>2</sup> Rating Action		
Commercial Paper	500.00	CARE A1+ (A One Plus)	Reaffirmed	
Total Instruments	500.00 (Rs. Five Hundred Crore Only)			

- 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. November 14, 2022. 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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- 5. The rationale and press release for the rating will be communicated to you separately.
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This represents the aggregate of all CP issuances of the company outstanding at any point in time.

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