

### THE RAMCO CEMENTS LIMITED

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Corporate Identity Number: L26941TN1957PLC003566

8 October 2020

National Stock Exchange of India Limited, Exchange Plaza, Bandra-Kurla Complex,

Bandra (E), Mumbai – 400 051.

Scrip Code:RAMCOCEM

BSE Limited,

Floor 25, "P.J.Towers",

Dalal Street, Mumbai - 400 001.

Scrip Code:500260

Dear Sir,

**Sub: Credit Rating** 

Pursuant to Regulation 30, read with Schedule III, Part A (A) (3) and Regulation 51(2) read with Schedule III Part B (A) (13) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, we wish to inform you that ICRA Limited, our Credit Rating Agency has affirmed AA+ (Stable) for our Company's proposed issuance of Secured Redeemable Nonconvertible Debentures of Rs.200 crores.

We also enclose Letter No: RTG/Chen/054/20-21 dated 1<sup>st</sup> October 2020 received from ICRA Limited.

This is for your information.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

For THE RAMCO CEMENTS LIMITED,

K.SELVANAYAGAM

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**SECRETARY** 

Encl: As above



## ICRA Limited

### CONFIDENTIAL

Ref. No.: RTG/Chen/054/20-21

October 01, 2020

Mr. A.V. Dharmakrishnan
Chief Executive Officer
The Ramco Cements Limited
Auras Corporate Centre, V Floor
98-A, Dr. Radhakrishnan Road
Mylapore
Chennai — 600 004

Dear Sir.

Re: ICRA Credit Rating for the Rs. 200.00 crore Non-Convertible Debenture (NCD) of The Ramco Cements Limited

Please refer to the Rating Agreement dated Sep 24, 2020 and RRF dated Sep 23, 2020 executed between ICRA Limited ("ICRA") and your company for carrying out the rating of the aforesaid NCD Programme. The Rating Committee of ICRA, after due consideration, has assigned [ICRA]AA+ (pronounced ICRA double A plus) rating to the captioned NCD Programme. Instruments with this rating are considered to have high degree of safety regarding timely servicing of financial obligations. Such instruments carry very low credit risk. The modifier + (plus) appended to the rating symbol, indicates its relative position within the rating category. The outlook on the long-term rating is **Stable**.

In any of your publicity material or other document wherever you are using the above assigned rating, it should be stated as [ICRA]AA+ (Stable). We would request if you can sign attached acknowledgement and send it to us latest by Monday Oct 05, 2020 as acceptance on the assigned rating. In case you do not communicate your acceptance/non-acceptance of the assigned credit rating, or do not appeal against the assigned rating by the aforesaid date, the rating will be treated by us as unaccepted and shall be disclosed on ICRA's website accordingly. This is in accordance with requirements prescribed by the Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) vide SEBI circular dated June 30, 2017.

Any intimation by you about the above rating to any banker/lending agency/government authorities/stock exchange would constitute use of this rating by you and shall be deemed acceptance of the rating.

This rating is specific to the terms and conditions of the proposed issue as was indicated to us by you and any change in the terms or size of the issue would require the rating to be reviewed by us. If there is any change in the terms and conditions or size of the instrument rated, as above, the same must be brought to our notice before the issue of the instrument. If there is any such change after the rating is assigned by us and accepted by you, it would be subject to our review and may result in change in the rating assigned. ICRA reserves the right to review and/or, revise the above at any time on the basis of new information or unavailability of information or such other circumstances, which ICRA believes, may have an impact on the rating assigned to you.

The rating, as aforesaid, however, should not be treated as a recommendation to buy, sell or hold the bonds, debentures and/or other instruments of like nature to be issued by you.

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As mentioned above and in accordance with the aforesaid circular you are requested to furnish a monthly 'No Default Statement (NDS)' (in the format enclosed) on the first working day of every month, confirming the timeliness of payment of all obligations against the rated debt programme.

You are also requested to forthwith inform us about any default or delay in repayment of interest or principal amount of the instrument rated, as above, or any other debt instruments/ borrowing and keep us informed of any other developments which may have a direct or indirect impact on the debt servicing capability of the company including any proposal for re-schedulement or postponement of the repayment programmes of the dues/debts of the company with any lender(s) / investor(s). Further, you are requested to inform us immediately as and when the borrowing limit for the instrument rated, as above, or as prescribed by the regulatory authority (ies) is exceeded.

We thank you for your kind cooperation extended during the course of the rating exercise. Should you require any clarification, please do not he sitate to get in touch with us.

We look forward to your communication and assure you of our best services.

With kind regards,

For ICRA Limited

SRINIVASAN

Digitally signed by SRINIVASAN RANGASWAMY Date: 2020.10.02 15:36:40

- RANGASWAMY Date: 20

[Srinivasan R] Vice President

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For <Company/ Client Name>

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### Acknowledgement

(To be signed and returned to ICRA Limited)

 $I, < Name\ of\ the\ person>, < Designation> \ on\ behalf\ of\ the\ < Company/\ Client\ name> \ hereby\ accept\ and\ acknowledge\ the\ above\ assigned\ rating\ .$ 

Name:

Date:

Note: Please return a copy of the above communication along with the acknowledgement to ICRA Limited at <address> or <email>

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'No Default Statement on the Company Letter Head'

ICRA Limited 5th Floor, Karumuttu Centre 634 Anna Salai, Nandanam Chennai - 600 035

#### Dear Madam,

- 1. We hereby confirm that as on date there are no overdues or default on our listed debt obligations. (Securities).
- 2. We hereby confirm that as on date there are no overdues or default on our unlisted debt obligations. (Securities).
- 3. We also confirm that in the month ended << Month and Year name>>, there has been no instance of delay in servicing of our listed debt obligations (Securities).
- 4. We also confirm that in the month ended << Month and Year name>>, there has been no instance of delay in servicing of our un-listed debt obligations (Securities).
- 5. We also confirm that in the month ended << Month and Year name>>, there has been no instance of delay in servicing of debt obligations guaranteed by us.
- 6. We hereby confirm that as on date and in the month ended << Month and Year name>> there are no over dues or default on payment of interest/instalment obligations on loans from banks/financial institutions.
- 7. We hereby confirm that as on date there are no over dues or default on payment of interest/instalment obligations on loans from banks/financial institutions which continues beyond 30 days.
- 8. We hereby confirm that as on date there are no over dues or default on revolving facilities like cash credit, from banks/financial institutions which continues beyond 30 days.
- 9. We also confirm that there is no amount remaining unpaid for more than 30 days from the invocation of the bank guarantee facilities or devolvement of Letters of Credit as on date/in the month ended << Month and Year name>> We also confirm that there has not been any instance of devolvement of Letter of Credit in the month ended << Month and Year name>>
- 10. We also confirm that there has been no overdrawal of the drawing power sanctioned by the bank for a period of more than 30 consecutive days in case of bank facilities which do not have scheduled maturity/repayment dates.
- 11. Details of default in payment of interest/instalment obligations on loans including revolving facilities like cash credit from banks/financial institutions and any overdraws beyond what is sanctioned by the bank, beyond 30 days as on date/ in the month ended << Month and Year name>>, in any of the above case (if any):

Name of Lender	Nature of obligation	Date of Default	Current default amount	Amount to be paid	Actual Date of Payment (if any)	Remarks
Lender1	Term Loan, CC					
Lender2						

12. Details of default in payment of principal/interest obligations as on date/in the month ended **Month and Year name**, on our listed and unlisted debt obligations (Securities), in any of the above case (if any):

Name of the Instrument	ISIN	Amount to be paid	Due Date of Payment	Actual Date of Payment	Remarks
NCD					

<Authorized Signatory of Issuer>

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