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Date: July 28, 2021

To
BSE Limited,
Department of Corporate Services
P. J. Towers, 25th Floor,
Dalal Street,
Mumbai – 400001
Scrip Code: 542759

To
National Stock Exchange of India Limited,
Listing Department
Exchange Plaza, C-1, Block G
BandraKurla Complex, Bandra (E)
Mumbai – 400051
Symbol: SPANDANA

Dear Sir/Madam,

Subject: Intimation of Credit Rating.

In compliance with Regulation 30 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, we wish to inform you that India Ratings & Research Private Limited has undertaken the following credit rating to the Company for its various facilities as detailed below on July 28, 2021:

S No.	Credit Rating Agency	Instrument	Amount (₹ in Billion)	Rating	Action
1	India Ratings & Research Private Limited	Non-Convertible Debentures (Proposed)	1	IND A/Stable	Assigned
2		Principal protected-market Linked debentures	13.75	IND PP-MLD Aemr/Stable	Affirmed
3		Non-Convertible Debentures	2.4	IND A/Stable	Affirmed
4		Bank Loans	5	IND A/Stable	Affirmed

The Rating report by India Ratings & Research Private Limited has been annexed.

Kindly take the same on your record.

Thanking you.

Yours faithfully,

For Spandana Sphoorty Financial Limited

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Company Secretary and Compliance Officer

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July 28, 2021

Dear Sir/Madam,

Re: Rating Letter for NCD of Spandana Sphoorthy Financial Limited

India Ratings and Research (Ind-Ra) has taken the following rating actions on Spandana Sphoorthy Financial Limited's (Spandana) debt instruments:

Instrument Type	ISIN	Date of Issuance	Coupon Rate (%)	Maturity Date	Size of Issue (billion)	Rating/Outlook	Rating Action
NCDs*	-	-	-	-	INR 1.0	IND A/Stable	Assigned
Principal protected-market linked debentures (PP-MLDs)*	-	-	-	-	INR 13.75	IND PP-MLD Aemr/Stable	Affirmed
Non-convertible debentures (NCDs)*					INR 2.4 (reduced from INR 2.5)	IND A/Stable	Affirmed
Bank loans	-	-	-	-	INR 5.0	IND A/Stable	Affirmed

*Details in annexure

The suffix 'emr' denotes the exclusion of the embedded market risk from the rating. Ratings of the market-linked debentures is an ordinal assessment of the underlying credit risk of the instrument and do not factor in the market risk that investors in such instruments will assume. This market risk stems from the fact that coupon payment on these instruments will be based on the performance of a reference index or equity share (detailed in the information memorandum of the issue).

PP-MLD refers to full principal protection in the equity linked notes wherein the issuer is obligated to pay the full principal upon maturity.

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We are pleased to have had the opportunity to be of service to you. If we can be of further assistance, please email us at infogrp@indiaratings.co.in

Sincerely,

India Ratings



Karan Gupta
Director



Prashant Tarwadi
Director

Annexure: Facilities Breakup

Instrument Type	ISIN	Date of Issuance	Coupon Rate (%)	Maturity Date	Size of Issue (billion)	Rating/Outlook
NCD	INE572J07232	19 November 2020	10.8	19 May 2022	INR1.40	IND A/Stable
NCD	INE572J07307	7 January 2021	11.5	7 January 2023	INR0.30	IND A/Stable
NCD	INE572J07349	31 March 2021	12.5	31 December 2024	INR0.25	IND A/Stable
NCD	INE572J07356	31 March 2021	12.5	15 September 2024	INR0.20	IND A/Stable
PP-MLD	INE572J07240	17 November 2020	-	16 February 2022	INR0.75	IND PP-MLD Aemr/Stable
PP-MLD	INE572J07299	29 December 2020	-	29 December 2023	INR0.83	IND PP-MLD Aemr/Stable
PP-MLD	INE572J07331	16 March 2021	-	16 March 2023	INR0.50	IND PP-MLD Aemr/Stable
PP-MLD	INE572J07364	29 April 2021	-	29 April 2023	INR1.10	IND PP-MLD Aemr/Stable
PP-MLD	INE572J07372	16 June 2021	-	16 December 2023	INR3.38	IND PP-MLD Aemr/Stable
NCDs	Unutilised limit				INR1.25	IND A/Stable
PP-MLDs	Unutilised limit				INR7.19	IND PP-MLD Aemr/Stable