



Date: - 5th February, 2018

The Manager,
Listing Department,
National Stock Exchange of India Ltd,
Exchange Plaza,
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Bandra – Kurla Complex,
Bandra (East),
Mumbai – 400051

The Secretary,
The Calcutta Stock Exchange Ltd,
7, Lyons Range,
Kolkata – 700001

The General Manager,
Department of Corporate Services,
BSE Ltd.,
1st Floor, New Trading Ring,
Rotunda Building,
P.J. Towers,
Dalal Street, Fort,
Mumbai – 400001

Dear Sir,

<u>Sub:- Review of Credit Rating for Rs. 400 crore Line of Credit of Phillips Carbon Black Limited</u>

We refer to our earlier letter dated 5th February, 2018 with regard to the afore-mentioned subject. With regard to the same, we would like to inform you that the previous letter from ICRA which we had received previously was erroneously dated as 5th February, 2017. We have now received the revised letter from ICRA dated 5th February, 2018.

The same is for your information and record.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

Anits Xaheti

For PHILLIPS CARBON BLACK LIMITED

K. Mukherjee

Company Secretary and Chief Legal Officer

Enclo: As above



ICRA Limited

Ref: ICRA/KOL/RA/2017-18/510

February 5, 2018

Mr. Raj Gupta
Chief Financial Officer
Phillips Carbon Black Limited
31 N.S. Road, Duncan House, 3rd floor
Kolkata – 700 001

Dear Sir,

Re: Review of Credit Rating for Rs. 400.00 crore Line of Credit of Phillips Carbon Black Limited

Please refer to our communication letters dated May 12, 2017 and November 14, 2017 communicating the [ICRA]A+ rating assigned to the captioned bank lines of your company. Also please refer your email dated January 31, 2018 requesting a review of the same.

Please note that the Rating Committee of ICRA, after due consideration has revised the rating from [ICRA]A+ (pronounced ICRA A plus) to [ICRA]AA- (pronounced ICRA double A minus) for the captioned bank lines of your company. The Outlook on the long-term rating has been revised from 'Positive' to 'Stable'.

The rating(s) assigned must be understood solely as an opinion and should not be treated, or cause to be treated, as recommendation to buy, sell, or hold the rated bank facility availed by your company.

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

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely, for ICRA Limited

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