

IL&FS Energy Development Company Limited

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Ratings

Facilities	Amount (Rs. crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Proposed Long-Term-Non-Convertible Debentures	50.00	Provisional CARE AA+ (SO); Stable [Provisional Double A Plus (Structured Obligation) Outlook: Stable]	Assigned
Total Facilities		Rs.50.00 (Rupees Fifty crore only)	

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1

Detailed Rationale & Key Rating Drivers

The rating assigned to the proposed Non-Convertible Debentures of IL&FS Energy Development Company Limited (IEDCL) factors in the Debt Service Reserve Account (DSRA) support undertaking from Infrastructure Leasing and Financial Services Limited [IL&FS; rated CARE AAA (Stable), CARE A1+] to the effect that it shall arrange for necessary funds upon occurrence of **Deposit Shortfall Event₂** and **Deposit Shortfall After Rating Event₃** to meet IEDCL's obligation to maintain DSRA in respect to the total debt servicing obligation for next servicing date, in the event IEDCL is not able to meet such DSRA obligations throughout the tenure of proposed Non-Convertible Debentures.

The rating will remain provisional till the receipt of final transaction documents such as Information Memorandum, Debenture Trustee Agreement, DSRA Support Undertaking and any other agreement and undertaking executed between the parties with respect to the Debentures and the transactions contemplated under this undertaking to the satisfaction of CARE Ratings Limited.

The rating of CARE AAA; 'Stable'/CARE A1+ of various borrowing programme of IL&FS reflects its strong institutional ownership, experienced management, expertise in the infrastructure sector, financial flexibility and demonstrated ability to offload investments successfully.

For detailed rating rationale of IL&FS, please refer to our website www.careratings.com.

Detailed description of the key rating drivers

Key Rating Strengths

DSRA support undertaking from IL&FS

DSRA support undertaking from IL&FS in the favour of the proposed debenture holders stating that it would arrange for necessary funds upon occurrence of Deposit Shortfall Event and Deposit Shortfall After Rating Event to meet IEDCL's obligation to maintain DSRA in respect to the total debt servicing obligation for next servicing date, in the event IEDCL is not able to meet such DSRA obligations throughout the tenure of proposed Non-Convertible Debentures.

About the Credit Enhancement Provider (i.e. IL&FS)

IL&FS is one of India's leading infrastructure development and finance companies promoted by the Central Bank of India (CBI), Housing Development Finance Corporation (HDFC) and Unit Trust of India (UTI). IL&FS was established with twin

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² "**Deposit Shortfall Event**": means the occurrence of event where company (IEDCL) has failed to deposit the DSRA amount in the DSRA account within a period of 45 days from previous payment date to meet Scheduled **Debt Obligation₁**.

³ "**Deposit Shortfall After Rating Event**": means the occurrence of an event where the Company has failed to deposit such amounts in the DSRA Account, within a period of 45 (Forty Five) calendar days from the Rating Event Date that would increase the balance in the DSRA Account to Scheduled **Debt Obligation₂**

mandates of providing financial services and to develop infrastructure projects under a commercial format. The shareholding pattern of the company has undergone a considerable change over the years with wider participation of other domestic as well as foreign institutional investors. IL&FS received certificate of registration as Core Investment Company (CIC-ND-SI) from RBI dated September 11, 2012.

IL&FS's income profile constitutes interest income from loans given to subsidiaries/group companies, dividend received from subsidiaries (mainly IFIN, IEDCL, ITNL and IL&FS Investment Managers Ltd.), brand fees received from group companies, rental income from business centre and profit from divestment of its exposure in group entities.

Analytical approach: For arriving at rating of IEDCL's Non-Convertible Debentures, CARE Ratings has considered credit profile of Infrastructure Leasing and Financial Services (IL&FS) Limited, which has provided DSRA Support Undertaking to meet IEDCL's obligation to maintain DSRA in respect to the total debt servicing obligation for next servicing date.

Applicable Criteria

[Criteria on assigning Outlook to Credit Ratings](#)

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[Rating Methodology: Factoring Linkages in Ratings](#)

[Rating Methodology - Infrastructure Sector Ratings](#)

[Financial ratios – Non-Financial Sector](#)

About the Company-IEDCL

IEDCL, a subsidiary in which Infrastructure Leasing & Financial Services Ltd. (IL&FS; rated CARE AAA; 'Stable'/CARE A1+) owns majority stake (89.35%⁴) is spearheading IL&FS's initiatives in the power segment and associated in various capacities with different power generation projects. The company has installed capacity of 2,803MW with additional 228 MW of solar/wind capacity under construction as on January 31, 2018 with mix of conventional and non-conventional energy sources. IEDCL's range of services includes project development, project appraisal, training & capacity building and project/programme management consultancy. IEDCL also provides advisory services to state governments, large public sector companies as well as private sector clients on all facets of power project development and implementation. IEDCL has strong capabilities in appraising of infrastructure projects and mobilizing resources for the same. The company' and its group's installed/operational capacity as on January 31, 2018 is as follows:

OPERATIONAL CAPACITY	(MW)
Wind	876
OTPC (Gas)	727
ITPCL (Coal) – U-I (600MW) & U-II (600MW)	1200
Total Operational capacity (A)	2,803
Under Construction/Implementation:	
Wind/Solar projects	228
Total (B)	228
Total (A+B)	3,031

Brief Financials- Consolidated (Rs. crore)	FY16 (A)	FY17 (A)
Total operating income	1,664.27	3,413.76
PBILD	919.07	1,784.36
PAT	(265.78)	(41.82)
Interest coverage (times)	1.00	1.23
Overall Gearing (times)	4.43	4.38

A: Audited

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Not Applicable

⁴ On fully diluted basis

Any other information: Not Applicable

Rating History for last three years: Please refer Annexure-2

Note on complexity levels of the rated instrument: CARE has classified instruments rated by it on the basis of complexity. This classification is available at www.careratings.com. Investors/market intermediaries/regulators or others are welcome to write to care@careratings.com for any clarifications.

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Annexure-1: Details of Instruments/Facilities

Name of the Instrument	Date of Issuance	Coupon Rate	Maturity Date	Size of the Issue (Rs. crore)	Rating assigned along with Rating Outlook
Debentures-Non Convertible Debentures	-	-	-	50.00	Provisional CARE AA+ (SO); Stable

Annexure-2: Rating History of last three years

Sr. No.	Name of the Instrument/Bank Facilities	Current Ratings			Rating history			
		Type	Amount Outstanding (Rs. crore)	Rating	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2017-2018	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2016-2017	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2015-2016	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2014-2015
1.	Fund-based - LT-Term Loan	-	-	-	-	-	-	1)Withdrawn (19-Aug-14)
2.	Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit	LT	50.00	CARE A+; Stable	1)CARE A+; Stable (09-Oct-17)	1)CARE A+ (03-Nov-16) 2)CARE A+ (22-Sep-16) 3)CARE A+ (17-Jun-16)	1)CARE A (29-Jan-16) 2)CARE A (09-Apr-15)	1)CARE A- (23-Dec-14)

3.	Non-fund-based - LT-BG/LC	LT	50.00	CARE A+; Stable	1)CARE A+; Stable (09-Oct-17)	1)CARE A+ (03-Nov-16) 2)CARE A+ (22-Sep-16) 3)CARE A+ (17-Jun-16)	1)CARE A (29-Jan-16) 2)CARE A (09-Apr-15)	1)CARE A- (23-Dec-14)
4.	Term Loan-Long Term	LT	1037.85	CARE A+; Stable	1)CARE A+; Stable (09-Oct-17)	1)CARE A+ (03-Nov-16) 2)CARE A+ (22-Sep-16) 3)CARE A+ (17-Jun-16)	1)CARE A (29-Jan-16) 2)CARE A (09-Apr-15)	1)CARE A- (23-Dec-14)
5.	Debentures-Non Convertible Debentures	LT	300.00	CARE A+; Stable	1)CARE A+; Stable (09-Oct-17)	1)CARE A+ (03-Nov-16) 2)CARE A+ (17-Jun-16)	1)CARE A (29-Jan-16) 2)CARE A (18-May-15) 3)CARE A (09-Apr-15)	1)CARE A- (13-Feb-15)
6.	Debentures-Non Convertible Debentures	LT	200.00	CARE A+; Stable	1)CARE A+; Stable (09-Oct-17)	1)CARE A+ (03-Nov-16) 2)CARE A+ (17-Jun-16)	1)CARE A (29-Jan-16) 2)CARE A (18-May-15)	-
7.	Fund-based - ST-Term loan [@]	ST	200.00	CARE A1	1)CARE A1 (09-Oct-17)	-	-	-
8.	Debt	LT	100.00	Provisional CARE AAA (SO); Stable	1)Provisional CARE AAA (SO); Stable (22-Dec-17)	-	-	-
9.	Debentures-Non Convertible Debentures	LT	50.00	Provisional CARE AA+ (SO); Stable	-	-	-	-

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