

L&T Finance Ltd (erstwhile Family Credit Ltd)

March 08, 2018

Ratings

Facilities	Amount (Rs. crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Commercial Paper Issue (IPO Financing)	-	-	Withdrawn

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1

Detailed Rationale, Key Rating Drivers and Detailed description of the key rating drivers

CARE has withdrawn the rating assigned to the commercial paper issue (IPO Financing) for Rs. 9,000 crore in full of L&T Finance Ltd. (erstwhile Family Credit Ltd) with immediate effect, as the company has repaid the aforementioned Commercial Paper Issue (IPO Financing) in full and there is no amount outstanding under the issue as on date.

Analytical approach: Not Applicable

Applicable Criteria

[Policy on Withdrawal of Ratings](#)

About L&T Finance Holdings Ltd. (parent company)

L&TFHL is RBI registered Non-Banking Finance Company - Core Investment Company (NBFC – CIC) and holding company for the financial services entities of the L&T group. The board and senior management of L&TFHL has representation from the senior management of L&T. The company came up with an Initial Public Offer (IPO) during FY12 and as on December 31, 2017, L&T held 64.14% equity stake in L&TFHL. The group has three key business segments, namely rural finance (comprising farm equipment, two wheeler and microloans), housing finance (comprising home loans, LAP and real estate finance) and wholesale lending (comprising infra finance and structured corporate loans).

Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	FY16 (A)	FY17 (A)
Total income	7,471	8,572
PAT(after share of profit and minority interest)	857	1,042
Overall Gearing (times)	7.79	8.55
Total Assets (adjusted for Deferred Tax assets)	63,392	71,759
Gross NPA (%)	3.05 [^]	4.94 ^{&}
ROTA (%) (PAT/Average Total Assets)	1.48	1.54

A: Audited; [^] 150 d-p-d, [&] 120 d-p-d

About L&T Finance Ltd. (erstwhile Family Credit Ltd)

L&T Finance Ltd. (erstwhile Family Credit Ltd) was originally incorporated as Apeejay Finance Group Ltd. in 1993. In September, 2006, Societe Generale Consumer Finance (SGCF), a division of Societe Generale Group, France,

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acquired 45% stake in the company and gradually increased its stake to 100% by October 2007. Subsequently, the company's name was changed to Family Credit Limited. In December 2012, L&T Finance Holding Limited (LTFHL) (rated CARE AAA;Stable); the flagship holding company for the financial services of the L&T Group acquired 100% shareholding in FCL. During March'17, L&TFHL has completed amalgamation of L&T Finance Limited and L&T FinCorp Limited with Family Credit Limited. The amalgamated entity is renamed as L&T Finance Limited. As on December 31, 2017, L&T Finance Ltd had a combined loan portfolio of Rs.35,082 crore; mainly comprising rural finance (40% of loan portfolio), wholesale finance (41% of loan portfolio), housing finance (14% of loan portfolio), other defocused products (5% of loan portfolio).

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Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	FY16 (A)	FY17 (A)
Total income	NM	4,145
PAT	NM	16
Overall Gearing (times)	NM	7.16
Total Assets (adjusted for Intangible assets and Deferred Tax assets)	NM	32,982
Gross NPA (%)	NM	6.51
ROTA (%) (PAT/Average Total Assets)	NM	NM

NM: Not meaningful; A: Audited

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Not Applicable

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
Commercial Paper (IPO financing)	-	-	-	-	Withdrawn

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.	Debentures-Non Convertible Debentures	LT	300.00	CARE AAA; Stable	1)CARE AAA; Stable (26-Feb-18) 2)CARE AA+; Positive (09-Oct-17) 3)CARE AA+; Stable (17-Apr-17)	1)CARE AA+; Stable (30-Dec-16) 2)CARE AA+ (04-Nov-16)	1)CARE AA+ (17-Nov-15)	1)CARE AA+ (27-Aug-14)
2.	Commercial Paper	ST	18500.00	CARE A1+	1)CARE A1+ (26-Feb-18) 2)CARE A1+ (09-Oct-17) 3)CARE A1+ (07-Jul-17) 4)CARE A1+ (17-Apr-17)	1)CARE A1+ (21-Mar-17) 2)CARE A1+ (30-Dec-16) 3)CARE A1+ (04-Nov-16) 4)CARE A1+ (30-Jun-16)	1)CARE A1+ (17-Nov-15) 2)CARE A1+ (22-Jul-15)	1)CARE A1+ (27-Aug-14)
3.	Borrowings-Secured Long Term Borrowings	LT	2300.00	CARE AAA; Stable	1)CARE AAA; Stable (26-Feb-18) 2)CARE AA+; Positive (09-Oct-17) 3)CARE AA+; Stable (17-Apr-17)	1)CARE AA+; Stable (30-Dec-16) 2)CARE AA+ (04-Nov-16)	1)CARE AA+ (17-Nov-15)	1)CARE AA+ (27-Aug-14) 2)CARE AA (30-Jun-14)
4.	Debt-Subordinate Debt	LT	100.00	CARE AAA; Stable	1)CARE AAA; Stable (26-Feb-18) 2)CARE AA+; Positive	1)CARE AA+; Stable (30-Dec-16) 2)CARE AA+	1)CARE AA+ (17-Nov-15)	1)CARE AA+ (27-Aug-14)

					(09-Oct-17) 3)CARE AA+; Stable (17-Apr-17)	(04-Nov-16)		
5.	Debentures-Non Convertible Debentures	LT	300.00	CARE AAA; Stable	1)CARE AAA; Stable (26-Feb-18) 2)CARE AA+; Positive (09-Oct-17) 3)CARE AA+; Stable (17-Apr-17)	1)CARE AA+; Stable (30-Dec-16) 2)CARE AA+ (04-Nov-16)	1)CARE AA+ (17-Nov-15)	1)CARE AA+ (27-Aug-14)
6.	Debt-Subordinate Debt	LT	50.00	CARE AAA; Stable	1)CARE AAA; Stable (26-Feb-18) 2)CARE AA+; Positive (09-Oct-17) 3)CARE AA+; Stable (17-Apr-17)	1)CARE AA+; Stable (30-Dec-16) 2)CARE AA+ (04-Nov-16)	1)CARE AA+ (17-Nov-15)	1)CARE AA+ (27-Aug-14) 2)CARE AA (30-Jun-14)
7.	Debentures-Non Convertible Debentures	LT	400.00	CARE AAA; Stable	1)CARE AAA; Stable (26-Feb-18) 2)CARE AA+; Positive (09-Oct-17) 3)CARE AA+; Stable (17-Apr-17)	1)CARE AA+; Stable (30-Dec-16) 2)CARE AA+ (04-Nov-16)	1)CARE AA+ (17-Nov-15)	1)CARE AA+ (27-Aug-14) 2)CARE AA (30-Jun-14)
8.	Debentures-Non Convertible Debentures	LT	350.00	CARE AAA; Stable	1)CARE AAA; Stable (26-Feb-18) 2)CARE AA+; Positive (09-Oct-17) 3)CARE AA+; Stable (17-Apr-17)	1)CARE AA+; Stable (30-Dec-16) 2)CARE AA+ (04-Nov-16)	1)CARE AA+ (17-Nov-15)	1)CARE AA+ (27-Aug-14) 2)CARE AA (01-Jul-14)
9.	Debentures-Non Convertible Debentures	LT	750.00	CARE AAA; Stable	1)CARE AAA; Stable (26-Feb-18) 2)CARE AA+; Positive (09-Oct-17) 3)CARE AA+; Stable (17-Apr-17)	1)CARE AA+; Stable (30-Dec-16) 2)CARE AA+ (04-Nov-16)	1)CARE AA+ (17-Nov-15)	1)CARE AA+ (22-Jan-15)
10.	Debt-Subordinate Debt	LT	75.00	CARE AAA; Stable	1)CARE AAA; Stable (26-Feb-18) 2)CARE AA+; Positive (09-Oct-17) 3)CARE AA+; Stable (17-Apr-17)	1)CARE AA+; Stable (30-Dec-16) 2)CARE AA+ (04-Nov-16)	1)CARE AA+ (17-Nov-15)	1)CARE AA+ (22-Jan-15)

11.	Debt-Subordinate Debt	LT	100.00	CARE AAA; Stable	1)CARE AAA; Stable (26-Feb-18) 2)CARE AA+; Positive (09-Oct-17) 3)CARE AA+; Stable (17-Apr-17)	1)CARE AA+; Stable (30-Dec-16) 2)CARE AA+ (04-Nov- 16) 3)CARE AA+ (06-Apr-16)	-	-
12.	Debt-Perpetual Debt	LT	100.00	CARE AA+; Stable	1)CARE AA+; Stable (26-Feb-18) 2)CARE AA; Positive (09-Oct-17) 3)CARE AA; Stable (17-Apr-17)	1)CARE AA; Stable (30-Dec-16) 2)CARE AA (04-Nov- 16) 3)CARE AA (06-Apr-16)	-	-
13.	Debentures-Non Convertible Debentures	LT	4400.00	CARE AAA; Stable	1)CARE AAA; Stable (26-Feb-18) 2)CARE AA+; Positive (09-Oct-17) 3)CARE AA+; Stable (17-Apr-17)	1)CARE AA+; Stable (21-Mar- 17)	-	-
14.	Debt-Subordinate Debt	LT	350.00	CARE AAA; Stable	1)CARE AAA; Stable (26-Feb-18) 2)CARE AA+; Positive (09-Oct-17) 3)CARE AA+; Stable (17-Apr-17)	1)CARE AA+; Stable (21-Mar- 17)	-	-
15.	Debentures-Non Convertible Debentures	LT	600.00	CARE AAA; Stable	1)CARE AAA; Stable (26-Feb-18) 2)CARE AA+; Positive (09-Oct-17) 3)CARE AA+; Stable (17-Apr-17)	1)CARE AA+; Stable (21-Mar- 17)	-	-
16.	Debt-Perpetual Debt	LT	250.00	CARE AA+; Stable	1)CARE AA+; Stable (26-Feb-18) 2)CARE AA; Positive (09-Oct-17) 3)CARE AA; Stable (17-Apr-17)	1)CARE AA; Stable (21-Mar- 17)	-	-
17.	Fund-based - LT-Term Loan	LT	11650.00	CARE AAA; Stable	1)CARE AAA; Stable (26-Feb-18) 2)CARE AA+;	-	-	-

					Positive (09-Oct-17) 3)CARE AA+; Stable (17-Apr-17)			
18.	Debt-Perpetual Debt	LT	150.00	CARE AA+; Stable	1)CARE AA+; Stable (26-Feb-18) 2)CARE AA; Positive (09-Oct-17) 3)CARE AA; Stable (17-Apr-17)	-	-	-
19.	Fund-based - LT-Term Loan	LT	350.00	CARE AAA; Stable	1)CARE AAA; Stable (26-Feb-18) 2)CARE AA+; Positive (09-Oct-17) 3)CARE AA+; Stable (17-Apr-17)	-	-	-
20.	Debt-Subordinate Debt	LT	625.00	CARE AAA; Stable	1)CARE AAA; Stable (26-Feb-18) 2)CARE AA+; Positive (09-Oct-17) 3)CARE AA+; Stable (17-Apr-17)	-	-	-
21.	Debentures-Non Convertible Debentures	LT	3625.00	CARE AAA; Stable	1)CARE AAA; Stable (26-Feb-18) 2)CARE AA+; Positive (09-Oct-17) 3)CARE AA+; Stable (17-Apr-17)	-	-	-
22.	Commercial Paper- Commercial Paper (IPO Financing)	ST	0.00	Withdrawn	1)CARE A1+ (16-Jan-18) 2)Withdrawn (07-Dec-17) 3)CARE A1+ (09-Oct-17)	-	-	-
23.	Debentures-Market Linked Debentures	LT	500.00	CARE PP-MLD AAA; Stable	1)CARE PP-MLD AAA; Stable (26-Feb-18) 2)CARE PP-MLD AA+; Positive (05-Dec-17)	-	-	-

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