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Trading Symbol: "KUANTUM- EQ"

Subject: Intimation of revision/upgradation in credit rating under SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirement) Regulations 2015

Dear Sir,

Pursuant to Regulation 30(6) of SEBI (Listing Obligations & Disclosures Requirements) Regulations, 2015, it is informed that CARE Ratings Limited (CARE) has reviewed the credit ratings for the Company's long term, short term Bank Facilities and Fixed Deposits, vide letter dated 29.08.2022, copy attached. The revised credit ratings are as under.

Instrument	Previous Rating	Revised Rating	Rating Action
Long term	CARE BBB; Stable	CARE BBB+; Stable	Revised from CARE
Bank	(Triple B; Outlook:	(Triple B Plus;	BBB; Stable (Triple
Facilities	Stable)	Outlook: Stable)	B; Outlook: Stable)
Short term	CARE A3+ (A Three	CARE A2	Revised from CARE
Bank	Plus)	(A Two)	A3+ (A Three Plus)
Facilities		7:	
Fixed Deposit	CARE BBB; Stable	CARE BBB+; Stable	Revised from CARE
	[Triple B; Outlook:	(Triple B Plus;	BBB; Stable (Triple
	Stable]	Outlook: Stable)	B; Outlook: Stable)
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Please take the same on record.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

For Kuantum Papers Ltd

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(Vivek Trehan)

Company Secretary

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No. CARE/DRO/RL/2022-23/1738

Shri Roshan Garg President **Kuantum Papers Limited** Village- Saila Khurd Tehsil- GarhshankarDistt- Hoshiarpur Hoshiarpur Punjab 144529

August 29, 2022

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Dear Sir,

Credit rating for bank facilities

On the basis of recent developments including operational and financial performance of your Company for FY22 (Audited) and Q1FY23 (Audited), and the possible impact of the same on the credit profile of your company our Rating Committee has reviewed the following ratings:

Facilities	Amount (Rs. crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	651.67 (Reduced from 654.61)	CARE BBB+; Stable (Triple B Plus; Outlook: Stable)	Revised from CARE BBB; Stable (Triple B; Outlook: Stable)
Short Term Bank Facilities	81.25	CARE A2 (A Two)	Revised from CARE A3+ (A Three Plus)
Total Facilities	732.92 (Rs. Seven Hundred Thirty- Two Crore and Ninety-Two Lakhs Only)	-	-

- Refer Annexure 1 for details of rated facilities. 2.
- 3. The rationale for the rating will be communicated to you separately. A write-up (press release) on the above rating is proposed to be issued to the press shortly, a draft of which is enclosed for your perusal as Annexure 2. We request you to peruse the annexed document and offer your comments if any. We are doing this as a matter of courtesy to our clients and with a view to ensure that no factual Inaccuracles have inadvertently crept in. Kindly revert as early as possible. In any case, if we do not hear from you by August 31, 2022, we will proceed on the basis that you have no any comments to offer.
- 4. CARE Ratings Ltd. reserves the right to undertake a surveillance/review of the rating from time to time, based on circumstances warranting such review, subject to at least one such review/surveillance every year.
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- 6. Our ratings do not take into account the sovereign risk, if any, attached to the foreign currency loans, and the ratings are applicable only to the rupee equivalent of these loans.
- 7. Our ratings do not factor in any rating related trigger clauses as per the terms of the facility/instrument, which may involve acceleration of payments in case of rating downgrades. However, if any such clauses are introduced and if triggered, the ratings may see volatility and sharp downgrades.
- 8. Users of this rating may kindly refer our website www.careedge.in for latest update on the outstanding rating.
- 9. CARE Ratings Ltd. ratings are not recommendations to sanction, renew, disburse or recall the concerned bank facilities.

If you need any clarification, you are welcome to approach us in this regard.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

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Dear Sir,

Credit rating for Fixed Deposit (FD) programme

On the basis of recent developments including operational and financial performance of your Company for FY22 (Audited) and Q1FY23 (Audited), and the possible impact of the same on the credit profile of your company our Rating Committee has reviewed the following ratings:

Sr. No.	Instrument	Amount (Rs. crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
1.	Fixed Deposit	45.00	CARE BBB+; Stable (Triple B Plus; Outlook: Stable)	Revised from CARE BBB; Stable (Triple B; Outlook: Stable)
	Total Instruments	45.00 (Rs. Forty-Five Crore Only)		

- 2. The FD Programme is for a tenure of 12, 24 & 36 months.
- 3. Please arrange to get the rating revalidated, in case the entire rated amount is not placed within six months from the date of this letter.
- In case there is any change in the size or terms of the proposed FD programme, please get the rating revalidated. 4.
- 5. Kindly arrange to submit us a copy of each of the documents pertaining to the FD programme.
- 6. To enable CARE Ratings Ltd. to monitor the rating with reference to the amount of FD mobilised, you may please inform CARE Ratings Ltd. when the level of deposit reaches the amount specified.
- 7.. The rationale for the rating will be communicated to you separately. A write-up (press release) on the above rating is proposed to be issued to the press shortly, a draft of which is enclosed for your perusal as Annexure 2. We request you to peruse the annexed document and offer your comments if any. We are doing this as a matter of courtesy to our clients and with a view to ensure that no factual inaccuracies have inadvertently crept in. Kindly revert as early as

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- 12. Our ratings are not recommendations to buy, sell, or hold any securities.

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