

## KOTHARI FERMENTATION AND BIOCHEM LTD.

An ISO 22000 : 2018 & HALAL Certified Company

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To,
The Manager- Listing,
BSE Limited,
Phiroz Jeejeebhoy Towers,
25<sup>th</sup> Floor, Dalal Street,
Mumbai-400001

Scrip Code: 507474

Subject: Intimation under regulation 30 of SEBI (LODR) regulations, 2015-Credit Rating

Sir,

Pursuant to Regulation 30 of SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015, we wish to state that CRISIL Ratings has reaffirmed the credit Ratings to the bank facilities as under:

Total Bank Loan facilities Rated: Rs. 44 Crores

Long-term Rating: CRISIL BB/Stable (Downgraded from 'CRISIL BB+ / Stable')

Short-term Rating: CRISIL A4+(Reaffirmed)

Reason for the Downgraded Credit Rating as provided by Credit Rating agency is as follows:

CRISIL Ratings has downgraded its rating to 'CRISIL BB/Stable/CRISIL A4+' from its 'CRISIL BB+/Stable/CRISIL A4+' due to weakened business risk profile marked by decline in operating margins. Further, the operating margins have remained negative which was on account of high material cost and other expenses.

Rating letter is enclosed. Kindly take the same in your record.

Thanking You, Yours Sincerely,

For Kothari Fermentation and Biochem Limited

Silky Gupta Company Secretary

Encl: a/a

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RL/KOTFERM/328136/BLR/1023/71047 October 06, 2023

Mr. Pramod Kumar Kothari
Chairman & Managing Director
Kothari Fermentation And Biochem Limited
16, Community Centre,
1st Floor Saket,
South Delhi - 110017
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Dear Mr. Pramod Kumar Kothari,

## Re: Review of CRISIL Ratings on the bank facilities of Kothari Fermentation And Biochem Limited

All ratings assigned by CRISIL Ratings are kept under continuous surveillance and review.

Please find in the table below the ratings outstanding for the debt instruments/facilities of the company, and the rating actions by CRISIL Ratings on the ratings as on date.

<b>Total Bank Loan Facilities Rated</b>	Rs.44 Crore	
Long Term Rating	CRISIL BB/Stable (Downgraded from 'CRISIL BB+ / Stable')	
Short Term Rating	CRISIL A4+ (Reaffirmed)	

(Bank-wise details as per Annexure 1)

As per our Rating Agreement, CRISIL Ratings would disseminate the ratings, along with the outlook, through its publications and other media, and keep the ratings, along with the outlook, under surveillance over the life of the instrument/facility. CRISIL Ratings reserves the right to withdraw, or revise the ratings, along with the outlook, at any time, on the basis of new information, or unavailability of information, or other circumstances which CRISIL Ratings believes may have an impact on the ratings. Please visit www.crisilratings.com and search with the name of the rated entity to access the latest rating/s.

In the event of the company not availing the proposed facilities within a period of 180 days from the date of this letter, a fresh letter of revalidation from CRISIL Ratings will be necessary.

This letter will remain valid till March 31, 2024. After this date, please insist for a new rating letter (dated later than March 31, 2024).

Should you require any clarification, please feel free to get in touch with us.

With warm regards,

Yours sincerely,

Himank Sharma Director - CRISIL Ratings





Nivedita Shibu Associate Director - CRISIL Ratings

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## Annexure 1 - Bank-wise details of various facility classes (outstanding facilities)

S.No.	Bank Facility	Bank	Amount (Rs. in Crore)	Outstanding Rating
1	Cash Credit	Kotak Mahindra Bank Limited	13	CRISIL BB/Stable
2	Loan Against Property	Kotak Mahindra Bank Limited	3.9	CRISIL BB/Stable
3	Non-Fund Based Limit	Kotak Mahindra Bank Limited	5	CRISIL A4+
4	Proposed Long Term Bank Loan Facility	Kotak Mahindra Bank Limited	4.6	CRISIL BB/Stable
5	Term Loan	Kotak Mahindra Bank Limited	17.5	CRISIL BB/Stable
	Total		44	

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