

River Falls Power Limited

Ratings

Facilities	Amount (Rs. in Million)	Ratings ¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	-	-	Rating Withdrawn
Issuer Rating	-	-	Rating Withdrawn

Detailed description of the key rating drivers

CARE Ratings Nepal Limited (CRNL) has withdrawn the ratings of "CARE-NP B+; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*" assigned to the bank facilities and "CARE-NP B+; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING *" assigned to the issuer rating of River Falls Power Limited (RFPL) with immediate effect. In line with the extant Securities Board of Nepal (SEBON) guidelines, CRNL has reviewed the ratings on the basis of the best available information and kept the rating on Notice of Withdrawal for six months which however, in CRNL's opinion is not sufficient to arrive at a fair rating. Therefore, after the monitoring of the ratings for six months there is no cooperation from the issuer, accordingly CRNL has withdrawn the ratings.

Users of this ratings (including investors, lenders and the public at large) are hence requested to exercise caution while using the above ratings.

About the Company

River Falls Power Limited (RFPL) is a Public limited company, incorporated on October 5, 2004 as private limited company, later on converted to public limited company in October, 2015. The company has been set up to build, own and operate 10.30 MW run-of-river, Down Piluwa Khola Small Hydropower Project in Sankhuwasabha district of Nepal. The major shareholders of the company as on July 16, 2020 are Mr. Dinesh Gurung (holding 16.12%), Ms. Mithila Shrestha (holding 9.46%) and Mr. Subhash Upreti (holding 7.36%) are major individual shareholders. The company also has 10 institutional shareholders (holding 15.02%), including Maya Khola Hydropower Company, Global Holding and Sunrise holding.

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