

August 26, 2024

JSW Steel Limited - Update on Material Event

Summary of rating(s) outstanding

Instrument*	Previous Rated Amount (Rs. crore)	Current Rated Amount (Rs. crore)	Rating Outstanding
Long Term – Fund Based - Term Loans/Standby Letter of Credit Facilities	22,905.0	22,905.0	[ICRA]AA (Stable)
Short-term Fund-based Limits	5,107.66	5,107.66	[ICRA]A1+
Short-term Non-fund Based Limits	36,603.0	36,603.0	[ICRA]A1+
Long-term/Short-term – Fund-based/ Non-fund Based Limits	11,009.34	11,009.34	[ICRA]AA (Stable)/[ICRA]A1+
Long-term/Short-term – Unallocated Limited	6,160.0	6,160.0	[ICRA]AA (Stable)/[ICRA]A1+
Non-convertible Debenture Programme	4375.0	4375.0	[ICRA]AA (Stable)
Non-convertible Debenture Programme*	466.0	466.0	[ICRA]AA (Stable)
Non-convertible Debenture Programme*	3,034.0	3,034.0	[ICRA]AA (Stable)
Commercial Paper Programme	5,000.0	5,000.0	[ICRA]A1+
Total	94,660.0	94,660.0	

*Instrument details are provided in Annexure-1

Rationale

In a recent ruling, the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India upheld the state governments' power to tax mineral rights and mineral-bearing lands under Entries 49 and 50 of List II in the Constitution's Seventh Schedule. On August 14, 2024, the Supreme Court ruled that states have the discretion to decide on the retrospective application of the tax. However, any tax demand will not impact transactions conducted before April 1, 2005. In case of retrospective tax demand, payments will be spread over 12 years, starting from April 1, 2026. Additionally, interest and penalties on demands for the period before July 25, 2024, will be waived for all assesses. The states are yet to come out with their decision on imposition of such retrospective tax.

ICRA will assess the impact of the Supreme Court ruling on JSW Steel Limited given that it is involved in mining operations and take appropriate action when further clarity emerges from the states with respect to taxation of mineral rights following the Supreme court ruling.

Please refer to the following link for the previous detailed rationale that captures Key rating drivers and their description, Liquidity position, Rating sensitivities, Key financial indicators: [Click here](#)

Analytical approach

Analytical Approach	Comments
Applicable rating methodologies	Iron & Steel Corporate Credit Rating Methodology
Parent/Group support	Not Applicable
Consolidation/Standalone	The ratings are based on the consolidated financials of JSW Steel Limited

About the company

JSW Steel, a part of the O.P. Jindal Group, manufactures iron and steel products. The company's products include hot-rolled steel strips, sheets/plates, mild steel (MS) cold-rolled coils/sheets, MS galvanised plain/corrugated/colour-coated coils/sheets, steel billet, bars and rods. As on March 31, 2024, in India, the company had a crude steel capacity of 28.2 mtpa in addition to 6.5-mtpa capacity under commissioning. The company has facilities across India in Vijaynagar, Karnataka (12.5 mtpa); Dolvi, Maharashtra (10 mtpa); Jharsuguda, Odisha (3.5 mtpa); Salem, Tamil Nadu (1 mtpa) and JISPL (1.2 mtpa). Additionally, company has a 1.5-mntpa capacity in Ohio, United States. For value-added steel products, the company has a 100% subsidiary - JSW Coated Products Limited (JSCPL) - with manufacturing facilities at Vasind and Tarapur (near Mumbai) and Kalmeshwar (near Nagpur) in Maharashtra. The company also has a plate and pipe mill business in the US and rolled products and grinding balls business in the Italy, which are operated through its international subsidiaries.

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Not applicable

Any other information: None

Rating history for past three years

Instrument	Current (FY2025)					Chronology of rating history for the past 3 years					
	Type	Amount Rated (Rs Crore)	FY2025			FY2024		FY2023		FY2022	
			Aug 26, 2024	Date	Rating	Date	Rating	Date	Rating	Date	Rating
Term Loans/Standby Letter of Credit Facilities	Long term	22,905.00	[ICRA]AA (Stable)	July 05, 2024	[ICRA]AA (Stable)	Nov 09, 2023	[ICRA]AA (Stable)	Aug 19, 2022	[ICRA]AA (Stable)	Aug 23, 2021	[ICRA]AA (Stable)
								Oct 07, 2022	[ICRA]AA (Stable)		
								Mar 02, 2023	[ICRA]AA (Stable)		
Fund-based Limits	Short term	5,107.66	[ICRA]A1+	July 05, 2024	[ICRA]A1+	Nov 09, 2023	[ICRA]A1+	Aug 19, 2022	[ICRA]A1+	Aug 23, 2021	[ICRA]A1+
								Oct 07, 2022	[ICRA]A1+		
								Mar 02, 2023	[ICRA]A1+		
Non-fund Based Limits	Short term	36,603.00	[ICRA]A1+	July 05, 2024	[ICRA]A1+	Nov 09, 2023	[ICRA]A1+	Aug 19, 2022	[ICRA]A1+	Aug 23, 2021	[ICRA]A1+
								Oct 07, 2022	[ICRA]A1+		
								Mar 02, 2023	[ICRA]A1+		
Fund-based/ Non-fund Based Limits	Long term/Short term	11,009.34	[ICRA]AA (Stable)/ [ICRA]A1+	July 05, 2024	[ICRA]AA (Stable)/ [ICRA]A1+	Nov 09, 2023	[ICRA]AA (Stable)/ [ICRA]A1+	Aug 19, 2022	[ICRA]AA (Stable)/ [ICRA]A1+	Aug 23, 2021	[ICRA]AA (Stable)/ [ICRA]A1+
								Oct 07, 2022	[ICRA]AA (Stable)/ [ICRA]A1+		
								Mar 02, 2023	[ICRA]AA (Stable)/ [ICRA]A1+		
Unallocated Limited	Long term and short term	6,160.00	[ICRA]AA (Stable)/ [ICRA]A1+	July 05, 2024	[ICRA]AA (Stable)/ [ICRA]A1+	Nov 09, 2023	-	Aug 19, 2022	-	Aug 23, 2021	-
								Oct 07, 2022	-		
								Mar 02, 2023	-		
NCD Programme	Long term	4375.00	[ICRA]AA (Stable)	July 05, 2024	[ICRA]AA (Stable)	Nov 09, 2023	[ICRA]AA (Stable)	Aug 19, 2022	[ICRA]AA (Stable)	Aug 23, 2021	[ICRA]AA (Stable)
								Oct 07, 2022	[ICRA]AA (Stable)		

								Mar 02, 2023	[ICRA]AA (Stable)		
NCD Programme*	Long term	466.00	[ICRA]AA (Stable)	July 05, 2024	[ICRA]AA (Stable)	Nov 09, 2023	[ICRA]AA (Stable)	Aug 19, 2022	[ICRA]AA (Stable)	Aug 23, 2021	[ICRA]AA (Stable)
								Oct 07, 2022	[ICRA]AA (Stable)		
								Mar 02, 2023	[ICRA]AA (Stable)		
NCD Programme*	Long term	3,034.00	[ICRA]AA (Stable)	July 05, 2024	[ICRA]AA (Stable)	Nov 09, 2023	[ICRA]AA (Stable)	Aug 19, 2022	-	Aug 23, 2021	-
								Oct 07, 2022	-		
								Mar 02, 2023	-		
NCD Programme*	Long term	-	-	July 05, 2024	[ICRA]AA (Stable); withdrawn	Nov 09, 2023	[ICRA]AA (Stable)	Aug 19, 2022	[ICRA]AA (Stable)	Aug 23, 2021	[ICRA]AA (Stable)
								Oct 07, 2022	[ICRA]AA (Stable)		
								Mar 02, 2023	[ICRA]AA (Stable)		
Commercial Paper Programme	Short term	5,000.00	[ICRA]A1+	July 05, 2024	[ICRA]A1+	Nov 09, 2023	[ICRA]A1+	Aug 19, 2022	[ICRA]A1+	Aug 23, 2021	[ICRA]A1+
								Oct 07, 2022	[ICRA]A1+		
								Mar 02, 2023	[ICRA]A1+		
NCD Programme*	Long term	-	-	July 05, 2024	-	Nov 09, 2023	[ICRA]AA (Stable); withdrawn	Aug 19, 2022	[ICRA]AA (Stable)	Aug 23, 2021	[ICRA]AA (Stable)
								Oct 07, 2022	[ICRA]AA (Stable)		
								Mar 02, 2023	[ICRA]AA (Stable)		

*Proposed; NCD – Non-convertible debentures

Complexity level of the rated instrument

Instrument	Complexity Indicator
Long Term – Fund Based - Term Loans/Standby Letter of Credit Facilities	Simple
Short-term Fund-based Limits	Very Simple
Short-term Non-fund Based Limits	Very Simple
Long-term/Short-term – Fund-based/ Non-fund Based Limits	Very Simple

Long-term/Short-term – Unallocated Limited	NA
Non-convertible Debenture Programme	Very Simple
Non-convertible Debenture Programme	Very Simple
Non-convertible Debenture Programme	Very Simple
Commercial Paper Programme	Very Simple

The Complexity Indicator refers to the ease with which the returns associated with the rated instrument could be estimated. It does not indicate the risk related to the timely payments on the instrument, which is rather indicated by the instrument's credit rating. It also does not indicate the complexity associated with analyzing an entity's financial, business, industry risks or complexity related to the structural, transactional, or legal aspects. Details on the complexity levels of the instruments, is available on ICRA's website: [Click Here](#)

Annexure-I: Instrument details

ISIN	Instrument Name	Date of Issuance	Coupon Rate	Maturity	Amount Rated (Rs. crore)	Current Rating and Outlook
NA	Long Term – Fund Based - Term Loans/Standby Letter of Credit Facilities	FY2010-FY2024	NA	FY2024-FY2032	22,905.00	[ICRA]AA (Stable)
NA	Short-term Fund-based Limits	NA	NA	NA	5,107.66	[ICRA]A1+
NA	Short-term Non-fund Based Limits	NA	NA	NA	36,603.00	[ICRA]A1+
NA	Long-term/Short-term – Fund-based/ Non-fund Based Limits	NA	NA	NA	11,009.34	[ICRA]AA (Stable)/ [ICRA]A1+
NA	Long-term/Short-term – Unallocated Limited	NA	NA	NA	6,160.00	[ICRA]AA (Stable)/ [ICRA]A1+
INE019A07415	NCD Programme	Oct 18, 2019	8.79%	Oct 18, 2029	2000.00	[ICRA]AA (Stable)
INE019A07423	NCD Programme	Jan 23, 2020	8.90%	Jan 23, 2030	1000.00	[ICRA]AA (Stable)
INE019A08033	NCD Programme	Dec 23, 2023	8.25%	Dec 23, 2027	875.00	[ICRA]AA (Stable)
INE019A08058	NCD Programme	Mar 13, 2024	8.39%	May 13, 2027	500.00	[ICRA]AA (Stable)
Yet to be Placed	NCD Programme*	NA	NA	NA	466.00	[ICRA]AA (Stable)
Yet to be Placed	NCD Programme*	NA	NA	NA	3,034.00	[ICRA]AA (Stable)
Yet to be Placed	Commercial Paper Programme	NA	NA	NA	5,000.00	[ICRA]A1+

Source: Company; *Proposed; NCD – Non-convertible debentures

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Annexure-II: List of entities considered for consolidated analysis

Sr.	Company Name	Consolidation Approach
1	JSW Steel Limited	Full Consolidation
2	Acero Junction Holdings, Inc	Full Consolidation
3	Amba River Coke Limited	Full Consolidation
4	Bhushan Power and Steel Limited (w.e.f October 01, 2021)	Full Consolidation
5	Caretta Minerals, LLC	Full Consolidation
6	Chandranitya Developers Limited (w.e.f November 04, 2022)	Full Consolidation
7	GSI Lucchini S.p.A	Full Consolidation
8	Hutchinson Minerals, LLC	Full Consolidation
9	Inversiones Eurosh Limitada	Full Consolidation
10	JSW ADMS Carvão Limitada	Full Consolidation
11	JSW Bengal Steel Limited	Full Consolidation
12	JSW Energy (Bengal) Limited	Full Consolidation
13	JSW Industrial Gases Limited	Full Consolidation
14	JSW Jharkhand Steel Limited	Full Consolidation

Sr.	Company Name	Consolidation Approach
15	JSW Natural Resources Bengal Limited	Full Consolidation
16	JSW Natural Resources India Limited	Full Consolidation
17	JSW Natural Resources Limited	Full Consolidation
18	JSW Natural Resources Mozambique Limitada	Full Consolidation
19	JSW Panama Holdings Corporation	Full Consolidation
20	JSW Realty & Infrastructure Pvt Ltd	Full Consolidation
21	JSW Retail and Distribution Limited (w.e.f. March 15, 2021)	Full Consolidation
22	JSW Steel (Netherlands) B.V.	Full Consolidation
23	JSW Steel (UK) Limited	Full Consolidation
24	JSW Steel (USA), Inc.	Full Consolidation
25	JSW Steel Coated Products Limited	Full Consolidation
26	JSW Steel Global Trade Pte Limited (w.e.f January 27, 2022)	Full Consolidation
27	JSW Steel Italy Piombino S.p.A (formerly known as Acciaierie e Ferriere di Piombino S.p.A.)	Full Consolidation
28	JSW Steel Italy S.r.L	Full Consolidation
29	JSW Steel USA Ohio, Inc	Full Consolidation
30	JSW Utkal Steel Limited	Full Consolidation
31	JSW Vijayanagar Metallica Limited	Full Consolidation
32	JSW AP Steel Limited	Full Consolidation
33	Monnet Cement Limited	Full Consolidation
34	Mivaan Steel Limited	Full Consolidation
35	JSW JFE Electrical Steel Pvt Ltd. (till Feb 07, 2024)	Full Consolidation
36	JSW Green Steel Limited	Full Consolidation
37	Periama Holdings, LLC	Full Consolidation
38	Planck Holdings, LLC	Full Consolidation
39	Purest Holdings, LLC	Full Consolidation
40	Lower Hutchinson Minerals, LLC	Full Consolidation
41	Meadow Creek Minerals, LLC	Full Consolidation
42	Piombion Logistics S.p.A	Full Consolidation
43	Nippon Ispat Singapore (PTE) Limited	Full Consolidation
44	Peddar Realty Limited	Full Consolidation
45	Piombino Steel Limited	Full Consolidation
46	Neotrex Steel Limited	Full Consolidation
47	NSL Green Steel Recycling Limited (w.e.f from September 21, 2023)	Full Consolidation
48	JSW JFE Electrical Steel Private Limited (w.e.f. February 07, 2024) (formerly known as JSW Electrical Steel Private Limited)	Equity method
49	JSW One Platforms Limited	Equity method
50	Creixent Special Steel Limited (consolidated upto July 30, 2023)	Equity method
51	Vijayanagar Minerals Private Limited	Equity method
52	Rohne Coal Company Private Limited	Equity method
53	JSW Severfield Structures Limited	Equity method
54	JSW Structural Metal Decking Limited	Equity method
55	Gourangdih Coal Limited	Equity method
56	JSW MI Steel Services Centre Private Limited	Equity method
57	JSW Renewable Energy (Vijayanagar) Limited	Equity method
58	MP Monnet Mining Company Limited (w.e.f. July 31, 2023)	Equity method
59	Urtan North Mining Company Limited (w.e.f. July 31, 2023)	Equity method
60	JSW Paints Private Limited (w.e.f. August 21, 2023)	Equity method
61	NSL Green Steel Recycling Limited (till September 21, 2023)	Equity method

Source: March 31, 2024 quarterly result note

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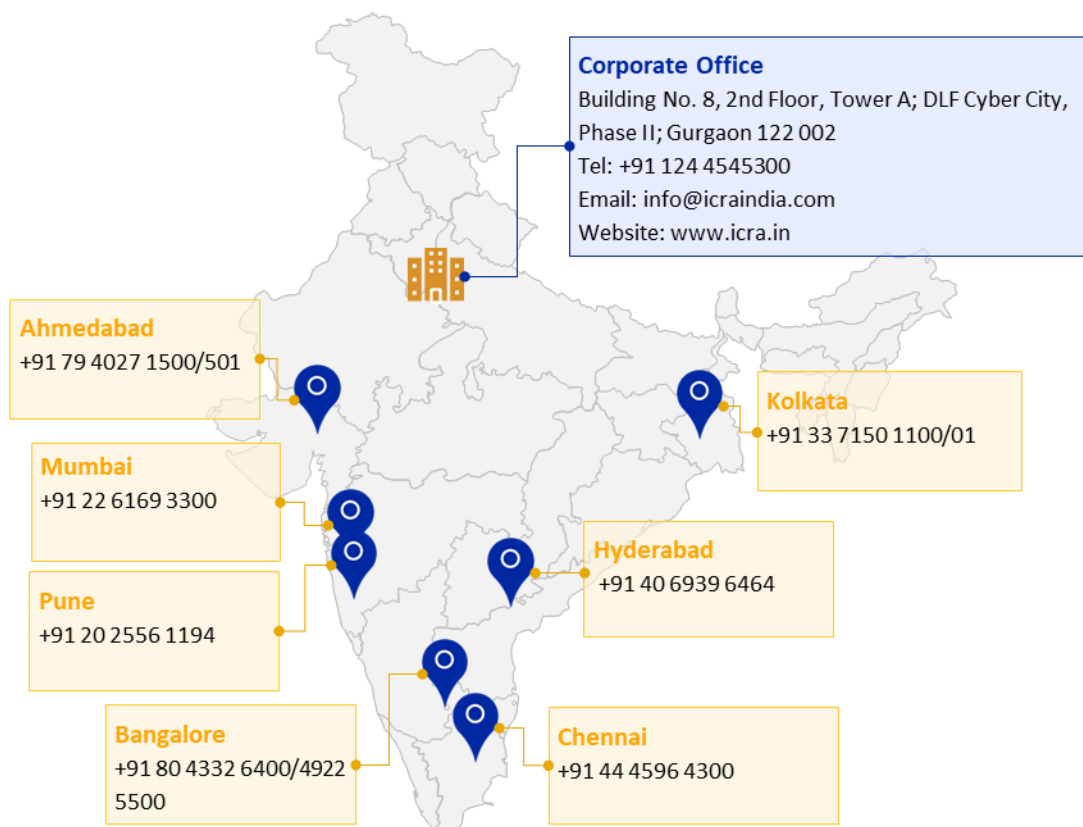


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