



October 25, 2024

The National Stock Exchange of India Limited

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Mumbai – 400 051

**NSE Symbol:** APOLLOPIPE

Department of Corporate Services/Listing

**BSE Limited** 

Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers,

Dalal Street, Fort, Mumbai – 400 001

**SCRIP Code:** 531761

Dear Sir/Madam,

Sub: <u>Statement of Deviation or Variation and Monitoring Agency Report as per Regulation 32 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 for the quarter ended September 30, 2024</u>

Pursuant to Regulation 32 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 read with SEBI Circular No. CIR/CFD/CMD1/162/2019 dated December 24, 2019, please find enclosed herewith the Statement of deviation or variation in use of proceeds raised through Preferential Issue of Convertible warrants issued by CARE Ratings Limited (Monitoring Agency) duly reviewed and approved by Audit Committee in its meeting held on October 25, 2024 (Annexure -1) and report submitted to the Stock Exchange (Annexure-2) are attached herewith.

Kindly take the same on your record and oblige.

Thanking you

Yours faithfully,

For Apollo Pipes Limited

Ankit Sharma Company Secretary & Compliance Officer

Encl: A/a

**APOLLO PIPES LIMITED** 



### No. CARE/NRO/GEN/2024-25/1061

Mr. Ajay Jain **Chief Financial Officer Apollo Pipes Limited** 37, Hargobind Enclave Vikas Marg, Karkadooma, Delhi,110092

October 25, 2024

Dear Sir,

## Monitoring Agency Report for the guarter ended September 30, 2024 - in relation to the Preferential Issue of Apollo Pipes Limited("the Company")

We write in our capacity of Monitoring Agency for the Preferential Issue for the amount aggregating to Rs. 259.60 crore of the Company and refer to our duties cast under Regulation 162A of the Securities & Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital & Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018

In this connection, we are enclosing the Monitoring Agency Report for the quarter ended September 30, 2024 as per aforesaid SEBI Regulations and Monitoring Agency Agreement dated March 14, 2023.

Request you to kindly take the same on records.

Thanking you, Yours faithfully,

Bhawna Rustagi

Bhowno Pustogi

**Assistant Director** 

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### **Report of the Monitoring Agency**

Name of the issuer: Apollo Pipes Limited For quarter ended: September 30, 2024

Name of the Monitoring Agency: CARE Ratings Limited

(a) Deviation from the objects: Nil

(b) Range of Deviation: Nil

#### **Declaration:**

We declare that this report provides an objective view of the utilization of the issue proceeds in relation to the objects of the issue based on the information provided by the Issuer and information obtained from sources believed by it to be accurate and reliable. The MA does not perform an audit and undertakes no independent verification of any information/ certifications/ statements it receives. This Report is not intended to create any legally binding obligations on the MA which accepts no responsibility, whatsoever, for loss or damage from the use of the said information. The views and opinions expressed herein do not constitute the opinion of MA to deal in any security of the Issuer in any manner whatsoever. Nothing mentioned in this report is intended to or should be construed as creating a fiduciary relationship between the MA and any issuer or between the agency and any user of this report. The MA and its affiliates also do not act as an 'expert' as defined under Section 2(38) of the Companies Act, 2013.

The MA or its affiliates may have credit rating or other commercial transactions with the entity to which the report pertains and may receive separate compensation for its ratings and certain credit related analyses. We confirm that there is no conflict of interest in such relationship/interest while monitoring and reporting the utilization of the issue proceeds by the issuer, or while undertaking credit rating or other commercial transactions with the entity.

We have submitted the report herewith in line with the format prescribed by SEBI, capturing our comments, where applicable. There are certain sections of the report under the title "Comments of the Board of Directors", that shall be captured by the Issuer's Management / Audit Committee of the Board of Directors subsequent to the MA submitting their report to the issuer and before dissemination of the report through stock exchanges. These sections have not been reviewed by the MA, and the MA takes no responsibility for such comments of the issuer's Management/Board.

Signature:

Name and designation of the Authorized Signatory: Bhawna Rustagi Designation of Authorized person/Signing Authority: Assistant Director

Bhownor Rustogi



### 1) Issuer Details:

Name of the issuer : Apollo Pipes Limited

Name of the promoters : Mr. Sameer Gupta and Mrs. Meenakshi Gupta

Industry/sector to which it belongs : The Company manufactures varieties of cPVC, uPVC, and HDPE pipes & fittings, water

storage tanks, PVC taps, fittings and solvents, etc

2) Issue Details

Issue Period : 18 months from date of allotment Type of issue : Preferential issue of Warrants

Type of specified securities : Warrants convertible into equity shares

IPO Grading, if any : Not applicable Issue size (in `crore) : Rs.259.60 crore

1) Details of the arrangement made to ensure the monitoring of issue proceeds:

Particulars	Reply	Source of information / certifications considered by Monitoring Agency for preparation of report	Comments of the Monitoring Agency	Comments of the Board of Directors
Whether all utilization is as per the disclosures in the Offer Document?	AGM approval was taken for change in objects	CA certificate*, Bank statements		
Whether shareholder approval has been obtained in case of material deviations# from expenditures disclosed in the Offer Document?	No Material deviation, AGM approval was taken for change in objects	, AGM resolution dates 25 <sup>th</sup> September 2024	##	
Whether the means of finance for the disdosed objects of the issue have changed?	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	
Is there any major deviation observed over the earlier monitoring agency reports?	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	
Whether all Government/statutory approvals related to the object(s) have been obtained?	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	
Whether all arrangements pertaining to technical assistance/collaboration are in operation?	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	
Are there any favorable/unfavorable events affecting the viability of these object(s)?	No	No	Not applicable	
Is there any other relevant information that may materially affect the decision making of the investors?	No	No	Not applicable	

<sup>\*</sup>CA certificate from Vaps & Company (statutory auditor) dated October 16,2024

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#Where material deviation may be defined to mean:

- a) Deviation in the objects or purposes for which the funds have been raised
- b) Deviation in the amount of funds actually utilized by more than 10% of the amount projected in the offer documents.

## As per resolution of AGM held on 25-09-2024 pursuant to Regulation 30 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, and all other applicable provisions), the objects have been changed as follows:

S. No.	Object	Original Amount (as per offer document) in Rs. crore	Amount revised through EGM resolution dated 29-03-2024 (Rs cr)	Amount revised through AGM resolution dated 25- 09-2024 (Rs cr)
1	Strategic investment in Kisan Mouldings Limited through subscription of preferential issue	0.00	120.00	81.00
2	Capital expenditure	159.35	39.35	39.35
3	Working capital requirement	100.00	100.00	139.12
4	Issue related expenses	0.25	0.25	0.13
	Total	259.60	259.60	259.60

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# 2) Details of objects to be monitored:

(i) Cost of objects –

	Cost or objects	Source of information /	Original cost			Comments	of the Board	of Directors
Sr. No	Item Head	certifications considered by Monitoring Agency for preparation of report	(as per the Offer Document) in Rs. Crore	Revised Cost in Rs. Crore	Comments of the Monitoring Agency	Reason for cost revision	Proposed financing option	Particulars of -firm arrangements made
1	For strategic investment in Kisar Mouldings Limited through subscription of preferential issue	certificate*, Bank statements,	0.00	81.00	Revised through AGM resolution dated 25-09-2024			
2	Capital expenditure	Chartered Accountant certificate*, Bank statements, AGM Resolution copy	159.35	39.35	Revised through AGM resolution dated 25-09-2024			
3	Working capital requirement	Chartered Accountant certificate*, Bank statements, AGM Resolution copy	100.00	139.12	Revised through AGM resolution dated 25-09- 2024			
4	Issue related expenses	Chartered Accountant certificate*, Bank statements, AGM Resolution copy	0.25	0.13	Revised through AGM resolution dated 25-09- 2024			
Total			259.60	259.60				

<sup>\*</sup> Chartered Accountant certificates from Vaps & Company (statutory auditor) dated October 16,2024

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(ii) Progress in the objects -

		Source of information	Amount		Amount ut	Amount utilised in Rs. Crore		Unutilised amount in Rs. crore	Comments of the Monitoring Agency		nts of the f Directors
Sr. No	Item Head	/ certifications considered by Monitoring Agency for preparation of report	Amount as proposed in the Offer Document in Rs. Crore	Amount raised in Rs. Crore	As at beginning of the quarter in Rs. Crore	During the quarter in Rs. Crore	At the end of the quarter in Rs. Crore			Reasons for idle funds	Proposed course of action
1	For strategic investment in Kisan Mouldings Limited through subscription of preferential issue	Chartered Accountant certificate*, AGM resolution copy, Bank statements	81.00		81.00	0.00	81.00		Nil for the quarter ended September 30, 2024		
2	Capital Expenditure	Chartered Accountant certificate*, AGM resolution copy, Bank Statements, Invoice	39.35	148.43	0.56	0.75	1.31	0.19	Incurred Rs. 0.75 crore towards capital expenditure in the quarter ended September 30, 2024		
3	Working capital requirement	Chartered Accountant certificate*, AGM resolution copy, Bank statements	139.12		65.80	0.00	65.80		Nil for the quarter ended September 30, 2024		
4	Issue related expenses	Chartered Accountant certificate*, AGM resolution copy, Bank Statements	0.13		0.13	0.00	0.13		Nil for the quarter ended September 30, 2024		
Tota		_	<b>259.60</b> @	148.43	147.49	0.75	148.24	0.19			

<sup>\*</sup>Chartered Accountant certificates from Vaps & Company (statutory auditor) dated October 16, 2024 @Out of the total issue of Rs.259.60 crore, the company is yet to receive Rs.111.17 crore.

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### (iii) Deployment of unutilized public issue proceeds:

Sr. No.	Type of instrument and name of the entity invested in	Amount invested*	Maturity date	Earning	Return on Investment (%)	Market Value as at the end of quarter
1	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable

<sup>\*</sup>As per CA certificate from Vaps & Company dated October 16,2024, unutilized proceeds of Rs. 0.19 crore is lying in preferential issue account only.

### (iv) Delay in implementation of the object(s) – Not applicable.

	Completion	Delay (no. of	Comments of t	he Board of Directors	
Objects	As per the offer document	Actual	days/ months)	Reason of delay	Proposed course of action
For strategic investment in Kisan Mouldings Limited through subscription of preferential issue		Front implementation		1	-
Capital expenditure	Latest by Mar 2026	Exact implementation schedule not available	No delay		
Working capital requirement					
Issue related expenses					

# 3) Details of utilization of proceeds stated as General Corporate Purpose (GCP) amount in the offer document:

Sr. No	Item Head^	Amount in Rs. Crore	Source of information / certifications considered by Monitoring Agency for preparation of report	Comments of Monitoring Agency	Comments of the Board of Directors
1	Not applicable	1	CA Certificate*	-	-
	Total				

<sup>\*</sup>CA certificate from Vaps & Company dated October 16,2024

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<sup>^</sup> Section from the offer document related to GCP: Not Applicable as GCP is not the defined object as per the Offer document and notice of issue.



### **Disclaimers to MA report:**

a) This Report is prepared by CARE Ratings Ltd (hereinafter referred to as "Monitoring

**Agency/MA**"). The MA has taken utmost care to ensure accuracy and objectivity while developing this Report based on the information provided by the Issuer and information obtained from sources

believed by it to be accurate and reliable. The views and opinions expressed herein do not constitute

the opinion of MA to deal in any security of the Issuer in any manner whatsoever.

b) This Report has to be seen in its entirety; the selective review of portions of the Report may lead to

inaccurate assessments. For the purpose of this Report, MA has relied upon the information provided  $\ensuremath{\mathsf{N}}$ 

by the management /officials/ consultants of the Issuer and third-party sources like statutory auditors

(or from peer reviewed CA firms) appointed by the Issuer believed by it to be accurate and reliable.

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d) The MA and its affiliates do not act as a fiduciary. The MA and its affiliates also do not act as an

expert to the extent defined under Section 2(38) of the Companies Act, 2013. While the MA has

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undertakes no independent verification of any information/ certifications/ statements it receives from

auditors (or from peer reviewed CA firms), lawyers, chartered engineers or other experts, and relies

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e) The MA or its affiliates may have other commercial transactions with the entity to which the report

pertains. As an example, the MA may rate the issuer or any debt instruments / facilities issued or

proposed to be issued by the issuer that is subject matter of this report. The MA may receive separate

compensation for its ratings and certain credit-related analyses, normally from issuers or underwriters

of the instruments, facilities, securities or from obligors.

# Annexure - 2

General information about company					
Scrip Code*	531761				
NSE Symbol	APOLLOPIPE				
MSEI Symbol	NOTLISTED				
ISIN	INE126J01016				
Name of the listed entity	Apollo Pipes Limited				

Statement(1)					
Mode of Fund Raising	Preferential Issues				
Description of mode of fund raising (Applicable in case of others is selected)					
Date of Raising Funds	10-05-2023				
Amount Raised (in Rs. Crores)	259.6				
Report filed for Quarter ended	30-09-2024				
Monitoring Agency	Applicable				
Monitoring Agency Name, if applicable	Care Ratings Limited				
Is there a Deviation / Variation in use of funds raised	Yes				
If yes, whether the same is pursuant to change in terms of a contract or objects, which was approved by the shareholders	Yes				
If Yes, Date of shareholder Approval	25-09-2024				
Explanation for the Deviation / Variation	Revision in existing object amount allocated for strategic investment in Kisan Mouldings Limited through subscription of preferential issue to woking capital requirements of the Company.				
Comments of the Audit Committee after review	NA				
Comments of the auditors, if any	NA				

Sr.	Original Object	Modified Object, if any	Original Allocation	Modified allocation, if any	Funds Utilised	Amount of Deviation/Variation for the quarter according to applicable object	Remarks if any
1	For strategic investment in Kisan Mouldings Limited through subscription of preferential issue	For strategic investment in Kisan Mouldings Limited through subscription of preferential issue	120	81	81	0	Textual Information(1)
2	Capital Expenditure	NA	39.35	39.35	1.31	0	Textual Information(2)
3	Working Capital Requirement	Working Capital Requirement	100	139.12	65.8	0	Textual Information(3)
4	Issue Related Expenses	Issue Related Expenses	0.25	0.13	0.13	0	Textual Information(4)

Signatory Details					
Name of signatory	Ankit Sharma				
Designation of person	Company Secretary and Compliance Officer				
Place	Noida				
Date	25-10-2024				