

Date: July 31, 2024

Mr. Anuj Jhunjhunwala
Chief Financial Officer and Executive Director

J.G. Chemicals Limited

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Salt Lake,
Kolkata – 700091, India

Dear Sir,

Re: Final Monitoring Agency report of J.G. Chemicals Limited for Q1 FY2025

Please refer to agreement dated February 26, 2024, appointing ICRA Limited as the Monitoring Agency (MA) for J.G. Chemicals Limited's IPO Issue.

After due consideration, ICRA has prepared the attached final Monitoring Agency report as per SEBI (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations for Q1 FY2025.

Please note that the Monitoring Agency report does not constitute a commentary on the quality of the objects of the issue, appropriateness or reasonableness of costs or spending by J.G. Chemicals Limited against any objects / heads or assurance on outcome of such spending.

We thank you for your kind cooperation extended during the course of Q1 FY2025. Should you require any clarification, please do not hesitate to get in touch with us.

We look forward to your communication and assure you of our best services.

With kind regards

For ICRA Limited

Parul Goyal Narang

Vice President & Head-Process Excellence

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MONITORING AGENCY REPORT

Name of the Issuer: J.G. Chemicals Limited

For quarter ended: June 30, 2024

Name of the Monitoring Agency (MA): ICRA Limited

(a) Deviation from the objects of the issue:

No deviation - the utilization of the issuance proceeds is in line with the objects of the issue.

(b) Range of deviation:

Not Applicable

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 we do not perceive any conflict of interest in such relationship/ interest while monitoring and reporting the utilization of the issue proceeds by the issuer. 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:

Parul Goyal Narang
Vice President & Head- Process Excellence

Analyst: Tiyaasha Dey
QA: Adrita Sadhukhan/Dhwani Vinchhi

1. Issuer Details

Name of the Issuer: J.G. Chemicals Limited

Name(s) of the promoters:

Promoters
Suresh Jhunjunwala
Anirudh Jhunjunwala
Anuj Jhunjunwala

Source: BSE

Industry/ sector to which it belongs: Speciality Chemicals

2. Issue Details

Issue Period: Opening date- March 05, 2024

Closing date- March 07, 2024

Type of Issue: Initial Public Offer

Type of specified securities: Equity shares

IPO Grading, if any: No credit rating agency registered with SEBI has been appointed in respect of obtaining grading for the offer.

Issue Size (Rs. Crore): 251.190

With OFS portion: INR 251.190 Crore; Excluding OFS portion: INR 165.000 Crore.

Net proceeds as per Prospectus: INR 149.324 Crore (Excluding Issue Related Expenses)

Note: ICRA will be monitoring Gross Proceeds of INR 165.000 crore in Q1 FY2025

3. Details of the arrangement made to ensure the monitoring of issue proceeds.

Particulars	Reply	Source of information, certifications considered by the Monitoring Agency for the preparation of report	Comments of the Monitoring Agency	Comments of the Issuer's Board of Directors
Whether all utilization is as per the disclosures in the Offer Document?	Yes	-Peer reviewed CA Certificate -Confirmation from management -Bank statements	No deviation observed.	
Whether shareholder approval has been obtained in case of material deviations [#] from expenditures disclosed in the Offer Document?	No	As confirmed by the Issuer's management	No comments	
Whether the means of finance for the disclosed objects of the issue has changed?	No	As confirmed by the Issuer's management	No comments	
Is there any major deviation observed over the earlier monitoring agency reports?	No	No deviation observed.	No comments	
Whether all Government/ statutory approvals related to the object(s) have been obtained?	No	As confirmed by the Issuer's management	Government and statutory approvals are pending as operations related to civil/construction/R&D yet to be commenced	
Whether all arrangements pertaining to technical assistance/ collaboration are in operation?	Not Applicable	As confirmed by the Issuer's management	No comments	
Are there any favorable events improving the viability of these object(s)?	No	As confirmed by the Issuer's management	As understood from the Issuer's management	
Are there any unfavorable events affecting the viability of the object(s)?	No	As confirmed by the Issuer's management	As understood from the Issuer's management	
Is there any other relevant information that may materially affect the decision making of the investors?	No	As confirmed by the Issuer's management	As understood from the Issuer's management	

[#] Where material deviation is defined to mean:

(a) Deviation in the objects or purposes for which the funds had been raised.

(b) Deviation in the amount of funds utilized by more than 10% of the amount specified in the offer document.

4. Details of the object(s) to be monitored.
(i) Cost of object(s)

S.N.	Item Head	Source of information, certifications considered by the Monitoring Agency for the preparation of report	Original cost (as per the offer document) [Rs. Crore]	Revised cost [Rs. Crore]	Comments of the Monitoring Agency	Comments of the Issuer's Board of Directors		
						Reason for cost revision	Proposed financing option	Particulars of firm arrangements made
1	<i>Investment in Material Subsidiary, viz. BDJ Oxides</i>							
(i)	<i>repayment or pre-payment, in full or in part, of all or certain borrowings availed by Material Subsidiary</i>	<i>Prospectus</i>	<i>25.000</i>	<i>Not Applicable</i>	<i>No Comments</i>			
(ii)	<i>funding capital expenditure requirements for setting up of R&D Centre</i>	<i>Prospectus</i>	<i>6.058</i>	<i>Not Applicable</i>	<i>No Comments</i>			
(iii)	<i>funding its long-term working capital requirements</i>	<i>Prospectus</i>	<i>60.000</i>	<i>Not Applicable</i>	<i>No Comments</i>			
2	<i>Funding long-term working capital requirements of Company</i>	<i>Prospectus</i>	<i>35.000</i>	<i>Not Applicable</i>	<i>No Comments</i>			
3	<i>General corporate purposes</i>	<i>Prospectus</i>	<i>23.266</i>	<i>Not Applicable</i>	<i>No Comments</i>			
Total			149.324	-				

(ii) Progress in the object(s)

S.N.	Item Head	Source of information, certifications considered by the Monitoring Agency for the preparation of report	Amount as proposed in the offer document [Rs. Crore]	Amount utilized [Rs. Crore]			Total unutilized amount [Rs. Crore]	Comments of the Monitoring Agency	Comments of the Issuer's Board of Directors	
				As at the beginning of the quarter	During the quarter	At the end of the quarter			Reasons for idle funds	Proposed course of action
	Issue Related Expenses	-Peer reviewed CA Certificate -Bank statements -Prospectus	15.676	7.303	7.111	14.414	1.262			
Objects for utilization of Net Proceeds										
1	Investment in Material Subsidiary, viz. BDJ Oxides									
(i)	repayment or pre-payment, in full or in part, of all or certain borrowings availed by Material Subsidiary	-Peer reviewed CA Certificate -Bank statements -Prospectus	25.000	25.000	-	25.000	Nil	No comments		
(ii)	funding capital expenditure requirements for setting up of R&D Centre	Same as above	6.058	-	-	-	6.058	No comments		
(iii)	funding its long-term working capital requirements	Same as above	60.000	-	8.000	8.000	52.000	No comments		
2	Funding long-term working capital requirements of Company	Same as above	35.000	-	-	-	35.000	No comments		
3	General corporate purposes	Same as above	23.266	-	-	-	23.266	No comments		
Total			165.000	32.303	15.111	47.414	117.586			

(iii) Deployment of unutilized proceeds

S.N.	Type of instrument and name of the entity invested in	Amount invested [Rs. Crore]	Maturity date	Earning [Rs. Crore]	Return on Investment [%]	Market Value as at the end of quarter* [Rs. Crore]
1.	Fixed Deposit (No. 50300942103400) with HDFC Bank Ltd	50.000	12-Aug-24	1.102	7.40%	51.102
2.	Fixed Deposit (No. 50300942039421) with HDFC Bank Ltd	50.000	12-Aug-24	1.102	7.40%	51.102
3.	Fixed Deposit (No. 50300956898567) with HDFC Bank Ltd	1.490	10-Oct-25	0.024	7.25%	1.514
4.	Fixed Deposit (No. 50300964055844) with HDFC Bank Ltd	5.000	28-Jul-24	0.056	6.50%	5.056
5.	Fixed Deposit (No. 50300970559458) with HDFC Bank Ltd	5.000	4-Aug-24	0.050	6.50%	5.050
6.	Fixed Deposit (No. 50300971857374) with HDFC Bank Ltd	5.000	11-Aug-24	0.044	6.50%	5.044
7.	Public Issue Escrow A/c Balance as on 30.06.2024	1.095	-	-	-	1.095
8.	Monitoring A/c Balance as on 30.06.2024 **	0.001	-	-	-	0.001
Total		117.586[#]		2.378		119.964

Source: As certified by S. Jaykishan

*Market Value including interest accrued till 30.06.2024

** Monitoring A/c Balance as on 30.06.2024 is INR 13,237.00

#The estimated Issue related expenses as per the prospectus stood at INR 15.676 Crore. However, the company has utilised INR 14.414 crore as on 30th June 2024. Hence, the unutilised amount of INR 1.262 crore is parked in Public issue account, Monitoring account and FDs.

(iv) Delay in the implementation of the object(s)

Object(s)	Completion date		Delay [Number of days or months]	Comments of the Issuer's Board of Directors	
	As per the offer document	Actual [^]		Reason for delay	Proposed course of action
<i>Investment in Material Subsidiary, viz. BDJ Oxides:</i>					
<i>i. repayment or pre-payment, in full or in part, of all or certain borrowings availed by Material Subsidiary;</i>	FY25	On Schedule	NA		
<i>ii. funding capital expenditure requirements for setting up of R&D Centre;</i>	FY25-FY26	On Schedule	NA		
<i>iii. funding its long-term working capital requirements</i>	FY25-FY27	On Schedule	NA		
<i>Funding long-term working capital requirements of Company</i>	FY26-FY27	On Schedule	NA		
<i>General corporate purposes</i>	FY26-FY27	On Schedule	NA		

Source: As confirmed by the Issuer's management

9. Details of utilization of proceeds stated as General Corporate Purpose (GCP) amount in the offer document

S.N.	Item Head	Amount [Rs. Crore]	Source of information, certifications considered by the Monitoring Agency for the preparation of report	Comments of the Monitoring Agency	Comments of the Issuer's Board of Directors
1	NA	Nil	-	No comments	