

No. CARE/HRO/GEN/2024-25/1040

The Board of Directors
Techno Electric & Engineering Company Limited
71, Park Street
Park Plaza
Kolkata – 700 016

14/11/2024

Dear Sir/Ma'am,

Monitoring Agency Report for the quarter ended September 30, 2024 - in relation to the QIP of Techno Electric & Engineering Company Limited ("the Company")

We write in our capacity of Monitoring Agency for the QIP Issue for the amount aggregating to Rs. 1250 crore of the Company and refer to our duties cast under Regulation 173(A) of the Securities & Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital & Disclosure Requirements) Regulations.

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 July 15, 2024.

Request you to kindly take the same on records.

Thanking you,
Yours faithfully,

Tej Kiran

Tej Kiran Ghattamaneni
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Report of the Monitoring Agency

Name of the issuer: Techno Electric & Engineering Company 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: 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.

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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.

Tej Kiran

Signature:

Name and designation of the Authorized Signatory: Tej Kiran Ghattamaneni

Designation of Authorized person/Signing Authority: Assistant Director

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1) Issuer Details:

Name of the issuer : Techno Electric & Engineering Company
 Name of the promoter : Mr. Padam Prakash Gupta
 Industry/sector to which it belongs : Civil Construction

2) Issue Details

Issue Period : July 16, 2024 to July 19, 2024
 Type of issue (public/rights) : Qualified Institutional Placement
 Type of specified securities : Equity Shares
 IPO Grading, if any : Not applicable
 Issue size : Rs.1250 crores

3) 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?	Yes	Chartered Accountant certificate* and Bank Statements	Not applicable	
Whether shareholder approval has been obtained in case of material deviations# from expenditures disclosed in the Offer Document?	Not applicable as no deviation	Not applicable	Not applicable	
Whether the means of finance for the disclosed objects of the issue have changed?	Not applicable as there was no change	Not applicable	Not applicable	
Is there any major deviation observed over the earlier monitoring agency reports?	Not applicable as this is the first report	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)?	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	
Is there any other relevant information that may materially affect the decision making of the investors?	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	

* Chartered Accountant certificate from Singhi & Co. (Peer reviewed Auditor) dated November 12, 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.

4) Details of objects to be monitored:

(i) Cost of objects –

Sr. No	Item Head	Source of information / certifications considered by Monitoring Agency for preparation of report	Original cost (as per the placement Document) in Rs. Crore	Revised Cost in Rs. Crore	Comments of the Monitoring Agency	Comments of the Board of Directors		
						Reason for cost revision	Proposed financing option	Particulars of firm arrangements made
1	Investment in the subsidiary NERES XVI Power Transmission Limited, and in NERGS-I Power Transmission Limited for funding EPC works for TBCB projects.	Chartered Accountant certificate*	400.00	400.00	In line with the objects in placement document			
2	Investment in Subsidiaries, Techno AMI Solutions 1 Private Limited and Techno AMI Solutions 2 Private Limited, for funding EPC works for AMI projects.	Chartered Accountant certificate*	200.00	200.00	In line with the objects in placement document			
3	Investment in our Subsidiary, Techno Infra Developers Private Limited, for funding EPC works for our data center situated in Chennai.	Chartered Accountant certificate*	350.00	350.00	In line with the objects in placement document			
4	General corporate purposes (GCP)	Chartered Accountant certificate*	273.81	273.81	In line with the objects in placement document			
Total			1,223.81	1,223.81				

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(ii) Progress in the objects –

Sr · No	Item Head	Source of information / certification s considered by Monitoring Agency for preparation of report	Amount as proposed in the placement Document in Rs. Crore	Amount utilised in Rs. Crore			Total unutilised amount in Rs. crore	Comments of the Monitoring Agency	Comments of the Board of Directors	
				As at begin ning of the quart er 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	Investment in the subsidiary NERES XVI Power Transmission Limited, and in NERGS-I Power Transmission Limited for funding EPC works for TBCB projects.	Chartered Accountant certificate*	400.00	-	6.96	6.96	393.04	The company utilized Rs.6.96 crore during Q2FY25 towards investment in the subsidiary NERES XVI Power Transmission Limited and in NERGS-I Power Transmission Limited for funding EPC works for TBCB projects, in line with objects of the offer.		
2	Investment in Subsidiaries, Techno AMI Solutions 1 Private Limited and Techno AMI Solutions 2 Private Limited, for funding EPC works for AMI projects.	Chartered Accountant certificate*	200.00	-	-	-	200.00	The company has not incurred any expenses under the item head during Q2FY25.		
3	Investment in our Subsidiary, Techno Infra Developers Private Limited, for funding EPC works for our data center situated in Chennai.	Chartered Accountant certificate*	350.00	-	-	-	350.00	The company has not incurred any expenses under the item head during Q2FY25.		

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				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
4	General corporate purposes (GCP)	Chartered Accountant certificate*	273.81	-	202.76	202.76	71.05	Out of the Rs. 273.81 crore, Rs. 202.76 crores have been spent during Q2FY25 towards vendors payments in line with the object of the offer.		
Total			1,223.81	0.00	209.73	209.73	1,014.09@			

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@ Including the unutilized issue related expenses of Rs.1.34 crore, the total unutilized funds as on Sept. 30, 2024, stood at Rs. 1,015.43 crores

(iii) Deployment of unutilized proceeds:

Sr. No.	Type of instrument and name of the entity invested in*	Amount invested (in Rs. Crore)	Maturity date	Earning (in Rs. Crore)	Return on Investment@ (%)	Market Value as at the end of quarter (in Rs. Crore)
1.	Kotak Savings Fund-Dir Plan-Gr	132.34	-	1.75	1.32%	134.09
2.	Kotak Liquid Direct Growth	12.07	-	0.04	0.35%	12.11
3.	DSP (Ultra Short Fund -Dir-G)	70.12	-	0.93	1.34%	71.06
4.	HDFC Ultra Short Fund - Dir Gr)	208.31	-	2.77	1.33%	211.08
5.	HDFC Overnight Fund-DP-Gro	15.55	-	0.06	0.43%	15.62
6.	ICICI (Ultra Short Term Fund DP Growth)	286.16	-	3.83	1.34%	290.00
7.	Axis Ultra Short Duration Fund - Direct Growth	287.15	-	3.90	1.36%	291.06
8.	Balance in monitoring account	2.06	-	-	-	2.06
9.	Transferred to Citi bank account	1.61		-	-	1.61
	Total	1,015.43		13.31	1.32%	1,028.74

@ Absolute return on investments

* Section from the placement document related to deployment of unutilised funds:

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“Pending utilisation of the Net Proceeds towards the purposes described in this section, our Company intends to deposit the Net Proceeds in one or more scheduled commercial banks included in the Second Schedule of the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934 or to temporarily invest the funds in creditworthy instruments, including money market/mutual funds, as approved by the Board and/or a duly authorized committee of the Board, from time to time, and in accordance with applicable laws.”

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

Objects	Completion Date		Delay (no. of days/ months)	Comments of the Board of Directors	
	As per the offer document	Actual		Reason of delay	Proposed course of action
Investment in the subsidiary NERES XVI Power Transmission Limited, and in NERGS-I Power Transmission Limited for funding EPC works for TBCB projects.	Rs.200 crores in FY25 Rs.200 crores in FY26	Ongoing	NA		
Investment in Subsidiaries, Techno AMI Solutions 1 Private Limited and Techno AMI Solutions 2 Private Limited, for funding EPC works for AMI projects.	FY25	Ongoing	NA		
Investment in our Subsidiary, Techno Infra Developers Private Limited, for funding EPC works for our data center situated in Chennai.	FY25	Ongoing	NA		
General corporate purposes (GCP)	FY25	Ongoing	NA		

5) Details of utilization of proceeds stated as General Corporate Purpose (GCP) amount in the placement 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	Payments to various vendors	202.76	Chartered Accountant certificate*	Amount of Rs. 202.76 crore utilised under various item heads are as per the provisions of placement document. Section from the placement document related to GCP is presented below ^	NA
	Total	202.76			

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[^] Section from the placement document related to GCP:

“The Net Proceeds will first be utilized towards the Objects as set out above. Subject to this, our Company intends to deploy ₹27,381.44 lakhs towards general corporate purposes and the business requirements of our Company, as approved by our management, from time to time, subject to such utilization for general corporate purposes not exceeding 25% of the Gross Proceeds, in compliance with the circular bearing reference no. NSE/ CML/2022/56 dated December 13, 2022, issued by NSE and circular no. 20221213-47 dated December 13, 2022, issued by BSE. Such general corporate purposes might include but not be restricted to, meeting fund requirements which our Company may face in the ordinary course of business, or meeting exigencies and expenses, repayment or prepayment of our borrowings, strategic initiatives, partnerships, tie-ups, joint ventures or acquisitions, investment in our Subsidiaries/SPVs, and any other purpose as may be approved by our Board or a duly appointed committee from time to time, subject to compliance with the necessary provisions of the Companies Act, 2013. Further, our management shall have flexibility in utilising surplus amounts, if any, in accordance with applicable laws.”

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