

Requirement of External Credit Rating

As a part of upgrading credit origination system, IREDA has introduced the requirement of credit rating for seeking / availing credit facilities from IREDA, from independent external credit rating agencies. An **“IREDA Credit Rating Model for Renewable Energy Financing”** has, accordingly, been developed specifically for the purpose, in co-ordination with credit rating agencies, viz. CRISIL, Credit Analysis & Research Ltd. (CARE), India Rating & Research (Fitch), ICRA Ltd. and Brickwork Rating. Subsequently, SMERA Ratings Limited has also been included as one of the rating agencies. The model incorporates standardized parameters and criteria aimed at ensuring consistency and objectivity in evaluation. Those prospective borrowers / customers who are required to obtain the external credit rating would be free to obtain the rating in terms of the above **“IREDA Credit Rating Model for Renewable Energy Financing”**, from any of the external credit rating agencies and shall make payment of the fees to the credit rating agencies directly.

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