News Release



Japan Credit Rating Agency, Ltd

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Japan Credit Rating Agency, Ltd. (JCR) announces the following credit rating.

<a>Asset Securitization Products> Elva Funding PLC Series 2021-16

<Assignment>

Notes: AA-

Elva Funding PLC Series 2021-16 is a credit-linked product, to which JCR has assigned a rating of AA-, as detailed hereunder.

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Rating

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Instrument Name: Series 2021-16

Issue Amount (bn): JPY 2.0 Subordination ratio: NA

Scheduled Redemption Date*: July 5, 2028
Coupon Type: Fixed
Rating: AA-

* (Note) Extension of the Redemption Date: The Scheduled Redemption Date may be extended upon the occurrence of certain events (de facto Final Redemption Date).

<Information on Outline of Issue>

Issue Date: July 27, 2021

Coupon Payment Dates: January 5 and July 5 every year

Redemption Method: Bullet Redemption

Credit Enhancement & Liquidity Facility: NA

<Information on Structure and Stakeholders>

SPC: Elva Funding PLC

Arranger: Morgan Stanley MUFG Securities Co., Ltd. Swap Counterparty: Morgan Stanley & Co. International plc

Resident Country of Reference Entity: Undisclosed Industry of Reference Entity: Undisclosed Issuer Rating of Reference Entity: Undisclosed

<Information on Underlying Assets>

Outline of Underlying Assets: Swap Agreement

Rating Assignment Date: July 27, 2021

The assumptions for the credit ratings and the definitions of the rating symbols are published as "Types of Credit Ratings and Definitions of Rating Symbols" (January 6, 2014) in Information about JCR Ratings on JCR's website (https://www.jcr.co.jp/en/).

Outline of the rating methodology is shown as "Credit-Linked Products" (December 3, 2012) in Information about JCR Ratings on JCR's website (https://www.jcr.co.jp/en/). Rating methodologies for other ancillary points such as eligible deposit accounts and bankruptcy remoteness are also shown within the same page.

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