



GRAND CONTINENT HOTELS LTD

[Formerly Known As Grand Continent Hotels Private Limited]

13.05.2026

To,
Listing Manager,
National Stock Exchange of India Limited
Exchange Plaza, C-1 Block G
Bandra Kurla Complex,
Bandra (E) Mumbai – 400051, India
Symbol: GCHOTELS
ISIN No: INE12E301017

Subject: Monitoring Agency Report for the Period ended 31st March 2026 in relation to utilization of funds raised through Initial Public Issue of Grand Continent Hotels Limited (“the Company”).

Dear Sir/ Madam,

Pursuant to Regulation 32 (6) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, and Regulation 262(1) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018, as amended from time to time, we are enclosing herewith the Monitoring Agency Report dated May 13, 2026, issued by Acuite Ratings & Research Limited (Monitoring Agency), for the Period ended March 31, 2026, in respect of the utilization of proceeds of the Initial Public Offer of the Company.

The said information is also being made available on the website of the Company at www.grandcontinenthotels.com.

Thanking you,

**For Grand Continent Hotels Limited
(Formerly known as Grand Continent Hotels Private Limited)**

**Uma Jhavar
Company Secretary and Compliance officer**

Report of the Monitoring Agency (MA)

Name of the issuer	: Grand Continent Hotels Limited
For quarter ended	: H2, FY2025-26
Name of the Monitoring Agency	: Acuite Ratings and Research Limited
(a) Deviation from the objects	: No deviation is observed.
(b) Range of Deviation	: Not Applicable
(c) Any other material fact to be highlighted	: None

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.

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Vikas Mishra
Deputy Vice President - Process Excellence

1. Issuer Details:

Name of the issuer : Grand Continent Hotels Limited

Names of the promoter:

Promoters
Mr. Ramesh Siva
Mrs. Vidya Ramesh

Industry/sector to which it belongs : Hotels & Resorts / Consumer Services

2. Issue Details:

Issue Period : March 20, 2025 to March 24, 2025

Type of issue : Public Issue

Type of specified securities : Equity Share

IPO Grading, if any : Not Applicable

Issue size : INR 70.74 Cr.

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

Particulars	Reply from the issuer	Source of information/ certifications considered by Monitoring Agency for preparation of report	Comments of the Monitoring Agency	Comments the Board of Directors
1. Whether all utilization is as per the disclosures in the Offer Document?	Yes	Documents provided by the issuer, Bank Statement, Invoices and Statutory Auditors Certificate etc.	No. Kindly refer the section 4.ii.1	No Comments
2. Whether shareholder approval has been obtained in case of material deviations from expenditures disclosed in the Offer Document?	Yes		Rameswaram has been selected as the project location in place of Vellore, for which shareholder approval was not obtained.	Due to delays in the originally planned project, the Company has temporarily utilized the funds for operational requirements in the ordinary course of business.
3. Whether the means of finance for the disclosed objects of the issue has changed?	Not Applicable		No change is observed.	No Comments
4. Is there any major deviation observed over the earlier monitoring agency reports?	Not Applicable		The issuer had not appointed any other Monitoring Agency earlier.	No Comments
5. Whether all Government/statutory approvals related to the object(s) have been obtained?	Not Applicable		No Government/Statutory approval is required for objects.	No Comments
6. Whether all arrangements pertaining to technical assistance/collaboration are in operation?	Not Applicable		No arrangement pertaining to technical assistance / collaboration is required with reference to the object.	No Comments
7. Are there any favorable events improving the viability of these object(s)?	Not Applicable		No favorable event is observed that may improve the viability of these objects.	No Comments
8. Are there any unfavorable events affecting the viability of the object(s)?	Not Applicable		No unfavorable event is observed affecting the viability of these objects.	No Comments
9. Is there any other relevant information that may materially affect the decision making of the investors?	No		No relevant information is evident that may materially affect the decision making of the investors.	No Comments

4. Details of object(s) to be monitored:

i. Cost of object(s)

Sr. No.	Item Head	Source of information / certifications considered by Monitoring Agency for preparation of report	Original cost (as per the Offer Document) [INR Cr.]	Revised Cost	Comments of the Monitoring Agency	Comments of the Board of Directors		
						Reason of Cost revision	Proposed financing option	Particulars of firm arrangement
1	Growth Capital	As per the documents provided by the issuer, including Independent Auditors Certificate.	16.79	-	No change is observed.	No Change	No Change	No Change
2	Debt Repayment		34.08	-	No change is observed.	No Change	No Change	No Change
3	General Corporate Purposes		10.37	-	No change is observed.	No Change	No Change	No Change
4	Issue Expenses		9.50	-	No change is observed.	No Change	No Change	No Change
	Total		70.74	-				

ii. Progress in the object(s) –

Sr. No.	Item Heads	Source of information / certifications considered by the Monitoring Agency for the preparation of report	Amount as proposed in the Offer Document [INR Cr.]	Amount raised [INR Cr.]	Amount utilized [INR Cr.]			Total unutilized amount [INR Cr.]	Comments of the Monitoring Agency	Comments of the Issuer's Board of Directors	
					As at beginning of HY ended March 2026	During the HY ended March 2026	At the end of the HY ended March 2026			Reasons for idle funds	Proposed course of action
1	Growth Capital		16.79	16.79	14.59	2.20	16.79	Nil	The total utilisation towards this object INR 2.20 Crores, the company has utilized INR 0.82 crores towards the project at Rameswaram, whereas the originally proposed project location was Vellore during the reporting period.	No Change	No Change
2	Debt Repayment	Documents provided by the issuer, including Annual reports, Bank Statement and Independent Auditors Certificate issued by the M/s Bhuta Shah & Co. LLP.	34.08	34.08	33.72	-	33.72	Nil	Refer the comment on General Corporate Purposes below.	No Change	Company has taken shareholder approval for reallocation of Surplus fund from repayment of borrowing.
3	General Corporate Purposes		10.37	10.37	10.23	0.50	10.73	Nil	The company has over utilised the amount proposed in the offer document by INR 0.36 Crores and utilised funds earmarked for Debt Repayment to cover the excess.	No Change	No Change
4	Issue Expenses		9.50	9.50	9.48	-	9.48	0.02			
	Total		70.74	70.74	68.02	2.70	70.72	0.02			

iii. **Deployment of unutilised IPO/FPO/Rights Issue Proceeds:** Not Applicable

Sr. No.	Type of instrument and name of the entity invested in	Amount invested [INR Cr.]	Maturity date	Earning [INR Cr.]	Return on Investment (%)	Market Value as at the end of quarter [INR Cr.]
-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Total	-	-	-	-	-

iv. **Delay in implementation of the object(s):** Not Applicable

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

Sr. No.	Item Head	Amount [INR Cr.]	Source of information/certifications considered by Monitoring Agency for preparation of report	Comments of The Monitoring Agency	Comments of the Board of Directors
1	New Projects	7.43	As per the documents provided by the issuer, including Bank Statements, invoices and Independent Auditors Certificate.	No Comments	No Change
2	Working Capital	2.66			
3	Loan Foreclosure Cost	0.64			
	Total	10.73			

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