

# **CMBI Credit Commentary – GZRFPR**

# **GZRFPR:** The consent solicitation and scheme

## GZRFPRs priced in another around of liability management

The estimates of FV/recovery analysis ratio could be arbitrary given GZRF has yet to announce FY21 results. That said, the GZRFPR curve, trading at 20ish, is largely flat and in line with those of peers went/are going through debt restructuring. In our view, the current valuation of GZRFPRs have priced in maturity extension with limited cash inflow of the coming 18 months, as well as the execution risk of the debt restructuring plan. Recalled that GZRF would announce its FY21 results by the end of Jun'22 and resolution on the appointment of BDO as its new auditor was just passed on 10 June'22. We see limited options for USD bondholders outside the consent or the scheme, though both options appear far from ideal, especially, factoring into the limited cash inflow over the coming 18 months and lower coupon rate for most of the existing USD bondholders.

Accrual New principal New USD Principal Ticker ISIN interests amount with coupon amount (mn) capitalized capitalized interests rate Group A GZRFPR 5 3/4 07/13/22 XS1545743442 608.63 6.5% in 2.84 625.93 cash /7.5% GZRFPR 9 1/8 07/28/22 XS1940202952 288.00 4.13 299.90 in PIK (first GZRFPR 12 3/8 11/18/22 XS2255777224 360.00 1.82 366.56 18 months) Sub-total 1,256.63 1,292.39 % of total USD bonds o/s 25% 0.88 6.5% in Group B GZRFPR 5 7/8 02/13/23 XS1720054383 587.00 592.17 cash /7.5% GZRFPR 8 1/8 02/27/23 XS1956133893 875.00 3.02 901.46 in PIK (first GZRFPR 11 3/4 08/02/23 XS2293918285 675.00 5.19 710.03 18 months) Sub-total 2.137.00 2,203.67 % of total USD bonds o/s 43% 6.5% in GZRFPR 8 5/8 02/27/24 3.21 Group C XS1956169657 375.00 387.04 cash /7.5% GZRFPR 8 5/8 03/05/24 XS2125172085 400.00 3.02 412.08 in PIK (first GZRFPR 8 1/8 07/11/24 XS2025848297 450.00 4.06 468.28 18 months) GZRFPR 11 5/8 09/03/24 XS2307743075 325.00 4.13 338.43 1,550.00 1,605.83 Sub-total % of total USD bonds o/s 31% Total 4 943 63 5 102

GZRF proposes to collapse 10 outstanding USD bonds into 3 tranches: Group A (originally maturing in 2022); Group B (originally maturing in 2023) and Group C (originally maturing in 2024), and extend maturities of them for 3-4 years, as well as adjust the coupon rate to 6.5%. GZRF can elect PIK for coupon payments in the first 18 months after the effective date (expected to be on 12 Jul'22). Accrued interests for existing bonds will be capitalized. Hence, there could be very limited cash inflow (0.5pts per 100 consent fee) for holders in the 18 months after debt restructuring unless GZRF can dispose of the specified assets (Princess Cove in Malaysia and One Nine Elms in London). Our rough estimate of the net

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### If consent not secured, scheme will follow

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asset value of these assets is cUSD900mn, c18% of the total outstanding amount of new bonds. We understand that GZRF's priority is to develop these projects and extract the highest value instead of divesting these projects immediately.

If GZRF fails to secure the requisite consent, it could turn to a scheme which would collapse 10 USD into 1 tranche and extend the maturity for 6 years. See below for the comparisons of the consent and the scheme.

Key terms and dates of the consent:-

- Consent fee: 0.5
- Consent expiry date: 7 Jul'22
- RSA expiry date: 8 Jul'22
- Approval threshold: 75% of holders in principal amount in EGM with a meeting quorum of 66% of holders in principle amount of each of the 10 USD bonds
- Specified assets: Princess Cove in Malaysia and One Nine Elms in London

#### Consent or scheme? What holders of 2024 bonds will prefer?

	Consent			Scheme
Minimum mandatory redemption (by month)	Group A	Group B	Group C	
24th	25%			
30th	60%	5%		
36th		10%	5%	14%
42th		30%	15%	28%
48th		50%	25%	42%
54th		70%	40%	56%
60th			60%	70%
66th			80%	84%
Coupon				
Cash	6.50%	6.50%	6.50%	5.50%
PIK (only in the first 18th month)	7.50%	7.50%	7.50%	6.50%

Compared with the consent, coupon rate of the scheme is 1pct pt. lower. The amortization timetable for the consent is notably slower than those of Group A and B but faster than that of Group C. Hence, one of the keys for the consent to go through is whether the holders of 2024 bonds will prefer the scheme instead of the consent.

If the scheme will be the way out, the process could take months to finish, taking cues from the case of Modern Land which secured requisite support for its RSA in late Mar'22 and the restructuring is expected to complete only by mid Jul'22. GZRF has yet to specify the timetable for the scheme but the long-stop date of the scheme is on 23 Jan'23.

#### NPV estimates for sake of discussions

Discount rate	15.0%	20.0%	25.0%	30.0%	35.0%	40.0%	45.0%	50.0%
Group A	84.11	75.55	68.18	61.79	56.23	51.36	47.08	43.29
Group B	75.63	64.09	54.76	47.15	40.87	35.67	31.31	27.64
Group C	72.49	60.07	50.28	42.47	36.19	31.08	26.89	23.42
Scheme	70.96	59.47	50.31	42.93	36.93	32.00	27.92	24.51

As we wrote below, FV/recovery analysis could be arbitrary as we are lack of the even latest financials. For the sake of discussion, we use a wide spectrum of discount rates and assume GZRF will elect PIK in the first 18-month. From the table above, we can tell current valuation of GZRFPRs priced in a deep discount rate, and even a significant risk of scheduled redemption will not be met in a timely manner.

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