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Alert: Q2-FY11 Posts QoQ Decline in Earnings

- Revenues decline QoQ 2Q revenue of Rs3.7bn down 17% QoQ and PAT of Rs2.1bn down 9% QoQ. On YoY basis, revenue grew 5% given low base effect (Q2FY10 was one of their weakest quarters). EBITDA margins improved to 63.7% vs 59.3% in Q1 on account of reduction in construction costs.
- TDR contributes to ~80-90% of 2QFY11 revenue TDR sales slowed to 1.0msf (vs. 1.1msf in Q1Fy11 and 1.7msf in 2QFY10) albeit at higher prices of avg Rs3000/sf (vs. Rs2300/sf in 2QFY10 and Rs 2,950/sf in Q1FY11). Management sees TDR prices and volumes to remain strong, as the government notice on additional 0.33 FSI hasn't come in yet. They expect realizations to consolidate at Rs 3200-3500 levels. Co. has sold ~12msf till date and holds 0.3msf in inventory currently.

Figure 1. Q2-FY11 Result Snapshot (in Rs millions)

	2QFY10	1QFY11	2QFY11	QoQ	YoY
Revenues	3537	4509.2	3726.5	-17%	5%
Operating Expenses	1740	1835.4	1354.3		
EBITDA	1797	2673.8	2372.2	-11%	32%
EBITDA Margin	50.8%	59.3%	63.7%		
Interest	185	214.5	211.9	-1%	15%
Other Income	273.5	342.2	338.8	-1%	24%
Depreciation	9.4	19.2	16	-17%	70%
PBT	1876.1	2782.3	2483.1	-11%	32%
Tax	390.2	439	345.3	-21%	-12%
% Tax	20.8%	15.8%	13.9%		
PAT	1485.9	2343.3	2137.8	-9%	44%

Source: Company Reports

- While MIAL is going slow, aggressive launch pipeline is in place.
- MIAL rehab project is seeing relocation challenges as per press reports with families refusing to move. Company states currently ~33,000 rehab units are under construction (~12msf in area, of which 8.5msf is >75% complete) and believe that relocation would begin to Kurla in < 1 month for 7,000 units which are ready. Overall Ph-I handover to MMRDA to happen by Mar-11.
- Management is looking to launch 27msf (phased launches in larger projects like Kochi and Palghar) in the next 6-months to take their residential portfolio to 35msf in 2-years time from the first launch.

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Company Update

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■ Details on land bank added + Other Conf Call Highlights —

- Novinon project to add 13msf of resi development to land bank. Co. has spent Rs 1.0b towards land costs (clearing labour dues etc). There are three parcels of land within this Tarapore, Baroda and Shahad. Co. is planning to only develop the latter under its umbrella and exit/monetize the other two. In Shahad, they are looking to build rental housing.
- In Q2, Co. applied for redevelopment of MotilalNagar under Swiss challenge to MHADA, whereby if allotted, would add an expected saleable area of 15 msf. Co. expects allotment to come within the next 6-7months. They have to in return build 16,000 units in Virar and 1,500 units in Goregaon same plot for MMRDA. Tenancy rights for this project to come at Rs. 7.5-10.0b.
- Rs 6.5b MOU signed for FSI sale in Goregaon project reflective of ~1 1.1msf.
 Money has started flowing in and Co. is hoping to recognize large part of this FSI sale in FY11 and is expected to have margins to the tune of 65-70%. After this MOU, there is another 3.5msf to go.
- Agreement has been signed with Conrad for the Juhu Hotel. HDIL will own 45% (balance lies with the promoters) of the project which will cost an estimated ~Rs 2.4b. Management stated that financial closure has happened for the same with Yes Bank and the delivery deadline is 2014.
- 5-star business cum leisure hotel to come up at the Andheri Metropolis development at an estimated cost of Rs 1.4-1.5bn. Signed an agreement with Crown Plaza.
- Rs. 15.0 b from QIP lying in Fixed Deposits and Mutual Fundss. Co. has identified the land for MIAL Ph-2 & 3 and is awaiting final approvals from government.
- Net debt stood at Rs 26.2b and is not due for next one year. Cost of debt is 12%.
 Customer advances were at Rs 2.2b in Q2 and overall at Rs 9.82b.

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Valuation

Our target price of Rs277 is based on a 25% discount to an estimated core March 2010E NAV of Rs370. We see HDIL positioned as a mid-scale developer with a high risk-reward model and expect it to trade at a 25% discount to NAV, which is the lower end of the average discount to NAV range of 25%-35% for tier-II developers. We attribute a discount for the following reasons: 1) concentration risk in Mumbai suburbs (92% of gross NAV); 2) a high risk-reward business model given the emphasis on slum redevelopment; and 3) any execution delays in the airport project. We believe an NAV-based valuation methodology is appropriate for developers, as NAVs value landbank, along with development across asset classes. Our NAV of Rs370 is based on the following assumptions: 1) Reduction in debt levels to Rs33.5bn post QIP; 2) TDR prices at Rs2200/sf; 3) Development volume of 201msf; 3) Average cost of capital of 13%; and 4) Tax rate of 26%, factoring in tax benefits for the slum rehab and airport project.

Risks

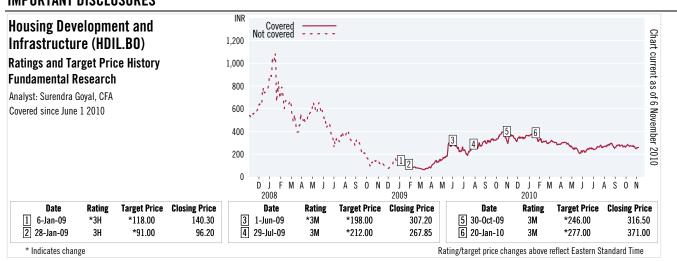
We rate HDIL as Medium Risk since the near-term liquidity of the company has improved post QIP and debt that was due in FY10 has been rolled over. Upside risks to our investment thesis and target price are: 1) change in regulatory policy favoring TDR prices, 2) more benefits/incentives offered by the government for airport rehab projects, 3) significant FSI pre-sales easing liquidity crunch, and 4) meaningful recovery in demand, particularly for office space in the Mumbai market.

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