Brief Rationale



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# CARE ASSIGNS 'CARE BB-' RATINGS TO THE BANK FACILITIES OF ULTRA READYMIX CONCRETE PRIVATE LIMITED

#### Ratings

Facilities	Amount (Rs. Crore)	Ratings <sup>1</sup>	Remarks
Long-term Bank Facilities	21.56	CARE BB- (Double B Minus)	Assigned
Total Facilities	21.56		

## **Rating Rationale**

The rating assigned to the bank facilities of Ultra Readymix Concrete Private Limited (URCPL) is constrained by URCPL's moderate scale of operations, working capital intensive nature of operations, financial risk profile marked by high overall gearing and moderate coverage indicators and presence in the highly competitive nature of the construction industry.

The rating, however, derives strength from the vast experience of the promoters in the construction industry, owned asset base rendering operational flexibility & stable operating margins and URCPL's established relationship with customers and suppliers.

Going forward, the ability of the company to increase its scale of operations while prudently managing its working capital requirements along with execution of the proposed expansion project on time without cost overrun would be the key rating sensitivities.

### Background

URCPL, established in 2004 by Mr S Sivasamy, is a closely held company with majority of shares being held by the promoter family. The company is engaged in the manufacture and sale of ready-mix concrete, aggregates, blue metal and M-sand catering to the construction industry. The company has 6 RMC units, 2 quarries and a block making unit. As on March 31, 2015, URCPL has an installed capacity of 17, 30,400 Cum of RMC per annum. The company also has a windmill at Palladam, with an installed capacity of 300KVA, which meets 45% of its in-house power requirement.

During FY14 (refers to the period April 1 to March 31), the company reported a net profit of Rs.1.43 crore on a total income of Rs.70.88 crore.

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