

## **Borah Automobiles Private Limited**

June 01, 2022

Ratings

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (Rs. crore)	Rating <sup>1</sup>	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	13.00	CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (Single B; Outlook: Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*)	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category and Revised from CARE B+; Stable; (Single B Plus; Outlook: Stable)
Short Term Bank Facilities	0.10	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (A Four; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*)	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category
Total Bank Facilities	13.10 (Rs. Thirteen Crore and Ten Lakhs Only)		

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1

## **Detailed Rationale & Key Rating Drivers**

CARE Ratings Ltd. had, vide its press release dated March 23, 2021, placed the rating(s) of Borah Automobiles Private Limited (BAPL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as BAPL had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating and had not paid the surveillance fees for the rating exercise as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. BAPL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated February 06, 2022, February 16, 2022, February 26, 2022.

In line with the extant SEBI guidelines, CARE Ratings Ltd. has reviewed the rating on the basis of the best available information which however, in CARE Ratings Ltd.'s opinion is not sufficient to arrive at a fair rating.

# Users of this rating (including investors, lenders and the public at large) are hence requested to exercise caution while using the above rating(s).

The ratings assigned to the bank facilities of BAPL have been revised on account of non-availability of requisite information. The ratings further consider decline in overall profitability, deterioration in capital structure and debt coverage indicators during FY21 over FY20.

### Detailed description of the key rating drivers

Please refer to PR dated March 23, 2021

Analytical approach: Standalone

## **Applicable Criteria**

Policy in respect of Non-cooperation by issuer Policy on default recognition

Criteria on assigning outlook and credit watch

### **About the Company**

Borah Automobiles Private Limited (BAPL) was incorporated in May, 2011 by Shri Manash Protim Konwar of Dibrugarh, Assam. The company commenced operations from March, 2012 as an authorized dealer of Tata Motors Ltd (TML) for its commercial vehicles, spares & accessories in Dibrugarh, Assam. BAPL has its main commercial vehicles showroom at Dibrugarh (Assam) where it also provides repair and refurbishment services for TML commercial vehicles. Besides, the company has small showrooms in rented premises in the districts of Assam which include Tinsukia & Sivasagar.

Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	31-03-2020(A)	31-03-2021(A)	31-03-2022(Prov.)
Total operating income	82.54	87.57	NA
PBILDT	3.85	3.09	NA
PAT	1.09	0.44	NA
Overall gearing (times)	2.18	4.80	NA
Interest coverage (times)	1.57	1.40	NA

A: Audited; Prov.: Provisional; NA: Not Available

<sup>1</sup>Complete definition of the ratings assigned are available at <a href="www.careedge.in">www.careedge.in</a> and other CARE Ratings Ltd.'s publications

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Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Not Applicable

**Any other information:** Not Applicable

Rating History for last three years: Please refer Annexure-2

Covenants of rated instrument/facility: Annexure- 3

Complexity level of various instruments rated for this company: Annexure- 4

Annexure-1: Details of Instruments / Facilities

Name of the Instrument	ISIN	Date of Issuance	Coupon Rate	Maturity Date	Size of the Issue (Rs. crore)	Rating assigned along with Rating Outlook
Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit		-	-	-	2.00	CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT-Electronic Dealer Financing Scheme		-	-	-	11.00	CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee		-	-	-	0.10	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

<sup>\*</sup>Issuer did not cooperate; Based on best available information

**Annexure-2: Rating History of last three years** 

		Current Ratings			Rating history			
Sr. No.	Name of the Instrument/ Bank Facilities	Туре	Amount Outstanding (Rs. crore)	Rating	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2022- 2023	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2021-2022	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2020-2021	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2019- 2020
1	Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit	LT	2.00	CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	-	1)CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (23-Mar-21)	1)CARE B+; Stable (05-Mar- 20)
2	Fund-based - LT-Electronic Dealer Financing Scheme	LΤ	11.00	CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	-	1)CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (23-Mar-21)	1)CARE B+; Stable (05-Mar- 20)
3	Non-fund- based - ST- Bank Guarantee	ST	0.10	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	-	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (23-Mar-21)	1)CARE A4 (05-Mar- 20)

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## Annexure-3: Detailed explanation of covenants of the rated instrument / facilities: Not Applicable

Annexure 4: Complexity level of various instruments rated for this company

Sr. No	Name of instrument	Complexity level
1	Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit	Simple
2	Fund-based - LT-Electronic Dealer Financing Scheme	Simple
3	Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee	Simple

## **Annexure 5: Bank Lender Details for this Company**

To view the lender wise details of bank facilities please click here

**Note on complexity levels of the rated instrument:** CARE Ratings Ltd. has classified instruments rated by it on the basis of complexity. Investors/market intermediaries/regulators or others are welcome to write to <a href="mailto:care@careedge.in">care@careedge.in</a> for any clarifications.

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