

GRD Foods Private Limited

February 03, 2023

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	14.89	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category

Details of facilities in Annexure-1

*Issuer did not cooperate; Based on best available information

Rationale and key rating drivers

CARE Ratings Ltd. had, vide its press release dated November 25, 2021, placed the rating(s) of GRD Foods Private Limited (GFPL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as GFPL 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. GFPL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated October 11, 2022, October 21, 2022, October 31, 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).

Detailed description of the key rating drivers

Please refer to PR dated [November 25, 2021](#)

Analytical approach: Standalone

Applicable criteria

[Policy in respect of Non-cooperation by issuer](#)

[Policy on default recognition](#)

About the Company

Incorporated in 2012, GRD Foods Private Limited (GFPL) is engaged in the manufacturing of dairy products like ghee, whole milk powder (WMP), skimmed milk powder (SMP), dairy whitener, butter etc. The operations of GFPL started in April, 2014. The company has its milk processing unit in Kathua (Jammu and Kashmir) and sells its products under the brand name 'GRD' to wholesalers and institutional clients all over India.

Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	March 31, 2021 (A)	March 31, 2022 (A)	9M2023 (Prov.)
Total operating income	NA	NA	NA
PBILDT	NA	NA	NA
PAT	NA	NA	NA
Overall gearing (times)	NA	NA	NA
Interest coverage (times)	NA	NA	NA

A: Audited, Prov. – Provisional, NA – Not available

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Not Applicable

Any other information: Not Applicable

¹Complete definition of the ratings assigned are available at www.careedge.in and other CARE Ratings Ltd.'s publications

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

Covenants of rated instrument/facility: Detailed explanation of the covenants of the rated instruments/facilities is given in Annexure-3

Complexity level of various instruments rated for this Company: Please refer Annexure 4

Lender details: Annexure 5

Annexure-1: Details of Instruments/ Facilities

Name of the Instrument	ISIN	Date of Issuance (DD-MM-YYYY)	Coupon Rate (%)	Maturity Date (DD-MM-YYYY)	Size of the Issue (₹ crore)	Rating Assigned along with Rating Outlook
Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit		-	-	-	7.96	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT-Term Loan		-	-	March 2021	6.93	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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Annexure-2: Rating History of last three years

Sr. No.	Name of the Instrument / Bank Facilities	Current Ratings			Rating History			
		Type	Amount Outstanding (₹ crore)	Rating	Date(s) and Rating(s) assigned in 2022-2023	Date(s) and Rating(s) assigned in 2021-2022	Date(s) and Rating(s) assigned in 2020-2021	Date(s) and Rating(s) assigned in 2019-2020
1	Fund-based - LT-Term Loan	LT	6.93	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (25-Nov-21)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (26-Nov-20)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (25-Sep-19)
2	Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit	LT	7.96	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (25-Nov-21)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (26-Nov-20)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (25-Sep-19)

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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 the Instrument	Complexity Level
1	Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit	Simple
2	Fund-based - LT-Term Loan	Simple

Annexure 5: Lender details

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 care@careedge.in for any clarifications.

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