Datings



Ellington Enterprises

May 03, 2022

Facilities/Instruments Amount (Rs. crore)		Rating ¹	Rating Action			
Long Term Bank Facilities	10.00	CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (Single B Plus; Outlook: Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*)	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category and Revised from CARE BB-; Stable; (Double B Minus; Outlook: Stable)			
Total Bank Facilities	10.00 (Rs. Ten Crore Only)					

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1

Detailed Rationale & Key Rating Drivers

CARE Ratings Ltd. had, vide its press release dated February 16, 2021, placed the rating(s) of Ellington Enterprises (EE) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as EE had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating and had not paid the surveillance fees for the rating exercise agreed to in its Rating Agreement. EE continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated January 02, 2022, January 12, 2022, January 22, 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 EE have been revised on account of non-availability of requisite information.

Detailed description of the key rating drivers

Please refer to PR dated February 16, 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 Firm

Andhra Pradesh based, Ellington Enterprises (EE) was incorporated in July 2018, by Mr. Praneeth (Managing Partner) and Ms. Ramadevi (Partner). The firm has taken over the existing unit Andhra Cement Corporation (ACC) which is a proprietorship firm established by Mr. Praneeth in the year 2017. ACC was engaged into trading of different products like trading of Eggs, trading of construction material like iron and steel and trading of feed grains. Later in FY2018-19 the assets and liabilities of ACC has been transferred to EE and EE started its commercial operations from February 01, 2019and is currently engaged in the trading of food grain material to poultry and dairy farms concentrating the customers covering Karnataka, Tamil Nadu and Maharashtra. EE procures feed grains & feed materials from factories & traders in AP, Telangana, Hubli, Sholapur etc.

Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	31-03-2020 (Prov.)	31-03-2021 (A)	31-03-2022(Prov.)
Total operating income	39.57	NA	NA
PBILDT	1.83	NA	NA
PAT	0.90	NA	NA
Overall gearing (times)	1.89	NA	NA
Interest coverage (times)	3.97	NA	NA

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

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



Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Not Available

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 firm: Annexure- 4

Annexure-1: Details of Instruments / Facilities

Name of the	ISIN	Date of	Coupon	Maturity	Size of the Issue	Rating assigned along
Instrument		Issuance	Rate	Date	(Rs. crore)	with Rating Outlook
Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit		-	-	-	10.00	CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

*Issuer did not cooperate; Based on best available information

Annexure-2: Rating History of last three years

		Current Ratings			Rating history			
Sr. No.		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	10.00	CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	-	1)CARE BB-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (16-Feb-21) 2)CARE BB; Stable (05-Jun-20)	-

*Issuer did not cooperate; Based on best available information

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

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

Sr. No	Name of instrument	Complexity level
1	Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit	Simple

Annexure 5: Bank Lender Details for this firm

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 <u>care@careedge.in</u> for any clarifications.



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