

# Splendid Metal Products Limited (Erstwhile Sujana Metal Products Limited)

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## **Ratings**

| Facilities/Instruments     | Amount<br>(Rs. crore)     | Rating <sup>1</sup>             | Rating Action           |
|----------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Long Term Bank Facilities  | 1,701.84                  | CARE D;                         | Rating continues to     |
|                            |                           | ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*         | remain under ISSUER NOT |
|                            |                           | (Single D                       | COOPERATING category    |
|                            |                           | <b>ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*)</b> |                         |
| Short Term Bank Facilities | 269.13                    | CARE D;                         | Rating continues to     |
|                            |                           | ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*         | remain under ISSUER NOT |
|                            |                           | (Single D                       | COOPERATING category    |
|                            |                           | <b>ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*)</b> |                         |
| Total Bank Facilities      | 1,970.97                  |                                 |                         |
|                            | (Rs. One Thousand Nine    |                                 |                         |
|                            | Hundred Seventy Crore and |                                 |                         |
|                            | Ninety-Seven Lakhs Only)  |                                 |                         |

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1

# **Detailed Rationale & Key Rating Drivers**

CARE had, vide its press release dated July 15, 2020, placed the rating(s) of Splendid Metal Products Limited (SMPL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as SMPL had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating. SMPL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and an email dated May 31, 2021, June 10, 2021 and June 20, 2021. In line with the extant SEBI guidelines, CARE has reviewed the rating on the basis of the best available information which however, in CARE'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

At the time of last rating on July 15, 2020 the following were the rating strengths and weaknesses (updated for the information available from BSE Filing):

## **Key Rating Weaknesses**

# Stretched liquidity position with ongoing delays in debt servicing

Stretched liquidity position along with delays in meeting the debt obligation and the accounts are classified are Non-Performing Assets and the company is currently under resolution process.

Analytical approach: Standalone

# **Applicable Criteria**

Policy in respect of Non-cooperation by issuer

CARE's Policy on Default Recognition

**Criteria for Short Term Instruments** 

<u>Financial ratios – Non-Financial Sector</u>

Rating Methodology - Manufacturing Companies

# **About the Company**

Splendid Metal Products Limited (Erstwhile Sujana Metal Products Limited), belongs to Hyderabad based Sujana Group. SMPL was incorporated in May 1988 under the name of Sujana Steel Re-Rolling Industries (P) Limited. The name of the company was later changed to Sujana Steels Private Limited in March 1992 and got converted into public limited company in April 1992. SMPL is engaged in trading of steel products and manufacturing of TMT bars & structural steel products at its facilities located at Hyderabad, Chennai and Vizag. Sujana group, belonging to Y. S. Chowdhary, is a South India based industrial house having about two decades of experience in the steel industry. The group is involved in manufacturing of Thermo Mechanical

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Complete definitions of the ratings assigned are available at <u>www.careratings.com</u> and in other CARE publications \*Issuer did not cooperate; Based on best available information



Treated (TMT) bars, Structural Steels, Galvanised Steel towers (used in power transmission & telecom sector) and steel trading through its companies; Sujana Universal Industries Ltd, Sujana Towers Ltd. etc.

| Brief Financials (Rs. crore) | FY20 (A) | FY21 (A) |
|------------------------------|----------|----------|
| Total operating income       | 31.93    | 15.71    |
| PBILDT                       | -17.17   | -9.14    |
| PAT                          | -43.40   | -42.74   |
| Overall gearing (times)      | NM       | NM       |
| Interest coverage (times)    | NM       | NM       |

A: Audited NM: Not Meaningful

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: Detailed explanation of covenants of the rated instruments/facilities is given in

Annexure 3

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

# Annexure-1: Details of Instruments/Facilities

| Name of the<br>Instrument                 | Date of Issuance | Coupon<br>Rate | Maturity<br>Date | Size of the<br>Issue<br>(Rs. crore) | Rating assigned along with Rating<br>Outlook |
|---|------------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------------------------|--|
| Fund-based - LT-Term Loan                 | -                | 1              | Not<br>Available | 1095.79                             | CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*              |
| Fund-based - LT-Working<br>Capital Limits | -                | -              | -                | 606.05                              | CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*              |
| Non-fund-based - ST-BG/LC                 | -                | -              | -                | 269.13                              | CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*              |

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

|            |   |      | Current R                            | atings                                | Rating history   |  |  |  |
|------------|---|------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Sr.<br>No. | Name of the<br>Instrument/Bank<br>Facilities  | Туре | Amount<br>Outstanding<br>(Rs. crore) | Rating                                | Date(s) &<br>Rating(s)<br>assigned<br>in 2021-<br>2022 | Date(s) &<br>Rating(s)<br>assigned in<br>2020-2021     | Date(s) &<br>Rating(s)<br>assigned in<br>2019-2020     | Date(s) &<br>Rating(s)<br>assigned<br>in 2018-<br>2019 |
| 1.         | Fund-based - LT-<br>Term Loan                 | LT   | 1095.79                              | CARE D; ISSUER<br>NOT<br>COOPERATING* | -  | 1)CARE D;<br>ISSUER NOT<br>COOPERATING*<br>(15-Jul-20) | 1)CARE D;<br>ISSUER NOT<br>COOPERATING*<br>(08-May-19) | -  |
| 2.         | Fund-based - LT-<br>Working Capital<br>Limits | LT   | 606.05                               | CARE D; ISSUER<br>NOT<br>COOPERATING* | -  | 1)CARE D;<br>ISSUER NOT<br>COOPERATING*<br>(15-Jul-20) | 1)CARE D;<br>ISSUER NOT<br>COOPERATING*<br>(08-May-19) | -  |
| 3.         | Non-fund-based -<br>ST-BG/LC                  | ST   | 269.13                               | CARE D; ISSUER<br>NOT<br>COOPERATING* | -  | 1)CARE D;<br>ISSUER NOT<br>COOPERATING*<br>(15-Jul-20) | 1)CARE D;<br>ISSUER NOT<br>COOPERATING*<br>(08-May-19) | -  |

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# Annexure 3: Covenants of rated instrument/facility: Not Applicable

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

| Sr.<br>No. | Name of the Instrument                 | Complexity Level |  |  |
|------------|--|------------------|--|--|
| 1.         | Fund-based - LT-Term Loan              | Simple           |  |  |
| 2.         | Fund-based - LT-Working Capital Limits | Simple           |  |  |
| 3.         | Non-fund-based - ST-BG/LC              | Simple           |  |  |

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