

Mahesvara Cashew Industries

May 10, 2022

Ratings

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (Rs. crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	12.08	CARE C; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (Single C; Outlook: Stable ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*)	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category
Total Bank Facilities	12.08 (Rs. Twelve Crore and Eight Lakhs Only)		

Details of facilities in Annexure-1

Detailed Rationale & Key Rating Drivers

CARE Ratings Ltd. had, vide its press release dated February 25, 2021, placed the rating(s) of Mahesvara Cashew Industries (MCI) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as MCI 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. MCI continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated January 11, 2022, January 21, 2022 and January 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 February 25, 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

Mahesvara Cashew Industries (MCI) was established in the year 2010 and promoted by Mr. Gopinath Bhat, Mr. Udaya Shetty, Mr. Chiranjitha Ajila, Mrs. Arundathi Ajila, and Mrs. Namitha Shetty. The firm is engaged in processing of raw cashew nuts. The firm sells the processed cashew nuts in Karnataka, Gujarat and Mumbai. The firm procures raw cashew nuts from international market places like South Africa and Tanzania. Currently, the day to day operations of the firm are managed by the Mr. Gopinath Bhat (Managing Partner).

Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	FY20 (A)	FY21(A)	FY22 (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

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

 1 Complete definition of the ratings assigned are available at $\underline{\text{www.careedge.in}}$ and other CARE Ratings Ltd.'s publications

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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-Term Loan		-	-	June 2024	0.57	CARE C; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit		-	-	-	6.00	CARE C; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT-Working capital Term Loan		-	-	December 2026	5.51	CARE C; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

^{*}Issuer did not cooperate; Based on best available information

Annexure-2: Rating History of last three years

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		Current Ratings			Rating history			
Sr. No	Name of the Instrument/Ban k Facilities	Typ e	Amount Outstandin g (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- Term Loan	LT	0.57	CARE C; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING *	-	-	1)CARE C; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (25-Feb-21)	1)CARE B-; Stable (20-Mar-20) 2)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (17-Dec-19)
2	Fund-based - LT- Cash Credit	LT	6.00	CARE C; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING *	-	-	1)CARE C; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (25-Feb-21)	1)CARE B-; Stable (20-Mar-20) 2)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (17-Dec-19)
3	Fund-based - LT- Working capital Term Loan	LT	5.51	CARE C; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING *	-	-	1)CARE C; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (25-Feb-21)	1)CARE B-; Stable (20-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 firm

Sr. No	Name of instrument	Complexity level
1	Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit	Simple
2	Fund-based - LT-Term Loan	Simple
3	Fund-based - LT-Working capital Term Loan	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 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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