Datings



# J and J Associates

December 10, 2021

| Ratings                    |   |  |  |
|----------------------------|---|--|--|
| Facilities/Instruments     | Amount (Rs. crore)                                      | Rating <sup>1</sup>  | Rating Action  |
| Long Term Bank Facilities  | 4.75  | CARE B-; Stable;<br>ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*<br>(Single B Minus; Outlook: Stable;<br>ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*) | Rating continues to<br>remain under ISSUER NOT<br>COOPERATING category |
| Short Term Bank Facilities | CARE A4;<br>ISSUER NOT COOPER                           |  | Rating continues to<br>remain under ISSUER NOT<br>COOPERATING category |
| Total Bank Facilities      | 9.75<br>(Rs. Nine Crore and<br>Seventy-Five Lakhs Only) |  |  |

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1

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

CARE had, vide its press release dated November 13, 2020, placed the rating(s) of J and J Associates (JJA) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as JJA 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. JJA continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated September 29, 2021, October 09, 2021 and October 19, 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

Please refer to PR dated November 13, 2020

#### 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**

J and J Associates (JJA) was established in 2009 by Mr V. K. Viju along with his family members. The firm is engaged in construction of buildings and all types of civil works for state government and local authorities of Kerala. The firm receives orders by participating in tenders.

| Brief Financials (Rs. crore) | FY15 (A) | FY16 (A) | FY17 (Prov.) |
|------------------------------|----------|----------|--------------|
| Total operating income       | 7.25     | 13.80    | NA           |
| PBILDT                       | 1.00     | 1.77     | NA           |
| PAT                          | 0.20     | 0.52     | NA           |
| Overall gearing (times)      | 1.09     | 1.01     | NA           |
| Interest coverage (times)    | 1.29     | 1.49     | NA           |

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

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Not Applicable

#### Any other information: Not Applicable

Disclosure of Interest of Independent/Non-Executive Directors and Managing Director & CEO of CARE: Not applicable

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

Covenants of rated instrument/facility: Annexure-3

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



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

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|---|------|---------------------|----------------|------------------|----------------------------------|--|
| Name of the<br>Instrument                       | ISIN | Date of<br>Issuance | Coupon<br>Rate | Maturity<br>Date | Size of the Issue<br>(Rs. crore) | Rating assigned along<br>with Rating Outlook |
| Fund-based - LT-Cash<br>Credit                  |      | -                   | -              | -                | 4.75                             | CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER<br>NOT COOPERATING*  |
| Non-fund-based - ST-<br>Bank Guarantees         |      | -                   | -              | -                | 5.00                             | CARE A4; ISSUER NOT<br>COOPERATING*          |

### Annexure-1: Details of Instruments / Facilities

\*Issuer did not cooperate; based on best available information

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

| Sr.<br>No | Name of the<br>Instrument/<br>Bank<br>Facilities | Current Ratings |  |  | Rating history                                     |  |   |   |
|-----------|--|-----------------|--|--|--|--|---|---|
|           |  | Тур<br>е        | Amount<br>Outstandin<br>g (Rs.<br>crore) | Rating   | Date(s) &<br>Rating(s)<br>assigned in<br>2021-2022 | 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 in<br>2018-2019                    |
| 1         | Fund-based -<br>LT-Cash Credit                   | LT              | 4.75                                     | CARE B-;<br>Stable;<br>ISSUER<br>NOT<br>COOPERATI<br>NG* | -  | 1)CARE B-;<br>Stable;<br>ISSUER NOT<br>COOPERATIN<br>G*<br>(13-Nov-20) | 1)CARE B;<br>Stable;<br>ISSUER NOT<br>COOPERATIN<br>G*<br>(03-Sep-19) | 1)CARE B;<br>Stable; ISSUER<br>NOT<br>COOPERATING<br>*<br>(12-Sep-18) |
| 2         | Non-fund-<br>based - ST-<br>Bank<br>Guarantees   | ST              | 5.00                                     | CARE A4;<br>ISSUER<br>NOT<br>COOPERATI<br>NG*            | -  | 1)CARE A4;<br>ISSUER NOT<br>COOPERATIN<br>G*<br>(13-Nov-20)            | 1)CARE A4;<br>ISSUER NOT<br>COOPERATIN<br>G*<br>(03-Sep-19)           | 1)CARE A4;<br>ISSUER NOT<br>COOPERATING<br>*<br>(12-Sep-18)           |

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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      | Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantees | Simple           |  |  |

**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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