

# A.S.Patel October 11, 2022

**Ratings** 

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Facilities / Instruments	Amount (Rs. crore)	Rating <sup>1</sup>	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	3.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (Single B Minus; Outlook: Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*)	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category
Short Term Bank Facilities	5.00	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (A Four; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*)	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category
Total Facilities	8.00 (Rs. Eight Crore Only)		

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1.

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

CARE Ratings Ltd. had, vide its press release dated September 06, 2021, placed the rating(s) of A.S.Patel (ASP) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as ASP 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. ASP continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated July 23, 2022, August 02, 2022, August 12, 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 September 06, 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**

Modasa-based (Gujarat) ASP was established during 1982 by Mr. Amrutbhai Patel. ASP is registered as 'AA' class approved contractor by Government of Gujarat and is primarily engaged in the execution of government tendered civil construction contracts of roads and buildings for various state government departments. During FY17, ASP reported a TOI of Rs.26.19 crore and PAT of Rs.0.77 crore as against a TOI of Rs.25.32 crore and PAT of Rs.0.70 crore during FY16.

Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	FY20 (A)	FY21 (A)	FY22 (Prov.)	H1FY23 (Prov.)
Total operating income	NA	NA	NA	NA
PBILDT	NA	NA	NA	NA
PAT	NA	NA	NA	NA
Overall gearing (times)	NA	NA	NA	NA
Interest coverage (times)	NA	NA	NA	NA

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

**Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA:** Brickwork has continued ratings of A.S.Patel in 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category vide press release dated October 26, 2021 on account of its inability to carry out a review in the absence of the requisite information from the firm.

Any other information: Not Applicable

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

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Complete definitions of the ratings assigned are available at <a href="www.careedge.in">www.careedge.in</a> and in other CARE Ratings Ltd.'s publications

<sup>\*</sup>Issuer did not cooperate; Based on best available information



Covenants of rated instrument/facility: Annexure-3

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

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

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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-Cash Credit		-	-	-	3.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund-based - ST- Bank Guarantee		-	-	-	5.00	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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Annexure-2: Rating History of last three years

	za z	Current Ratings			Rating History			
Sr. No	Name of the Instrument/Ba nk Facilities	Тур е	Amount Outstandi ng (Rs. 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- Cash Credit	LT	3.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERA TING*	-	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (06-Sep-21)	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (20-Aug-20)	1)CARE BB-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (16-Aug-19)
2	Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee	ST	5.00	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERA TING*	-	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (06-Sep-21)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (20-Aug-20)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (16-Aug-19)

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## **Annexure-3: Detailed explanation of the covenants of the rated instruments/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 Guarantee	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 care@careedge.in for any clarifications.

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