

Parmeshwari Tea Company

May 13, 2022

Ratings

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (Rs. crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	5.55	CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (Single B; Outlook: Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*)	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category and Revised from CARE B+; Stable; (Single B Plus; Outlook: Stable)
Total Bank Facilities	5.55 (Rs. Five Crore and Fifty-Five Lakhs Only)		

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1

Detailed Rationale & Key Rating Drivers

CARE Ratings Ltd. had, vide its press release dated February 18, 2021, placed the rating(s) of Parmeshwari Tea Company (PTC) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as PTC 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. PTC continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated January 04, 2022, January 14, 2022, January 24, 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 PTC have been revised on account of non-availability of requisite information.

Detailed description of the key rating drivers

Please refer to PR dated [February 18, 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

Parmeshwari Tea Company (PTC) was established in 2002 as a partnership entity by Dhandharia family of Golaghat, Assam for cultivating and manufacturing black tea. Over the years, the firm has increased its tea processing capacity, in phases from 5.0 lakhs kg p.a. to 25.0 lakhs kg p.a. of Black Tea. PTC presently owns one manufacturing facility located at Karbi Anglong district of Assam, which processes the green leaves purchased by them from gardens in nearby area. Tea is sold through brokers and auctions.

Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	31-03-2020 (A)	31-03-2021 (A)	31-03-2022 (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

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

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		-	-	March 2021	0.30	CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit		-	-	-	5.25	CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

*Issuer did not cooperate; Based on best available information

Annexure-2: Rating History of last three years

Sr. No.	Name of the Instrument/ Bank Facilities	Type	Current Ratings		Rating history			
			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-Term Loan	LT	0.30	CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	-	1)CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (18-Feb-21)	1)CARE BB-; Stable (09-Mar-20)
2	Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit	LT	5.25	CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	-	1)CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (18-Feb-21)	1)CARE BB-; Stable (09-Mar-20)

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Annexure-3: Detailed explanation of covenants of rated instrument/facility: Not Applicable**Annexure-4: Complexity level of various instruments rated for this firm**

Sr. No.	Name of the Instrument	Complexity Level
1	Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit	Simple
2	Fund-based - LT-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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