

Essbee Enterprises

May 16, 2022

Ratings

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (Rs. crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	4.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (Single B Minus; Outlook: Stable ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*)	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category and Revised from CARE B; Stable; (Single B; Outlook: Stable)
Short Term Bank Facilities	7.00	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (A Four ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*)	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category
Total Bank Facilities	11.00 (Rs. Eleven Crore Only)		

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1

Detailed Rationale & Key Rating Drivers

CARE Ratings Ltd. had, vide its press release dated February 19, 2021, placed the rating(s) of Essbee Enterprises (EE) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as EE 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. EE continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated January 06, 2022, January 15, 2022, January 25, 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 EE have been revised on account of non-availability of requisite information.

Detailed description of the key rating drivers

Please refer to PR dated [February 19, 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

Mumbai (Maharashtra) based Essbee Enterprises (EE) was formed as a partnership concern in 1992 by Mr. Godmal V. Panani, Mr. Mahendra G. Panani and Mrs. Ranjan H. Panani. Further Mr. Godmal V Panani has retired from the business as on April, 13, 2016 and new partner Mr. Chetas H. Panani has joined the firm. The entity is engaged in the business of execution of civil construction projects which involve earth work, road work, deep excavation, bridges, hard rock cuttings, land development, drainage system, industrial building (civil work) and various other infrastructure jobs for government entities only whereby it gets orders through bidding process. The entity is registered Class-B approved contractor with MCGM, KDMC, NMMC and MBMC in Maharashtra. The firm procures raw material namely bitumen, crushed stones, gravel, metal, cement etc. from local suppliers.

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

¹Complete definitions of the ratings assigned are available at www.careedge.in and in other CARE publications

*Issuer did not cooperate; Based on best available information

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: CRISIL has retained its ratings assigned to the bank facilities of EE vide press release dated February 25, 2022 on account of its inability to carry out a rating surveillance 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

Covenants of rated instrument/facility: Please refer Annexure 3

Complexity level of various instruments rated for this Firm: Please refer Annexure 4

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-Cash Credit		-	-	-	4.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee		-	-	-	7.00	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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Annexure-2: Rating History of last three years

Sr. No.	Name of the Instrument / Bank Facilities	Current Ratings			Rating history			
		Type	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-Cash Credit	LT	4.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING *	-	-	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (19-Feb-21)	1)CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (10-Dec-19)
2	Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee	ST	7.00	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING *	-	-	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (19-Feb-21)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (10-Dec-19)

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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 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. This classification is available at www.careedge.in. Investors/market intermediaries/regulators or others are welcome to write to care@careedge.in for any clarifications.

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