

# **Competent Engineers**

April 18, 2022

**Ratings** 

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (Rs. crore)	Rating <sup>1</sup>	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	8.53	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)
Short Term Bank Facilities	0.05	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (A Four ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*)	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category
Total Bank Facilities	8.58 (Rs. Eight Crore and Fifty-Eight Lakhs Only)		

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1

# **Detailed Rationale & Key Rating Drivers**

CARE Ratings Ltd. had, vide its press release dated February 04, 2021, placed the rating(s) of Competent Engineers (CE) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as CE 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. CE continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated April 05, 2022, April 06, 2022, April 08, 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 CE have been revised on account of non-availability of requisite information.

# Detailed description of the key rating drivers

Please refer to PR dated February 04, 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**

Competent Engineers (CE) was established as a partnership firm in 1992. The firm is currently being looked after by Mr. Balraj Bhakhan as its partners. CE was established with an aim to set up a manufacturing facility at Jalandhar, Punjab for manufacturing of stainless-steel components for railway like frame, partition sheets, connecting couplers, draft gear, break assembly, gear box, set of car lines, end-wall, roof element, ventilator etc. with varied installed capacity for the various products.

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

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Complete definitions of the ratings assigned are available at <u>www.careedge.in</u> and in other CARE publications \*Issuer did not cooperate; Based on best available information.



**Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA:** CRISIL has continued the ratings assigned to the bank facilities of CE into 'issuer not-cooperating' category vide press release dated October 14, 2021 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		-	-	-	7.75	CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT-Term Loan		-	-	February, 2023	0.78	CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund-based - ST- Bank Guarantee		-	-	-	0.05	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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Annexure-2: Rating History of last three years

		Current Ratings			Rating history			
Sr. No.	Name of the Instrument/ Bank Facilities	Typ e	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	7.75	CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG*	-	ı	1)CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (04-Feb-21)	1)CARE BB-; Stable (08-Nov-19)
2	Fund-based - LT-Term Loan	LT	0.78	CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG*	-	ı	1)CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (04-Feb-21)	1)CARE BB-; Stable (08-Nov-19)
3	Non-fund- based - ST- Bank Guarantee	ST	0.05	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG*	-	-	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (04-Feb-21)	1)CARE A4 (08-Nov-19)

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

#### 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	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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