

Kohinoor Foods Limited

December 18, 2023

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	199.50	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category
Short Term Bank Facilities	747.30	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1.

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

Rationale & Key Rating Drivers

CARE Ratings Ltd. had, vide its press release dated October 07, 2022, placed the rating(s) of Kohinoor Foods Limited (KFL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as KFL 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. KFL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated August 23, 2023, September 02, 2023, September 12, 2023.

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).

Analytical approach: Standalone

Outlook: Not Applicable

Detailed description of the key rating drivers

Please refer to PR dated [October 07, 2022](#)

Applicable criteria

[CARE Ratings' criteria on information adequacy risk and issuer non-cooperation](#)
[Policy on default recognition](#)

About the Company

Incorporated in 1989, Kohinoor Foods Ltd (KFL) is engaged in the milling, processing, and selling of rice, and trading of food products and other agri-commodities. The company has a rice mill located at Murthal (Haryana) and a food processing unit at Sonapat (Haryana). Over the years, KFL has emerged as one of the dominant Indian players in the global basmati rice market. KFL has established its brand both in India and abroad in geographies like USA, UK, Middle Eastern countries, Australia, Belgium and other European countries.

Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	March 31, 2022 (A)	March 31, 2023 (A)	H1FY24 (UA)
Total operating income	98.57	83.34	47.65
PBILDT	0.04	12.21	7.19
PAT	-6.30	-4.12	-4.63
Overall gearing (times)	NM	NM	NM
Interest coverage (times)	0.06	0.68	0.81

A-Audited, UA – Unaudited, NM: Not Meaningful, Note: 'the above results are latest financial results available'.

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

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: Detailed explanation of the covenants of the rated instruments/facilities is given in Annexure-3

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

Lender details: Please refer Annexure-5

Annexure-1: Details of instruments/facilities

Name of the Instrument	ISIN	Date of Issuance (DD-MM-YYYY)	Coupon Rate (%)	Maturity Date (DD-MM-YYYY)	Size of the Issue (₹ crore)	Rating Assigned along with Rating Outlook
Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit		-	-	-	199.50	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - ST-Bill Discounting/ Bills Purchasing		-	-	-	92.05	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - ST-EPC/PSC		-	-	-	507.25	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund-based - ST-BG/LC		-	-	-	148.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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Annexure-2: Rating history for the last three years

Sr. No.	Name of the Instrument/ Bank Facilities	Current Ratings			Rating History			
		Type	Amount Outstanding (₹ crore)	Rating	Date(s) and Rating(s) assigned in 2023-2024	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
1	Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit	LT	199.50	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (07-Oct-22)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (13-Jul-21)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (15-Jun-20)
2	Fund-based - ST-EPC/PSC	ST	507.25	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (07-Oct-22)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (13-Jul-21)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (15-Jun-20)
3	Non-fund-based - ST-BG/LC	ST	148.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (07-Oct-22)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (13-Jul-21)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (15-Jun-20)
4	Fund-based - ST-Bill Discounting/ Bills Purchasing	ST	92.05	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (07-Oct-22)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (13-Jul-21)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (15-Jun-20)

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Annexure-3: Detailed explanation of covenants of the rated instruments/facilities: Not Applicable

Annexure-4: Complexity level of the various instruments rated

Sr. No.	Name of the Instrument	Complexity Level
1	Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit	Simple
2	Fund-based - ST-Bill Discounting/ Bills Purchasing	Simple
3	Fund-based - ST-EPC/PSC	Simple
4	Non-fund-based - ST-BG/LC	Simple

Annexure-5: Lender details

To view the lender wise details of bank facilities please [click here](#)

Note on the complexity levels of the rated instruments: CARE Ratings 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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