

# **Key Tech Engineering Company**

April 16, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating <sup>1</sup>	Rating Action
Short Term Bank Facilities	7.50	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1.

# Rationale and key rating drivers

CARE Ratings Ltd. had, vide its press release dated January 24, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Key Tech Engineering Company (KTEC) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as KTEC 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. KTEC continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated December 10, 2023, December 20, 2023, December 30, 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 January 24, 2023

## Applicable criteria

CARE Rating's criteria on information adequacy risk and issuer non-cooperation Policy on default recognition

# **About the Firm**

Mumbai based Key Tech Engineering & Co (KTEC) is a proprietorship entity established in the year 1996 by "Mr. Pravin Mehta". KTEC is engaged in manufacturing of Pipes fittings, pipes, lens gasket, carbamate mixer, valves & critical equipment's for chemical & fertilizer plant in special materials such as urea grade, titanium and stainless steel. KTEC is also engaged in trading of plates & blocks based on demand from the customers. The registered office is located at Andheri (Mumbai) and manufacturing facility at Vasai Thane.

Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	March 31, 2017 (A)	March 31, 2018 (A)	
Total operating income	23.67	18.65	
PBILDT	5.54	3.05	
PAT	5.16	2.62	
Overall gearing (times)	0.16	0.26	
Interest coverage (times)	36.96	14.06	

A: Audited; Note: 'the above results are latest financial results available'

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

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



**Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA:** Acuite (SMERA) has continued the rating assigned to the bank facilities of KTEC into Issuer Not Cooperating category vide press release dated November 17, 2023 on account of its inability to carry out a review in the absence of requisite information.

Any other information: Not Applicable

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

Covenants of rated instrument / facility: Detailed explanation of covenants of the rated instruments/facilities is given in

Annexure-3

Complexity level of various instruments rated: Annexure-4

Lender details: 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
Non-fund-based - ST- Letter of credit		-	-	-	3.00	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund-based - ST- Proposed non fund based limits		-	-	-	4.50	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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**Annexure-2: Rating history for the last three years** 

,	Name of the Instrument /Bank Facilities	Current Ratings			Rating History			
Sr. No		Typ e	Amount Outstanding (₹ crore)	Rating	Date(s) and Rating(s) assigned in 2024-2025	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
1	Non-fund- based - ST- Letter of credit	ST	3.00	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	-	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (24-Jan-23)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (19-Jan-22)
2	Non-fund- based - ST- Proposed non fund based limits	ST	4.50	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	-	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (24-Jan-23)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (19-Jan-22)

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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	Non-fund-based - ST-Letter of credit	Simple
2	Non-fund-based - ST-Proposed non fund based limits	Simple

## **Annexure-5: Lender details**

To view the lender wise details of bank facilities please click here

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ST: Short term



**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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