

Harso Steels Private Limited

April 17, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	14.82	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category
Short Term Bank Facilities	11.18	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 and key rating drivers

CARE Ratings Ltd. had, vide its press release dated January 30, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Harso Steels Private Limited (HSPL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as HSPL 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. HSPL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated December 26, 2023, January 05, 2024, April 12, 2024.

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 30, 2023

Applicable criteria

CARE Rating's criteria on information adequacy risk and issuer non-cooperation Policy on Default Recognition

About the company

Harso Steels Private Limited (HSPL) was incorporated in 1986 and started its commercial operation in 1993. The company is currently being managed by Mr. Rakesh Kumar Bansal, Mr. Vikas Bansal and Mr. Adesh Tyagi. The company is engaged in manufacturing of steel tubes. PVC pipes, steel structure and bottom lid. The main raw material is steel which the company procures solely from Steel Authority of India Limited (SAIL). HSPL sells its products domestically to wholesalers and construction companies. The company has an associate concern named Rama Steel Tubes Limited which is engaged in manufacturing and exporting of steel pipes, steel pipes fittings, steel tubes fittings, PVC pipes, PVC tubes, steel pipes etc.

Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	March 31, 2022 (A)	March 31, 2023 (A)
Total operating income	40.52	47.22
PBILDT	-0.41	0.01
РАТ	0.96	0.25
Overall gearing (times)	NM	NM
Interest coverage (times)	NM	0.05

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

¹Complete 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: 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		-	-	-	3.53	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT-Term Loan		-	-	October, 2021	11.29	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund- based - ST- Bank Guarantee		-	-	-	10.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund- based - ST- Bank Guarantee		-	-	-	1.18	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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Annexure-2: Rating history for the last three years

		Current Ratings			Rating History			
Sr. No.	Name of the Instrument/ Bank Facilities	Туре	Amount Outstandi ng (₹ 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	Fund-based - LT- Term Loan	LT	11.29	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERAT ING* (30-Jan-23)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERAT ING* (22-Nov- 21)
2	Fund-based - LT- Cash Credit	LT	3.53	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERAT ING* (30-Jan-23)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERAT ING* (22-Nov- 21)
3	Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee	ST	10.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERAT ING* (30-Jan-23)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERAT ING* (22-Nov- 21)
4	Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee	ST	1.18	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERAT ING* (30-Jan-23)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERAT ING* (22-Nov- 21)

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LT: Long term; ST: Short term.

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	2 Fund-based - LT-Term Loan Simple	
3 Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee		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 <u>care@careedge.in</u> for any clarifications.



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