

Lalta Prasad Shaw And Company

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Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	6.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category and Revised from CARE B; Stable;

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1

Rationale and key rating drivers

CARE Ratings Ltd. had, vide its press release dated January 17, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Lalta Prasad Shaw And Company (LPSC) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as LPSC 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. LPSC continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated December 03, 2023, December 13, 2023, December 23, 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).

The ratings assigned to the bank facilities of LPSC have been revised on account of non-availability of requisite information.

Analytical approach: Standalone

Outlook: Stable

Detailed description of the key rating drivers:

Please refer to PR dated January 17, 2023

Applicable criteria

<u>CARE Ratings' criteria on information adequacy risk and issuer non-cooperation</u>
<u>Policy on default recognition</u>

Criteria on Assigning 'Outlook' or 'Rating Watch' to Credit Ratings

About the firm

Lalta Prasad Shaw and Company (LPSC) was established in the year 1959 as a proprietorship firm by Mr. Lalta Prasad Shaw. Later Mr. Jai Kishor Gupta (son of Mr. Lalta Prasad Shaw) joined and became the proprietor of the said firm in the year 1989. The firm has been engaged in trading of waste paper since its inception. Currently the firm is being managed by Mr. Jai Kishor Gupta who has around three decades of experience in the same line of business. He looks after the overall management of the firm, with adequate support from a team of experienced personnel.

Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	March 31, 2019 (A)	March 31, 2020 (Prov.)
Total operating income	61.21	26.42
PBILDT	1.44	1.28
PAT	0.49	0.26
Overall gearing (times)	1.22	1.96
Interest coverage (times)	1.67	1.35

A: Audited, Prov. – Provisional, Note: 'the above results are latest financial results available'

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

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

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



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
Fund-based - LT- Cash Credit	-	-	-	-	6.00	CARE B-; Stable; 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 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	6.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG*	-	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (17-Jan-23)	1)CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (06-Dec-21)	1)CARE BB- ; Negative (30-Sep-20)

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LT: Long 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		

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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