

CMJ Breweries Private Limited

May 31, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action		
Long Term Bank Facilities	176.93	CARE D; 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 March 23, 2023, placed the rating(s) of CMJ Breweries Private Limited (CBPL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as CBPL 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. CBPL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated February 06, 2024, February 16, 2024, February 26, 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 March 23, 2023

Applicable criteria

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

About the company

CMJ Breweries Pvt Ltd, incorporated in November 2007, is promoted by the Meghalaya-based Jain family. For the Brewery segment -The annual installed capacity was increased from 2,00,000 HLPA in 2013 and to 700,000 HLPA in 2020. The distillery commenced operations in October 2014. The company has set up a 100 KLPD state of art grain based Extra Neutral Alcohol (ENA) Plant at Byrnihat, Meghalaya. The grain based ENA caters to the Eastern and North Eastern region where the demand is high. A Captive power plant of 4.20 MW has been set up alongside the distillery.

Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	March 31, 2022 (A)	March 31, 2023 (A)
Total operating income	370.87	453.37
PBILDT	15.69	23.68
PAT	-11.99	-27.19
Overall gearing (times)	NM	NM
Interest coverage (times)	1.97	1.89

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

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: CRISIL has continued the rating assigned to the bank facilities of CBPL into Issuer Not Cooperating category vide press release dated June 30, 2023 on account of its inability to carry out a review in the absence of the requisite information from the company.

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

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



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
Fund-based - LT- Cash Credit		-	-	-	5.70	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT- Term Loan		-	-	March 2030	171.23	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/Ban k Facilities	Typ e	Amount Outstandin g (₹ 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- Cash Credit	LT	5.70	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING *	-	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (23-Mar-23) 2)CARE D (04-Apr-22)	1)CARE D (25-Jun-21) 2)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (01-Apr-21)
2	Fund-based - LT- Term Loan	LT	171.23	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING *	-	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (23-Mar-23) 2)CARE D (04-Apr-22)	1)CARE D (25-Jun-21) 2)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (01-Apr-21)

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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 - LT-Term Loan	Simple

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LT: Long term



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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