

Aasma Foods And Beverages Private Limited

May 27, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	8.00	CARE B-; Stable; 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 March 09, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Aasma Foods And Beverages Private Limited (AFBPL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as AFBPL 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. AFBPL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated January 23, 2024, February 02, 2024, February 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: Stable

Detailed description of the key rating drivers:

Please refer to PR dated [March 09, 2023](#)

Applicable criteria

[CARE Rating's criteria on information adequacy risk and issuer non-cooperation](#)

[Policy on Default Recognition](#)

[Criteria on assigning outlook and credit watch](#)

About the Company

Aasma Food & Beverages Private Limited (AFBPL) was incorporated in August 2009 by M.K. Singh, R.P. Singh and Devendra Prasad. Since its inception, the company is into processing of milk products. However, the company was taken over by the current promoters Mr. Ved Prakash Pandey, Mr. Kishan Modi, Mr. Rajendra Prasad Modi and Mrs. Payal Modi with effect from July 11, 2017. The company has been engaged in milk processing and produce milk products like cheese, paneer, butter, ghee, milk pouch, dahi, lassi, milk powder and cream. The processing plant of the company is located at EPIP Industrial Area, Hajipur, Bihar with a processing capacity of 1 lakh tons per annum. The company sells its product under its registered brand i.e. 'Milk Magic' through distributors in the state of Bihar and West Bengal. The company also does job work for Orissa State Cooperative Milk Producers' Federation Limited (OMFED) and earns commission charges from it.

Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	March 31, 2021 (A)	March 31, 2022 (A)
Total operating income	46.56	51.26
PBILDT	2.29	1.47
PAT	0.74	0.59
Overall gearing (times)	5.78	4.35
Interest coverage (times)	4.41	3.01

A: Audited; 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 AFBPL into ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category vide press release dated May 09, 2024 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

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

Covenants of the rated instruments/facilities: Detailed explanation of the 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		-	-	-	6.05	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT-Term Loan		-	-	September 2019	1.95	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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

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 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	1.95	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING *	-	-	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (09-Mar-23)	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (27-Jan-22)
2	Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit	LT	6.05	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING *	-	-	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (09-Mar-23)	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (27-Jan-22)

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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
2	Fund-based - LT-Term Loan	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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