

### **Selve Cashews**

June 20, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating <sup>1</sup>	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	5.00	CARE B-; Stable; 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 April 21, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Selve Cashews (SC) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as SC 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. SC continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated March 06, 2024, March 16, 2024, March 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: Stable

### **Detailed description of the key rating drivers:**

Please refer to PR dated April 21, 2023

### **Applicable criteria**

CARE Ratings' criteria on information adequacy risk and issuer non-cooperation Policy on default recognition Criteria on assigning outlook and credit watch

#### **About the firm**

Cuddalore (Tamil Nadu) based Selve Cashews (SC) is a proprietorship firm established by Ms. R. Kalai Selvi in March 2010. The promoter has an experience of over a decade similar line of business. SC is into Processing and trading of raw cashew nuts. The firm procures its raw material, the raw nuts, from West Africa and export around 50% of its production to countries like Singapore, Malaysia and Dubai and remaining are being sold in domestic market. The firm has an installed capacity of 1.5 tons per day for the processing of nuts. Presently, the day to day operations are managed by Ms. R. Kalai Selvi.

Brief Financials (₹ crore)	March 31, 2017 (A)	March 31, 2018 (A)
Total operating income	8.84	8.50
PBILDT	0.76	0.74
PAT	0.13	0.13
Overall gearing (times)	9.05	7.12
Interest coverage (times)	1.23	1.24

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 <a href="www.careedge.in">www.careedge.in</a> and other CARE Ratings Ltd.'s publications



**Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA:** CRISIL has continued the rating assigned to the bank facilities of SC into Issuer Not Cooperating category vide press release dated July 25, 2023 on account of its inability to carry out a review in the absence of the requisite information from the firm.

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		-	-	-	5.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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

S	Name of	Current Ratings		Rating History				
r N o	the Instrument / Bank Facilities	Ty pe	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	5.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERA TING*	-	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (21-Apr-23)	-	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (11-Feb-22)

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## Annexure-3: Detailed explanation of the 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 complexity levels of the rated instrument:** 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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LT: Long term



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