

## **Instapower Limited**

June 10, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating <sup>1</sup>	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	3.50	CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category
Short Term Bank Facilities	2.50	CARE A4; 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 April 21, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Instapower Limited (IL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as IL 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. IL 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 Rating's criteria on information adequacy risk and issuer non-cooperation Policy on default recognition Rating Outlook and Credit Watch

## About the company

Instapower Limited (IL) was established by Mr. H R Vaish in 1986, started with manufacturing of power conditioning equipment, such as Uninterruptible Power Supply (UPS) and inverters, later in 2003, company diversified into the area of energy efficient lighting systems using LEDs and T5 Tube lights such as Indoor lights, outdoor lights, aviation lights, architectural lights, landscape lights and display boards etc.

Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	March 31, 2022 (A)	March 31, 2023 (A)	
Total operating income	18.71	23.18	
PBILDT	1.52	2.76	
РАТ	1.10	1.80	
Overall gearing (times)	0.18	0.19	
Interest coverage (times)	9.34	7.87	

A: Audited; Note: 'the above results are latest financial results available'

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Complete 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:** Brickwork has continued the rating assigned to the bank facilities of IL into Issuer Not Cooperating category vide press release dated May 15, 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

**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		-	-	-	3.50	CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund-based - ST- Bank Guarantee		-	-	-	1.75	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund-based - ST- Letter of credit		-	-	-	0.75	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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

	Name of	Current Ratings			Rating History			
Sr. No.	the Instrument /Bank Facilities	Тур е	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	3.50	CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (21-Apr-23)	1)CARE BB-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (28-Apr-22)	-
2	Non-fund- based - ST- Letter of credit	ST	0.75	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (21-Apr-23)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G <sup>*</sup> (28-Apr-22)	-
3	Non-fund- based - ST- Bank Guarantee	ST	1.75	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (21-Apr-23)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (28-Apr-22)	-

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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	Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee	Simple
3	Non-fund-based - ST-Letter of 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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