

Elegance Food Processing And Impex Private Limited

July 15, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	11.48	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category
Short Term Bank Facilities	0.25	CARE D; 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 May 02, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Elegance Food Processing And Impex Private Limited (EFPIPL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as EFPIPL 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. EFPIPL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated March 17, 2024, March 27, 2024, April 06, 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 [May 02, 2023](#)

Applicable criteria

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

[Policy on Default Recognition](#)

About the Company

Morbi (Gujarat) based EFPIPL was established in September 2015 as a private limited company by five promoters namely Mr. Hasmukhbhai Patel, Mr. Kishan Vidja, Mr. Jitendra Patel, Mr. Becharbhai Patel, Mr. Bharatbhai Raiyani and Mr. Anil Patel for processing and manufacturing of agro commodities. EFPIPL has set up a plant for processing of groundnut seeds and manufacturing of mainda and other flour with an installed capacity of 7420 MTPA and 12600 MTPA (Metric Tonnes Per Annum) respectively as on March 31, 2019. Commercial operations commenced from September 2017 for groundnut processing and for Flour from April 2018.

Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	March 31, 2019 (A)	March 31, 2020 (A)
Total operating income	43.14	51.27
PBILDT	2.07	-17.75
PAT	0.01	0.00
Overall gearing (times)	1.95	2.37
Interest coverage (times)	1.53	-14.01

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

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Brickwork has continued the ratings assigned to the bank facilities of EFPIPL to 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category vide press release dated March 07, 2024 on account of its inability to carry out a review in the absence of the requisite information from the company.

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		-	-	-	9.50	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT-Term Loan		-	-	July 2023	1.98	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee		-	-	-	0.25	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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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-Cash Credit	LT	9.50	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (02-May-23)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (28-Apr-22)	-
2	Fund-based - LT-Term Loan	LT	1.98	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (02-May-23)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (28-Apr-22)	-
3	Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee	ST	0.25	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (02-May-23)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (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	Fund-based - LT-Term Loan	Simple
3	Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee	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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