

R M Metals

July 08, 2024

| Facilities/Instruments | Amount (₹ crore) | Rating ¹ | Rating Action |
|----------------------------------------|------------------|----------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Long Term / Short Term Bank Facilities | 8.00 | CARE B-; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* | Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category |
| Short Term Bank Facilities | 4.00 | 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 May 24, 2023, placed the rating(s) of R M Metals (RMM) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as RMM 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. RMM continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated April 08, 2024, April 18, 2024, April 28, 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 [May 24, 2023](#)

Applicable criteria

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

[Policy on default recognition](#)

[Criteria on Assigning 'Outlook' or 'Rating Watch' to Credit Ratings](#)

About the firm

R M Metals (RMM) was set up as a proprietorship concern by Mr. Ravi Ramniklal Kothari in 2000. In 2003, its legal status was changed to a partnership firm and Mrs. Manjula Kothari and Mr. Deepak Kothari were introduced as partners. RMM is engaged in trading of ferrous and nonferrous metals viz. brass foils, brass sheets, copper foils, copper tubes, stainless steel sheet, stainless steel rounds, and nickel alloy pipes.

| Brief Financials (Rs. crore) | March 31, 2017 (A) | March 31, 2018 (A) |
|------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Total operating income | 42.04 | 39.62 |
| PBILDT | 1.58 | 1.22 |
| PAT | 0.49 | 0.26 |
| Overall gearing (times) | 2.60 | 2.83 |
| Interest coverage (times) | 1.48 | 1.30 |

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

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Not applicable

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

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

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/ST-Cash Credit | | - | - | - | 8.00 | CARE B-; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* |
| Non-fund-based - ST-Letter of credit | | - | - | - | 4.00 | CARE A4; 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/ST-Cash Credit | LT/ST | 8.00 | CARE B-; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* | - | 1)CARE B-; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (24-May-23) | 1)CARE B-; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (25-May-22) | - |
| 2 | Non-fund-based - ST-Letter of credit | ST | 4.00 | CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* | - | 1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (24-May-23) | 1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (25-May-22) | - |

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ST: Short term; LT/ST: Long term/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/ ST-Cash Credit | Simple |
| 2 | 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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