

Laxmi Rice Mills- Muktsar

July 11, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	12.83	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 June 14, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Laxmi Rice Mills- Muktsar (LRMM) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as LRMM 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. LRMM continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated April 29, 2024, May 09, 2024, May 19, 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 June 14, 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

Laxmi Rice Mills- Muktsar (LRMM) was established as partnership firm in 1995 and is currently being managed by Mr. Darshan Lal Garg and Mrs. Anita Rani sharing profit and losses equally. Mr. Darshan Lal Garg Goel has an industry experience of around three decades gained through his association with LRMM and other regional entities engaged in similar business operations. Mrs. Anita Rani has industry experience of more than two decades gained through her association with LRMM only. The long track record has aided the firm in having established relationship with customers and suppliers. The firm is engaged in processing of paddy at its manufacturing facility located in Muktsar. LRMM sells basmati rice through brokers to various wholesalers and export houses located in Punjab, Haryana, Delhi, Maharashtra etc.

Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	March 31, 2017 (A)	March 31, 2018 (A)
Total operating income	60.91	69.45
PBILDT	6.79	6.32
PAT	0.34	0.35
Overall gearing (times)	11.90	9.25
Interest coverage (times)	1.20	1.21

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

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

¹Complete definition of the ratings assigned are available at www.careedge.in 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 LRMM into Issuer Not Cooperating category vide press release dated March 22, 2024 on account of its inability to carry out a review in the absence of requisite information.

CRISIL has continued the rating assigned to the bank facilities of LRMM into Issuer Not Cooperating category vide press release dated May 21, 2024 on account of its inability to carry out a review in the absence of requisite information.

ICRA has continued the rating assigned to the bank facilities of LRMM into Issuer Not Cooperating category vide press release dated August 28, 2023 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		-	-	-	12.50	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT- Term Loan	-		-	April, 2020	0.33	CARE B-; Stable; 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				
		Typ e	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-Term Loan	LT	0.33	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING *	-	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (14-Jun-23)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (10-Jun-22)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (25-May-21)
2	Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit	LT	12.50	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING *	-	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (14-Jun-23)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (10-Jun-22)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (25-May-21)

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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

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LT: Long term



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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