

Bhopal Tractors Private Limited

August 01, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	12.00	CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category and Revised from CARE BB-; Stable;
Long Term / Short Term Bank Facilities	3.00	CARE B+; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category and Revised from CARE BB-; Stable / CARE A4;

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 June 02, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Bhopal Tractors Private Limited (BTPL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as BTPL had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating. BTPL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated April 17, 2024, April 27, 2024, May 07, 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).

The ratings assigned to the bank facilities of BTPL have been revised on account of non-availability of requisite information. The revision also factored in increased debt levels which has led to deterioration in debt coverage indicators during FY23.

Analytical approach: Standalone

Outlook: Stable

Detailed description of the key rating drivers:

Please refer to PR dated [June 02, 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 company

Incorporated in September 2000, Bhopal Tractors Pvt Ltd (BTPL) is promoted by Mr. Laves Kumar Agarwal and his family members, having a good experience in managing automobile dealership business. BTPL is stockist and C&F agent for Sonalika tractors (International Tractors Limited) in the state of Madhya Pradesh and Uttar Pradesh. Apart from this, BTPL is also engaged in distribution of other agri-machineries such as tillers, rotavators of Tirth Agro Technology Pvt. Ltd. and pumps and diesel engines of Fieldmarshal (P.M. Diesels Pvt. Ltd.). BTPL belongs to the Somya group headquartered in Gwalior, Madhya Pradesh which are also engaged in auto dealerships.

Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	March 31, 2022 (A)	March 31, 2023 (A)
Total operating income	67.20	74.29
PBILDT	1.40	1.06
PAT	1.40	1.93
Overall gearing (times)	0.11	0.48
Interest coverage (times)	2.86	3.14

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

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: India Ratings has continued the rating assigned to the bank facilities of BTPL 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 from company.

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	-	-	-	-	12.00	CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund-based-LT/ST	-	-	-	-	3.00	CARE B+; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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

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	12.00	CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE BB-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (02-Jun-23)	1)CARE BB; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (26-May-22)	-
2	Non-fund-based-LT/ST	LT/ST	3.00	CARE B+; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE BB-; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (02-Jun-23)	1)CARE BB; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (26-May-22)	-

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LT: Long 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-Cash Credit	Simple
2	Non-fund-based-LT/ST	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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