

# **Supreme Batteries Private Limited**

August 28, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating <sup>1</sup>	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	33.55	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category
Short Term Bank Facilities	10.50	CARE D; 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 19, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Supreme Batteries Private Limited (SBPL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as SBPL had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating. SBPL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated May 04, 2024, May 14, 2024, May 24, 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 June 19, 2023

## **Applicable criteria**

<u>CARE Rating's criteria on information adequacy risk and issuer non-cooperation</u>
<u>Policy on Default Recognition</u>

### **About the Company**

Supreme Batteries Private Limited (SBPL) was initially established as a partnership firm in 1982 and was incorporated as a private limited company in the year 2001 and is promoted by Mr. Vimal Kumar Agarwal, Mr. Anuj Agarwal and Mr. Ajay Goyal. However, commercial production commenced from the month of September 2009.

Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	March 31, 2020 (A)	March 31, 2021 (A)
Total operating income	156.86	60.09
PBILDT	-8.28	-31.03
PAT	-16.54	-38.33
Overall gearing (times)	12.49	NM
Interest coverage (times)	NM	NM

A: Audited, NM: Not Meaningful; Note: 'the above results are latest financial results available'

**Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA:** Acuite (SMERA) has continued the ratings assigned to the bank facilities of SBPL to the 'issuer not-cooperating' category vide press release dated November 17, 2023 on account of its inability to carryout review in the absence of requisite information from the company.

Any other information: Not Applicable

Rating History for last three years: Please refer Annexure-2

**Covenants of the rated instruments/facilities:** Detailed explanation of the covenants of the rated instruments/facilities is given in Annexure-3

<sup>\*</sup>Issuer did not cooperate; based on best available information.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Complete definition of the ratings assigned are available at <a href="https://www.careedge.in">www.careedge.in</a> 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- Cash Credit		-	-	-	30.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT- Term Loan		-	-	March 2021	3.55	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee		-	-	-	0.50	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund-based - ST-Letter of credit		-	-	-	10.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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Annexure-2: Rating history for the last three years

		Current Ratings			Rating History			
Sr. No	Name of the Instrument/Ba nk Facilities	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	3.55	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (19-Jun-23)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (02-May- 22)	-
2	Fund-based - LT- Cash Credit	LT	30.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (19-Jun-23)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (02-May- 22)	-
3	Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee	ST	0.50	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (19-Jun-23)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (02-May- 22)	-
4	Non-fund-based - ST-Letter of credit	ST	10.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (19-Jun-23)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (02-May- 22)	-

<sup>\*</sup>Issuer did not cooperate; based on best available information.

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
4	Non-fund-based - ST-Letter of credit	Simple

# **Annexure-5: Lender details**

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To view the lender wise details of bank facilities please <u>click here</u>

**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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