

# **Ajeet and Company**

August 14, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating <sup>1</sup>	Rating Action
Long Term / Short Term Bank Facilities	14.00	CARE D / CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category
Short Term Bank Facilities	3.00	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 July 17, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Ajeet and Company (AC) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as AC had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. AC continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated June 01, 2024, June 11, 2024 and June 21, 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 July 17, 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

Established in 1950 as proprietary concern & later converted into partnership concern, Ajeet & Company (AC) is engaged in trading of whey protein products and timber (teakwood/hardwood) products. Further since FY15 the entity has started more concentrating towards trading of whey protein products only which are imported directly from USA and timber trading wherein it imports (teakwood / hardwood) from Myanmar, Southeast Asian countries, African countries & Central & South American countries.

Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	March 31, 2016 (A)	March 31, 2017 (A)	
Total operating income	23.79	30.31	
PBILDT	2.27	2.53	
РАТ	0.07	0.10	
Overall gearing (times)	5.45	6.93	
Interest coverage (times)	1.04	1.05	

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

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Complete definition of the ratings assigned are available at <u>www.careedge.in</u> and other CARE Ratings Ltd.'s publications



#### 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

# 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		-	-	-	14.00	CARE D / CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund-based - ST- Letter of credit		-	-	-	3.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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### Annexure-2: Rating history for the last three years

Sr. the No Instru . /Bank	Name of		Current Ratings		Rating History			
	tne Instrument /Bank Facilities	Тур е	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/ ST-Cash Credit	LT/ ST	14.00	CARE D / CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING *	-	1)CARE D / CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (17-Jul-23)	1)CARE D / CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (19-Jul-22)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (02-Jun-21)
2	Non-fund- based - ST- Letter of credit	ST	3.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING *	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (17-Jul-23)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (19-Jul-22)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (02-Jun-21)

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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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