

R. C. Patel (Vadodara)

August 30, 2024

| Facilities/Instruments | Amount (₹ crore) | Rating ¹ | Rating Action |
|----------------------------|---------------------|--|--|
| Long Term Bank Facilities | 2.00 | CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* | Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category |
| Short Term Bank Facilities | 10.00 | CARE A4; 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 August 17, 2023, placed the rating(s) of R. C. Patel (Vadodara) (RCP) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as RCP had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating. RCP continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated July 02, 2024, July 12, 2024, July 22, 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 August 17, 2023

Applicable criteria

CARE Rating's criteria on information adequacy risk and issuer non-cooperation Policy on Default Recognition Criteria on assigning outlook and credit watch

About the Firm

Vadodara-based (Gujarat), RCP was established in November 2003 as a proprietorship firm by Mr. Rajesh Patel. RCP is engaged in the construction of water storage facilities like water reservoirs and effluent disposal systems and executes projects largely in the state of Gujarat. The firm is registered as 'AA' class contractor with the Government of Gujarat mainly Gujarat Industrial Development Corporation (GIDC). RCP secures all its contracts through open bidding process of GIDC within Gujarat. RCP also take up sub contracts from other private companies in same line of business.

| Brief Financials (Rs. crore) | March 31, 2016 (A) | March 31, 2017 (A) |
|------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Total operating income | 41.43 | 65.93 |
| PBILDT | 2.33 | 2.79 |
| PAT | 2.02 | 2.55 |
| Overall gearing (times) | 0.12 | 0.18 |
| Interest coverage (times) | 17.02 | 49.38 |

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

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Brickwork has continued the ratings assigned to the bank facilities of RCP to the 'issuer not-cooperating' category vide press release dated February 14, 2024 on account of its inability to carryout review in the absence of requisite information from the firm.

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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



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

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- | | | - | - | 2.00 | CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER |
| Bank Overdraft | | - | | | | NOT COOPERATING* |
| Non-fund-based - | | | | | 10.00 | CARE A4; ISSUER NOT |
| ST-Bank Guarantee | | - | - | - | 10.00 | COOPERATING* |

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Annexure-2: Rating history for the last three years

| S | S Name of the . Instrume nt/Bank o Facilities . | Current Ratings | | Rating History | | | | |
|--------|---|-----------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| N o | | Ty p e | Amount Outstan ding (₹ 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-Bank Overdraft | LT | 2.00 | CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERA TING* | - | 1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (17-Aug-23) | 1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (03-Aug-22) | 1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (07-Jun-21) |
| 2 | Non-fund- based - ST- Bank Guarantee | ST | 10.00 | CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERA TING* | - | 1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (17-Aug-23) | 1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (03-Aug-22) | 1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (07-Jun-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-Bank Overdraft | Simple |
| 2 | Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee | 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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LT: Long term; ST: Short term



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