

Nirman Engineers and Contractors

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Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	6.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category
Short Term Bank Facilities	17.00	CARE A4; 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 June 27, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Nirman Engineers and Contractors (NEC) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as NEC had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating. NEC continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated May 12, 2024, May 22, 2024, June 01, 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 27, 2023

Applicable criteria

<u>CARE Ratings' criteria on information adequacy risk and issuer non-cooperation</u> <u>Policy on default recognition</u> <u>Criteria on assigning outlook and credit watch</u>

About the firm

Nirman Engineers & Contractors (NEC) is a partnership firm based out of Bangalore, Karnataka and is a Class I government civil contractor engaged in construction of roads and canals in the state of Karnataka since 1993. The firm receives government contracts on tender basis which are typically executable over the span of 12-18 months. The outstanding order book of the firm is Rs. 13.00 crore as on March 28, 2019.

Brief Financials (₹ crore)	March 31, 2017 (A)	March 31, 2018 (A)
Total operating income	15.41	10.16
PBILDT	1.78	1.89
РАТ	0.59	0.48
Overall gearing (times)	0.98	1.52
Interest coverage (times)	1.84	1.66

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

¹Complete 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- Cash Credit		-	-	-	6.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee		-	-	-	15.00	Care A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund-based - ST-Letter of credit		-	-	-	2.00	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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Annexure-2: Rating history for the last three years

S	Name of	Current Ratings		Rating History				
r N o	the Instrument / Bank Facilities	Ty pe	Amount Outstand ing (₹ 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	6.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (27-Jun-23)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (09-Jun-22)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (28-Apr-21)
2	Non-fund- based - ST- Bank Guarantee	ST	15.00	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (27-Jun-23)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (09-Jun-22)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (28-Apr-21)
3	Non-fund- based - ST- Letter of credit	ST	2.00	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (27-Jun-23)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (09-Jun-22)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (28-Apr-21)

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LT: Long term; ST: Short term

Annexure-3: Detailed explanation of the 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 - ST-Bank Guarantee	Simple
3	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 complexity levels of the rated instrument: 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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