

## **K.Siddappa**

September 06, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating <sup>1</sup>	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	4.50	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category
Short Term Bank Facilities	3.50	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 July 24, 2023, placed the rating(s) of K.Siddappa (KS) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as KS had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating. KS continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated June 08, 2024, June 18, 2024, June 28, 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 July 24, 2023

#### **Applicable criteria**

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

# About the firm

K. Siddappa (KS) was established in the year 2010 as sole proprietorship firm promoted by Mr. K. Siddappa. The firm is a qualified class -1 contractor with Public Works Department (PWD) of Karnataka State Government. KS is engaged in the civil construction works such as laying of roads, buildings and water supply pip e lines for Karnataka State Government. The firm receives orders by participating in tenders. The firm purchases the inputs such gravel, metal, cement and bitumen from local suppliers in and around the site location.

Brief Financials (₹ crore)	March 31, 2017 (A)	March 31, 2018 (A)
Total operating income	20.97	23.22
PBILDT	1.81	2.12
PAT	0.94	1.12
Overall gearing (times)	2.98	4.65
Interest coverage (times)	2.80	3.18

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

<sup>1</sup>Complete definition of ratings assigned are available at <a href="https://www.careedge.in">www.careedge.in</a> and other CARE Ratings Limited's publications.

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



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 and Rating Outlook
Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit		-	-	-	4.50	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund-based - ST- Bank Guarantee	-		-	-	3.50	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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

S	Name of	me of Current Ratings		Rating History				
r N o	the Instrument /Bank Facilities	Typ e	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	4.50	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING *	-	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (24-Jul-23)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (04-Jul-22)	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (18-May-21)
2	Non-fund- based - ST- Bank Guarantee	ST	3.50	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING *	-	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (24-Jul-23)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (04-Jul-22)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (18-May-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 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	

## **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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