

Paras Commercial Corporation

September 11, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action		
Long Term Bank Facilities	5.45	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category		
Short Term Bank Facilities	rt Term Bank Facilities 4.55		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 25, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Paras Commercial Corporation (PCC) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as PCC had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating. PCC continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated June 09, 2024, June 19, 2024, June 29, 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 25, 2023

Applicable criteria

CARE Ratings' criteria on information adequacy risk and issuer non-cooperation

Policy on Default Recognition

Criteria on Assigning 'Outlook' or 'Rating Watch' to Credit Ratings

About the firm

Paras Commercial Corporation (PCC), a partnership entity was incorporated in 1988 by Mr. Sanjay N. Mehta, Mr. Divyesh H. Mehta, Mr. Chetan H. Mehta and Mr. Rakesh H. Mehta. PCC is associated with M/S. Tata Chemicals LTD. (TCL) for entire range of products which includes salt, dal and pulses and with M/S. Tata Global Beverages LTD (TGBL) for tea as a super stockist for the last 30 years and also responsible for marketing and distribution of FMCG products across Odisha. Besides this, PCC is also a registered distributor of Creamy Foods Ltd (CFL) for Ghee and milk powder and of Ganesh Grains Ltd. for the entire range of wheat products. PCC is also engaged as Clearing and Forwarding (C&F) agent on behalf of its clients.

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: India Ratings has continued the rating assigned to the bank facilities of PCC into ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category vide press release dated September 12, 2023 on account of its inability to carry out a review in the absence of requisite information from the firm.

CRISIL has continued the rating assigned to the bank facilities of PCC into ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category vide press release dated November 13, 2023 on account of its inability to carry out a review in the absence of requisite information from the firm.

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

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^{*}Issuer did not cooperate; based on best available information.

¹Complete definition of ratings assigned are available at www.careedge.in and other CARE Ratings Limited'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 and Rating Outlook
Fund-based - LT-		-	-	_	5.45	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER
Cash Credit					3.13	NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund-based -					4.55	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT
ST-Bank Guarantee		-	-	-	4.55	COOPERATING*

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Annexure-2: Rating history for last three years

		Current Ratings		Rating History				
Sr. No	Name of the Instrument/Ba nk Facilities	Typ e	Amount Outstandi ng (₹ 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	5.45	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (25-Jul-23)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (07-Jul-22)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (10-May-21)
2	Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee	ST	4.55	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (25-Jul-23)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (07-Jul-22)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (10-May-21)

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Annexure-3: Detailed explanation of covenants of 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 <u>click here</u>

Note on complexity levels of rated instruments: CARE Ratings has classified instruments rated by it based on complexity. Investors/market intermediaries/regulators or others are welcome to write to care@careedge.in for clarifications.

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LT: Long term; ST: Short term



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