

## **Gupta Enterprises**

September 30, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating <sup>1</sup>	Rating Action	
Long Term / Short Term Bank Facilities	59.25	CARE B-; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category and LT rating downgraded from CARE B; Stable and ST rating reaffirmed	

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1.

# Rationale and key rating drivers

CARE Ratings Ltd. had, vide its press release dated August 08, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Gupta Enterprises (GE) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as GE had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. GE continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails dated June 23, 2024, July 03, 2024, July 13, 2024 among others.

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).

The ratings assigned to the bank facilities of GE have been revised on account of non-availability of requisite information.

Analytical approach: Standalone

Outlook: Stable

## **Detailed description of the key rating drivers:**

Please refer to PR dated August 08, 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**

GE, established in 1974 by Mr. M M Gupta, is a partnership firm primarily engaged in the business of processing and exporting of human hair. GE is the flagship entity of Gupta Group which has presence in exporting of human hair, processed human hair products and manufacturing cotton swabs. GE's group company, GHPL is involved in the manufacture & export of hair wefts from its manufacturing plant in Chennai.

**Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA:** CRISIL has continued the rating assigned to the bank facilities of GE into Issuer Not Cooperating category vide press release dated April 11, 2024 on account of its inability to carry out a review in the absence of the requisite information from the firm.

Infomerics has continued the rating assigned to the bank facilities of GE into Issuer Not Cooperating category vide press release dated August 08, 2024 on account of its inability to carry out a review in the absence of the requisite information from the firm.

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

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

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



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/						CARE B-; Stable / CARE
ST-Bill Discounting/		-	-	-	29.50	A4; ISSUER NOT
Bills Purchasing						COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT/						CARE B-; Stable / CARE
ST-Packing Credit in		-	-	-	29.50	A4; ISSUER NOT
Indian rupee						COOPERATING*
Non-fund-based -						CARE B-; Stable / CARE
LT/ ST-Bank		-	-	-	0.25	A4; ISSUER NOT
Guarantee						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/ ST-Packing Credit in Indian rupee	LT/S T	29.50	CARE B-; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE B; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (08-Aug-23)	1)CARE B+; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (20-Jul-22)	1)CARE BB-; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (14-Jun-21)
2	Fund-based - LT/ ST-Bill Discounting/ Bills Purchasing	LT/S T	29.50	CARE B-; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE B; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (08-Aug-23)	1)CARE B+; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (20-Jul-22)	1)CARE BB-; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (14-Jun-21)
3	Non-fund-based - LT/ ST-Bank Guarantee	LT/S T	0.25	CARE B-; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE B; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (08-Aug-23)	1)CARE B+; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (20-Jul-22)	1)CARE BB-; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (14-Jun-21)

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LT/ST: Long term/Short term

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/ ST-Bill Discounting/ Bills Purchasing	Simple
2	Fund-based - LT/ ST-Packing Credit in Indian rupee	Simple
3	Non-fund-based - LT/ 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 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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