

## **Basanti Devi Rice Mill Private Limited**

October 08, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating <sup>1</sup>	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	7.93	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category and Downgraded from CARE B; Stable
Short Term Bank Facilities	0.59	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 August 11, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Basanti Devi Rice Mill Private Limited (BDRMPL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as BDRMPL had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. BDRMPL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails dated June 26, 2024, July 06, 2024, July 16, 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 BDRMPL 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 11, 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' or 'Rating Watch' to Credit Ratings</u>

## About the company

Incorporated in November 2009, Basanti Devi Rice Mill Private Limited (BDRMPL) was promoted by the Ghosh family of Hooghly, West Bengal. The company has started its commercial operations from December, 2011 with rice processing capacity of 28,800 metric ton per annum (MTPA) at its plant located at Hooghly, West Bengal. Recently the company has increased its installed capacity to 72,000 MTPA. The company mainly deals in parboiled rice.

#### 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

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



## 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-			-	-	6.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER
Cash Credit		-				NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT-			-	March	1.93	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER
Term Loan		-		2024	1.95	NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund-based -			-	-	0.59	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT
ST-Bank 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	Тур е	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- Term Loan	LT	1.93	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (11-Aug-23)	1)CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (26-Jul-22)	1)CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (19-May-21)
2	Fund-based - LT- Cash Credit	LT	6.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (11-Aug-23)	1)CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (26-Jul-22)	1)CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (19-May-21)
3	Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee	ST	0.59	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (11-Aug-23)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (26-Jul-22)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (19-May-21)

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LT: Long term; ST: 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-Cash Credit	Simple
2	Fund-based - LT-Term Loan	Simple
3	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 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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