

Sunil Sponge Private Limited

October 15, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	20.00	CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category and Downgraded from CARE BB-; Stable
Short Term Bank Facilities	10.00	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 August 16, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Sunil Sponge Private Limited (SSPL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as SSPL had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. SSPL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails dated July 01, 2024, July 11, 2024, July 21, 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 SSPL 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 16, 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 company

Sunil Sponge Private Ltd (SSPL), incorporated in 2003, is promoted by Raipur-based Mr. Anil Nachrani. The company set up a sponge unit (30,000 MTPA) in January 2004 in Raipur, Chhattisgarh and gradually expanded its business by setting up MS Billet manufacturing facility and rolling mill. Currently, it has a manufacturing capacity of sponge iron (60,000 MTPA), MS Billet (36,000 MTPA), re-rolled products (30,000 MTPA) and a waste-heat recovery based captive power plant (4 MW)

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Brickwork has continued the rating assigned to the bank facilities of SSPL into Issuer Not Cooperating category vide press release dated January 05, 2024 on account of its inability to carry out a review in the absence of the requisite information from the company.

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

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-Cash Credit		-	-	-	20.00	CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund-based - ST-Letter of credit		-	-	-	10.00	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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Annexure-2: Rating history for last three years

Sr. No.	Name of the Instrument/Bank Facilities	Current Ratings			Rating History			
		Type	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	20.00	CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE BB-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (16-Aug-23)	1)CARE BB-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (27-Jul-22)	1)CARE BB; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (26-May-21)
2	Non-fund-based - ST-Letter of credit	ST	10.00	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (16-Aug-23)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (27-Jul-22)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (26-May-21)

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

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	Non-fund-based - ST-Letter of credit	Simple

Annexure-5: Lender details

To view the lender wise details of bank facilities please click here
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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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