

K.J.M. Rice Milling Industries

October 16, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	8.05	CARE B-; Stable; 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 September 28, 2023, placed the rating(s) of K.J.M. Rice Milling Industries (KRMI) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as KRMI had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. KRMI continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails dated August 13, 2024, August 23, 2024, September 02, 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).

Analytical approach: Standalone

Outlook: Stable

Detailed description of the key rating drivers:

Please refer to PR dated [September 28, 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

West Bengal based K.J.M. Rice Milling Industries was established in the year 2014 by Mallick family with an objective to enter into rice milling and processing business. The manufacturing unit of the firm is located at Bribhum, West Bengal with an installed capacity of 23,040 metric tons per annum. The firm procures its raw material i.e. paddy from local farmers and traders. This apart the firm is also engaged in custom milling on behalf of government of West Bengal. The firm is managed by all the three partners with adequate support from a team of experienced personnel.

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: CRISIL has continued the rating assigned to the bank facilities of KRMI into Issuer Not Cooperating category vide press release dated February 13, 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 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

¹Complete definition of ratings assigned are available at www.careedge.in 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-Cash Credit		-	-	-	3.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT-Term Loan		-	-	December 2024	5.05	CARE B-; Stable; 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-Term Loan	LT	5.05	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (28-Sep-23)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (24-Aug-22)	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (29-Jul-21)
2	Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit	LT	3.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (28-Sep-23)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (24-Aug-22)	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (29-Jul-21)

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LT: Long 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

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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