

# **Betul Oil Limited**

#### October 03, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating <sup>1</sup>	Rating Action	
Long Term Bank Facilities	85.00	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 August 31, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Betul Oil Limited (BOL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as BOL had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. BOL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails dated July 16, 2024, July 26, 2024 and August 05, 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 <u>August 31, 2023</u>

#### **Applicable criteria**

<u>CARE Ratings' criteria on information adequacy risk and issuer non-cooperation</u> <u>Policy on default recognition</u> <u>Rating Outlook and Credit Watch</u>

#### About the company

In 1995, Daga family took over the business from the original promoters. The company is engaged in manufacturing of soya de-oiled cake (DOC), refining of edible oil and specialty ingredients, hybrid seeds as well as trading in agro commodities. The company is one of the largest suppliers of soybean meal to the domestic animal feed industry having direct access to nearly 850 poultry farms. BOL has three manufacturing facilities viz; located at Betul and Satna, (Madhya Pradesh) and Solapur (Maharashtra). Besides, BOL also operates two windmills of 1.25 MW each at Dhule, Maharashtra and Dewas, Madhya Pradesh.

#### 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 the covenants of the rated instruments/facilities is given in Annexure-3

#### Complexity level of various instruments rated: Please refer Annexure-4

Lender details: Annexure 5

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Complete definition of the ratings assigned are available at <u>www.careedge.in</u> and other CARE Ratings Ltd.'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		-	-	-	85.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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# Annexure-2: Rating History of last three years

		Current Ratings			Rating History			
Sr. No	Name of the Instrument/Ba nk Facilities	Туре	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	85.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (31-Aug- 23)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (30-Aug- 22)	1)CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERAT ING* (22-Jun-21)

*\*Issuer did not cooperate; Based on best available information* LT: Long term;

# Annexure-3: Detailed explanation of the covenants of the rated instruments/facilities: Not Applicable

# Annexure-4: Complexity level of the various instruments rated

Sr. No.	Name of the Instrument	Complexity Level		
1	Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit	Simple		

# Annexure-5: Lender details

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

**Note on complexity levels of the rated instrument:** CARE Ratings has classified instruments rated by it on the basis of complexity. Investors/market intermediaries/regulators or others are welcome to write to <u>care@careedge.in</u> for any clarifications.



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