

S. S. Rice Mill October 28, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action		
Long Term Bank Facilities	5.20	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category		
Short Term Bank Facilities	2.50	CARE D; 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 October 04, 2023, placed the rating(s) of S. S. Rice Mill (SSRM) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as SSRM had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. SSRM continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails dated August 19, 2024, August 29, 2024, September 08, 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: Not applicable

Detailed description of the key rating drivers:

Please refer to PR dated October 04, 2023

Applicable criteria

<u>CARE Ratings' criteria on information adequacy risk and issuer non-cooperation</u> <u>Policy on Default Recognition</u>

About the firm

S. S. Rice Mill was established in 2016, commenced its operation in December 2017, with an objective to enter into the rice milling and processing business. The manufacturing unit is located at Dongargarh, Rajnandgaon, Chhattisgarh. The current installed capacity of the unit is 28,800 tons per annum. The entity is procuring raw paddy from the local farmers. Mr. Prateek Jain (aged 40 years) having five years of experience and Mr. Vinod Lalwani (aged 43 years) having 10 years of experience in similar line of business, looks after the day to day operations of the firm along with other partners and a team of experienced professionals.

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: CRISIL has continued the rating assigned to the bank facilities of SSRM into ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category vide press release dated June 24, 2024 on account of its inability to carry out a review in the absence of requisite information from the firm.

Brickwork has continued the rating assigned to the bank facilities of SSRM into ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category vide press release dated September 16, 2024 on account of its inability to carry out a review in the absence of requisite information from the firm.

Any other information: Not applicable

Rating history for last three years: Annexure-2

Covenants of rated instrument / facility: Annexure-3

Complexity level of various instruments rated: Annexure-4

¹Complete definition of ratings assigned are available at <u>www.careedge.in</u> 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-		_	-	-	2.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT
Cash Credit		-				COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT-			-	September	3.20	CARE D; ISSUER NOT
Term Loan		-		2023	5.20	COOPERATING*
Non-fund-based - ST-			-	-	2.50	CARE D; ISSUER NOT
Bank Guarantee		-				COOPERATING*

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Annexure-2: Rating history for last three years

S	S Name of Current Ratings			Rating History				
r . N 0.	the Instrume nt/ Bank Facilities	Тур е	Amount Outstan ding (₹ 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	2.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERAT ING*	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (04-Oct-23)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (16-Sep-22)	1)CARE C; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (07-Oct-21)
2	Fund- based - LT- Term Loan	LT	3.20	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERAT ING*	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (04-Oct-23)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (16-Sep-22)	1)CARE C; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (07-Oct-21)
3	Non-fund- based - ST- Bank Guarantee	ST	2.50	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERAT ING*	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (04-Oct-23)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (16-Sep-22)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (07-Oct-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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