

Niknam Chemicals Private Limited

October 14, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	8.15	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	5.85	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 September 18, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Niknam Chemicals Private Limited (NCPL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as NCPL had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. NCPL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails dated August 03, 2024, August 13, 2024 and August 23, 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 bank facilities of NCPL 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 [September 18, 2023](#)

Applicable criteria

[CARE Rating's criteria on information adequacy risk and issuer non-cooperation](#)

[Policy on Default Recognition](#)

[Criteria on assigning outlook and credit watch](#)

About the company

Delhi based Niknam Chemicals Private limited (NCPL) was incorporated in 1992 and is currently being managed by Mrs. Indu Ladha, Mr. Sushil Ladha and Mr. Niket Ladha. NCPL is engaged in manufacturing of fire-retardant chemicals, flame retardant chemicals, smoke suppressant chemicals etc.

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: BRICKWORK has continued the ratings assigned to the bank facilities of NCPL into 'Issuer not-cooperating' category vide press release dated January 19, 2024 on account of non-availability of 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 the covenants of the rated instruments/facilities is given in Annexure-3

Complexity level of various instruments rated for this company: Please refer Annexure-4

Lender details: Please refer 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		-	-	-	2.80	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT-Proposed fund based limits		-	-	-	2.64	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT-Term Loan		-	-	October 2024	2.71	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - ST-Bill Discounting/ Bills Purchasing		-	-	-	5.85	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-Term Loan	LT	2.71	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (18-Sep-23)	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (19-Sep-22)	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (02-Jul-21)
2	Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit	LT	2.80	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (18-Sep-23)	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (19-Sep-22)	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (02-Jul-21)
3	Fund-based - ST-Bill Discounting/ Bills Purchasing	ST	5.85	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (18-Sep-23)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (19-Sep-22)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (02-Jul-21)
4	Fund-based - LT-Proposed fund based limits	LT	2.64	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (18-Sep-23)	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (19-Sep-22)	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (02-Jul-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-Proposed fund based limits	Simple
3	Fund-based - LT-Term Loan	Simple
4	Fund-based - ST-Bill Discounting/ Bills Purchasing	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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