

Bardhaman Agro Products (I) Private Limited

October 11, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	9.50	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category
Short Term Bank Facilities	0.20	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 01, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Bardhaman Agro Products (I) Private Limited (BAPPL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as BAPPL had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. BAPPL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails dated June 16, 2024, June 26, 2024, July 06, 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 [August 01, 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

Bardhaman Agro Products (I) Private Ltd (BAPPL), incorporated in 2009, commenced operation from October, 2009. The company is engaged in processing and milling of Govind Bhog rice at its milling unit located at Burdwan, West Bengal. BAPPL procures paddy from farmers & local agents and sells its products through the wholesalers and distributors across south India mainly areas like Bangalore, Kerala and Pondicherry. The company also exports its branded products to some of the Middle East countries. The company also has premium flagship brands named 'ROSE' and 'Tripple Deer'. Mr. Sekh Rabikul Haque (Director) and Mr. Samir Kanti Sikdar (Director) has over two decades of experience in rice milling, looks after the day to day operations of the company. They are further supported by a team of experienced professionals.

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: ICRA has continued the rating assigned to the bank facilities of BAPPL into ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category vide press release dated October 31, 2023 on account of its inability to carry out a review in the absence 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 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	-	-	-	-	9.50	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee	-	-	-	-	0.20	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	9.50	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (01-Aug-23)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (20-Jun-22)	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (01-Apr-21)
2	Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee	ST	0.20	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (01-Aug-23)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (20-Jun-22)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (01-Apr-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	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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