

Kamala Board Box Private Limited

October 22, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action	
Long Term Bank Facilities	9.30	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category	
Short Term Bank Facilities	0.21	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category	

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1.

Rationale and key rating drivers

CARE Ratings Ltd. had, vide its press release dated September 13, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Kamala Board Box Private Limited (KBBPL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as KBBPL had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. KBBPL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails dated July 29, 2024, August 08, 2024 and August 18, 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 13, 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

KBBPL was initially set up as a proprietorship firm 'Kamala Board Box' in the year 1984 by Mr. Subrata Das and Mrs. Ipsita Das. Subsequently, it was converted into private limited company with effect from February 23, 2006 and the name of the company changed to its present name. The company has been engaged in manufacturing of corrugated board boxes, used for packaging products. The manufacturing facility of the company is located at Kolkata, West Bengal.

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: ICRA has continued the rating assigned to the bank facilities of KBBPL into ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category vide press release dated August 02, 2024 on account of its inability to carry out a review in the absence of requisite information from the company.

CRISIL has continued the rating assigned to the bank facilities of KBBPL into ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category vide press release dated December 19, 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 the covenants of the rated instruments/facilities is given in Annexure-3

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^{*}Issuer did not cooperate; based on best available information.

¹Complete definition of ratings assigned are available at <u>www.careedge.in</u> and other CARE Ratings Limited's publications.



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

Lender details: Please refer 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-Cash Credit		-	-	-	6.85	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT-Term Loan		-	-	September 2024	2.45	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund- based - ST- Bank Guarantee		-	-	-	0.21	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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Annexure-2: Rating history for last three years

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	Name of the Instrument/ Bank Facilities	Current Ratings		Rating History				
Sr. No		Ty pe	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- Term Loan	LT	2.45	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (13-Sep-23)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (18-Aug-22)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (09-Jun-21)
2	Fund-based - LT- Cash Credit	LT	6.85	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (13-Sep-23)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (18-Aug-22)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (09-Jun-21)
3	Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee	ST	0.21	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (13-Sep-23)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (18-Aug-22)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (09-Jun-21)

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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		

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LT: Long term; ST: Short term.



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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