

## **Simran Food Private Limited**

October 22, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	es/Instruments Amount (₹ crore)		Rating Action	
Long Term Bank Facilities 15.00		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 September 29, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Simran Food Private Limited (SFPL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as SFPL had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. SFPL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails dated August 14, 2024, August 24, 2024 and September 03, 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 29, 2023

#### **Applicable criteria**

<u>CARE Rating's 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

SFPL was incorporated in 1998 and is promoted by Mr Vijay Kumar Gupta. The company has an installed capacity of 60,000 TPA and the manufacturing facility is located in UP. There are two other group companies named as Akshat Agro Milling Company Pvt. Ltd. and Akshat Roller Flour Mills Pvt. Ltd. The company has an active participation in UP, Bihar and West Bengal whereas the whole group is present in various other states such as Madhya Pradesh, Jharkhand, Andhra Pradesh and Tamil Nadu. The company has a distribution network of more than 60 distributors and association with local brokers for the sale of the products.

**Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA:** CRISIL has continued the rating assigned to the bank facilities of SFPL into Issuer Not Cooperating category vide press release dated November 20, 2023 on account of its inability to carry out a review in the absence of requisite information.

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

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Complete definition of ratings assigned are available at <u>www.careedge.in</u> 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		-	-	-	15.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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## Annexure-2: Rating history for last three years

6-	Name of the		Current Ratings		Rating History			
Sr. No	Instrumen t Typ /Bank e Facilities		Amount Outstandin g (₹ 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	15.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING *	-	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (29-Sep-23)	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (20-Sep-22)	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (05-Jul-21)

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LT: Long 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		

## **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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