

Keshvanand Ceramic Industries

October 22, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	4.10	CARE B-; 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 28, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Keshvanand Ceramic Industries (KCI) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as KCI had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. KCI continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails dated July 13, 2024, July 23, 2024, August 02, 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 August 28, 2023

Applicable criteria

CARE Rating's criteria on information adequacy risk and issuer non-cooperation Policy on Default Recognition

About the Firm

Morbi (Gujarat) - based, Keshvanand Ceramic Industries (KCI) was established in 2014 by Mr. Vinod Bhamani, Mr. Jayantilal Padaliya, Mr. Manish Bhimani and Mr. Bipin Bhimani. KCI is engaged in manufacturing of ceramic body minerals in the form of clay. The ceramic body minerals are used in manufacturing of tiles. The manufacturing plant is located at Morbi with an installed capacity of 3000 MTPA of ceramic body minerals.

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Not Applicable

Any other information: Not Applicable

Rating History for last three years: Please refer Annexure-2

Covenants of the rated instruments/facilities: Detailed explanation of the 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 <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		-	-	-	2.00	CARE B-; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT-Term Loan		-	-	October 2019	2.10	CARE B-; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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Annexure-2: Rating history for last three years

Name of 0		Current Ratings		Rating History				
Sr. No	the Instrument / Bank Facilities	Typ e	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-Term Loan	LT	2.10	CARE B-; ISSUER NOT COOPER ATING*	-	1)CARE B-; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (28-Aug-23)	1)CARE B-; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (28-Jul-22)	1)CARE B-; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (24-May-21)
2	Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit	LT	2.00	CARE B-; ISSUER NOT COOPER ATING*	-	1)CARE B-; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (28-Aug-23)	1)CARE B-; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (28-Jul-22)	1)CARE B-; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (24-May-21)

*Issuer did not cooperate; based on best available information. 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		
2	Fund-based - LT-Term Loan	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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