

PAS Trading House

November 13, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action		
Long Term Bank Facilities	11.94	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category		
Long Term / Short Term Bank Facilities	19.50	CARE D / CARE D; 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 October 30, 2023, placed the rating(s) of PAS Trading House (PTH) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as PTH had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. PTH continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through emails dated September 14, 2024, September 24, 2024 and October 04, 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 October 30, 2023

Applicable criteria

<u>CARE Ratings' criteria on information adequacy risk and issuer non-cooperation</u> <u>Policy on Default Recognition</u>

About the Firm

PAS Trading House (PAS) was established in 2015 as a partnership firm by Mr. Sunil Khanna, Mrs. Alka Khanna and Mr. Puranjay Khanna. PAS Trading House draws its history from the establishment of SGK Trading House Private Limited (engaged in trading of paper), where Mr. Sunil Khanna was a partner along with Mr. Gopal Khaitan. On mutually winding up of this business w.e.f. December 31, 2014, Mr. Sunil Khanna, floated a new partnership firm comprising of his family members and decided to continue with existing business of SGKTH in the name of PAS Trading House. PAS Trading House is engaged in trading of various grades of paper such as coated wood free paper, printing paper, label paper, speciality paper, packaging paper, etc. which are 100% domestically supplied to the local printers, publishers, label manufacturers, packaging industries, traders & wholesalers which are majorly based in Maharashtra, Madhya Pradesh and Gujarat and it finds its application in pharma industry, FMCG goods industry, barcode industry, packaging industry and beer manufacturing industry.

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: CRISIL continues to categorize rating assigned to the bank facilities of PTH under non-cooperation category vide PR dated November 07, 2023 on account of its inability to carry out a rating surveillance in the absence of the requisite information from the company.

India Ratings continues to categorize rating assigned to the bank facilities of PTH under non-cooperation category vide PR dated June 25, 2024 on account of its inability to carry out a rating surveillance in the absence of the requisite information from the company.

Any other information: Not Applicable

Rating History for last three years: Annexure-2

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



Covenants of rated instrument/facility: Annexure-3

Complexity level of various instruments rated: Annexure 4

Lender details: 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-Bank Overdraft		-	-	-	3.90	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT-Term Loan		-	-	March 2033	7.54	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT-Term Loan		-	-	July 2023	0.50	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT/ ST- Cash Credit		-	-	-	12.00	CARE D / CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund-based - LT/ ST-Letter of credit		-	-	-	7.50	CARE D / CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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



Annexure-2: Rating history for last three years

	-	Current Ratings		Rating History				
Sr. No	Name of the Instrument/Ban k Facilities	Туре	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- Bank Overdraft	LT	3.90	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING *	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (30-Oct-23)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (17-Oct-22)	1)CARE D (30-Mar-22) 2)CARE B; Stable (01-Jul-21)
2	Fund-based - LT- Term Loan	LT	7.54	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING *	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (30-Oct-23)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (17-Oct-22)	1)CARE D (30-Mar-22) 2)CARE B; Stable (01-Jul-21)
3	Fund-based - LT- Term Loan	LT	0.50	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING *	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (30-Oct-23)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (17-Oct-22)	1)CARE D (30-Mar-22) 2)CARE B; Stable (01-Jul-21)
4	Non-fund-based - LT/ ST-Letter of credit	LT/S T	7.50	CARE D / CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING *	-	1)CARE D / CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (30-Oct-23)	1)CARE D / CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (17-Oct-22)	1)CARE D / CARE D (30-Mar-22) 2)CARE B; Stable / CARE A4 (01-Jul-21)
5	Fund-based - LT/ ST-Cash Credit	LT/S T	12.00	CARE D / CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING *	-	1)CARE D / CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (30-Oct-23)	1)CARE D / CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (17-Oct-22)	1)CARE D / CARE D (30-Mar-22) 2)CARE B; Stable / CARE A4 (01-Jul-21)

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LT: Long term; LT/ST: Long term/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-Bank Overdraft Sir				
2	2 Fund-based - LT-Term Loan Simp			
3 Fund-based - LT/ ST-Cash Credit		Simple		
4 Non-fund-based - LT/ ST-Letter of credit		Simple		



Annexure-5: Lender details

To view the lender wise details of bank facilities please click here

Note on the complexity levels of the rated instruments: CARE Ratings has classified instruments rated by it on the basis of complexity. Investors/market intermediaries/regulators or others are welcome to write to care@careedge.in for any clarifications.



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