

Dhanraj and Company

November 21, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	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 October 05, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Dhanraj and Company (DC) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as DC had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. DC continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails dated August 20, 2024, August 30, 2024, September 09, 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

CARE had taken combined view for two entities, viz., Dhanraj & Co. and Dungarmal Dhanraj & Co. [collectively referred to as Dhanraj Group (DHG)] due to their operational, financial and managerial linkages. However, updated information is not available to ascertain financial linkages that warrant a continuation of combined approach.

Outlook: Stable

Detailed description of the key rating drivers:

Please refer to PR dated [October 05, 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](#)

[Combined](#)

About the Firm

M/s. Dhanraj & Co. (DCO), a proprietorship firm, was established in 1986 by Mr. Dhanraj Kella. The firm is engaged in trading of sugar. The firm procures sugar from sugar mills and sells it to government warehouses i.e. District Supply Officer (DSO) controlled warehouses and other private players. The proprietor's son, Mr. Lalit Kella operates a group entity in the same line of business, viz., M/s. Dungarmal Dhanraj & Co. (DDCO).

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Not Applicable

Any other information: Not Applicable

Rating History for last three years: Annexure-2

Covenants of rated instrument/facility: 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-Bank Overdraft		-	-	-	4.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit		-	-	-	11.00	CARE B-; Stable; 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	11.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (05-Oct-23)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (30-Aug-22)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (14-Jul-21)
2	Fund-based - LT-Bank Overdraft	LT	4.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (05-Oct-23)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (30-Aug-22)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (14-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-Bank Overdraft	Simple
2	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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