

### H.B. Ravi Kumar

November 13, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating <sup>1</sup>	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	6.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category
Short Term Bank Facilities	6.00	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 October 04, 2023, placed the rating(s) of H.B. Ravi Kumar (HRK) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as HRK had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. HRK continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails dated August 19, 2024, August 29, 2024, September 08, 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 October 04, 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 Firm**

Mysore based H. B. Ravikumar (HRK) was established in 1996 as a Proprietorship firm, promoted by Mr. H B Ravi Kumar. HBR is registered as a Class I contractor with Public Works Department (PWD) of Government of Karnataka. The firm gets all its contracts through open bidding process. The firm is engaged in civil construction works like laying off roads including state highways and construction of buildings.

**Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA:** Brickwork has continued the ratings assigned to the bank facilities of HRK to the 'issuer not-cooperating' category vide press release dated May 13, 2024 on account of its inability to carryout review in the absence of requisite information from the firm.

Any other information: Not Applicable

Rating History for last three years: Annexure-2

Covenants of the rated instruments/facilities: Annexure-3

Complexity level of various instruments rated: Annexure-4

Lender details: Annexure-5

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<sup>\*</sup>Issuer did not cooperate; based on best available information.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Complete definition of ratings assigned are available at <a href="www.careedge.in">www.careedge.in</a> 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-		-	_	_	6.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER
Cash Credit					0.00	NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund-based - ST-					6.00	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT
Bank Guarantee		-	-	-	0.00	COOPERATING*

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

		Current Ratings			Rating History			
Sr. No	Name of the Instrument/Ba nk Facilities	Typ e	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- Cash Credit	LT	6.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (04-Oct-23)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (08-Sep-22)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (29-Jul-21)
2	Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee	ST	6.00	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (04-Oct-23)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (08-Sep-22)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (29-Jul-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	Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee	Simple

### **Annexure-5: Lender details**

To view the lender wise details of bank facilities please <u>click here</u>

**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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LT: Long term; ST: Short term



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