

Budge Budge Company Limited

November 28, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	23.28	CARE B; Stable; 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 November 10, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Budge Budge Company Limited (BBCL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as BBCL had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. BBCL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails dated September 25, 2024, October 05, 2024 and October 15, 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 November 10, 2023

Applicable criteria

Policy on Default Recognition
Policy in respect of non-cooperation by issuers
Rating Outlook and Rating Watch

About the company

BBCL was incorporated by Mr. Ashok Kumar Poddar on May 10, 1973 as Carbonates (India) Limited and was rechristened as Budge Budge Co. Ltd in 1981. The promoters have business interests in industries like logistics, real estate and tea and have manufacturing units in the State of Kerala and West Bengal. Currently the company is engaged in manufacturing various jute products such as Hessian, Sacking and Yarn at its manufacturing unit in Budge Budge, West Bengal with an installed capacity of 36,500 MTPA.

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Brief Financials (₹ crore)	March 31, 2023 (A)	March 31, 2024 (A)					
Total operating income	298.53	222.59					
PBILDT	6.78	13.65					
PAT	2.75	4.24					
Overall gearing (times)	1.33	1.53					
Interest coverage (times)	0.92	1.36					

A: Audited Note: 'the above results are latest financial results available'

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

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



Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: CRISIL has continued the rating assigned to the bank facilities of BBCL into Issuer Not Cooperating category vide press release dated November 25, 2024 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: Annexure-2

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- Cash Credit		-	-	-	14.00	CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT- Term Loan		-	-	September 2023	9.28	CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT 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) assigne d 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	14.00	CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (10-Nov-23)	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (26-Aug-22)	1)CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (08-Jul-21)
2	Fund-based - LT- Term Loan	LT	9.28	CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (10-Nov-23)	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (26-Aug-22)	1)CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (08-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	Fund-based - LT-Term Loan	Simple	

LT: Long term



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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