

V P N Raw And Boiled Rice Mill

November 19, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	9.00	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 11, 2023, placed the rating(s) of V P N Raw And Boiled Rice Mill (VPNRBRM) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as VPNRBRM had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. VPNRBRM continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails dated August 26, 2024, September 05, 2024, September 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 [October 11, 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

V P N Raw And Boiled Rice Mill (VPNRBRM) was established and promoted by Mr. Pullaiah Verepalli & Ms. Ammani Verepalli as a partnership firm in the year 2007 for rice milling with the installed capacity of 24 MT per day. Paddy is the main input which is procured from the farmers located in and around Nellore, being the agricultural prone place. The firm sells the final product under its own brand name VPN Gold to wholesalers (as 25 kg, 50 kgs 75kg and 100 kg bags) to states covering Kerala, Pondicherry, and Karnataka & Gujarat through 30 brokers. The process of production is semi – automated. Rice bran & broken rice are by products. The registered office is located in Nellore, Tamilnadu.

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Brickwork has continued the ratings assigned to the bank facilities of VPNRBRM to the 'issuer not-cooperating' category vide press release dated January 25, 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

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-Cash Credit		-	-	-	9.00	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	9.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (11-Oct-23)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (22-Sep-22)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (20-Aug-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-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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