

Panama Agriculture Private Limited

December 16, 2024

| Facilities/Instruments | Amount (₹ crore) | Rating ¹ | Rating Action | |
|---------------------------|------------------|------------------------------------|--|--|
| Long Term Bank Facilities | 1.25 | 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 December 18, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Panama Agriculture Private Limited (PAPL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as PAPL had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. PAPL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails dated November 02, 2024, November 12, 2024 and November 22, 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 <u>December 18, 2023</u>

Applicable criteria

CARE Ratings' criteria on information adequacy risk and issuer non-cooperation Policy on default recognition

About the company

Pune based, Panama Agritech Private Limited was promoted by Ladkat brothers with Mr. Sameer Ladkat as Chairman and Mr. GautamLadkat as Director. Further, since Feb 08, 2016, the name of the company was changed to PAPL. The company is engaged in providing services for scientific and safe storage of grains in silo bags. The company primarily provides its services to Madhya Pradesh Warehousing and Logistic Corporation (MPWLC) on rental basis at a pre-agreed price per quintal.

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 the ratings assigned are available at <u>www.careedge.in</u> and other CARE Ratings Ltd.'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 | | - | - | - | 1.25 | CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* |

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Annexure-2: Rating History of last three years

| | Current Rating | | gs Rating History | | | | | |
|------------|---|------|--|--|---|---|---|---|
| Sr. No. | Name of the Instrument/Ba nk Facilities | Туре | 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 | 1.25 | CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERAT ING* | - | 1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (18-Dec- 23) | 1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (20-Oct-22) | 1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERAT ING* (23-Aug- 21) |

**Issuer did not cooperate; Based on best available information* LT: Long term;

Annexure-3: Detailed explanation of the covenants of the rated instruments/facilities: Not Applicable

Annexure-4: Complexity level of the various 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 <u>click here</u>

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



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