

Sopaan Jeweller

December 19, 2024

| Facilities/Instruments | Amount (₹ crore) | Rating ¹ | Rating Action |
|---------------------------|------------------|--|--|
| Long Term Bank Facilities | 12.00 | 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 December 12, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Sopaan Jeweller (SJ) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as SJ had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. SJ continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails dated October 27, 2024, November 06, 2024 and November 16, 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 December 12, 2023

Applicable criteria

CARE Rating's criteria on information adequacy risk and issuer non-cooperation Policy on Default Recognition
Criteria on Assigning 'Outlook' or 'Rating Watch' to Credit Ratings

About the company

Sopaan Jeweller (SJ) was established in May, 2016 as a partnership firm by Mr. Avninder Kumar Jain, Mr. Aditya Jain and Mrs Meenu Jain as its partners. SJ is engaged in bullion trading and manufacturing of gold and diamond jewelry. SJ has one retail outlet/showroom located at Ludhiana, Punjab.

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

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

¹Complete definition of ratings assigned are available at <u>www.careedge.in</u> 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 | | - | - | - | 12.00 | 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/ Bank Facilities | Ty pe | 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 | 12.00 | CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* | - | 1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (12-Dec-23) | 1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (17-Nov-22) | 1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (11-Oct-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 |

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.



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