

Pack Paper Agencies Private Limited

December 16, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Long Term / Short Term Bank Facilities	10.50	CARE B- / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category and LT rating downgraded from CARE B; and ST rating reaffirmed

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1.

Rationale and key rating drivers

CARE Ratings Ltd. had, vide its press release dated October 30, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Pack Paper Agencies Private Limited (PPAPL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as PPAPL had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. PPAPL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails dated September 14, 2024, September 24, 2024, October 04, 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).

The ratings assigned to the bank facilities of PPAPL have been revised on account of non-availability of requisite information.

Analytical approach: Standalone

Outlook: Not Applicable

Detailed description of the key rating drivers:

Please refer to PR dated October 30, 2023

Applicable criteria

<u>CARE Rating's criteria on information adequacy risk and issuer non-cooperation</u>
Policy on Default Recognition

About the company

Incorporated in March 2007, PPAPL is a Surat, Gujarat based company promoted by Mr. Chirag Laddha and Mrs. Kavita Laddha. PPAPL is engaged in the trading of paper and paper boards which finds application in fireworks, packaging and printing. PPAPL is an authorized wholesale dealer of paper and paper products of ITC Limited (Paper Boards & Specialty Papers Division) for Gujarat, Rajasthan & Maharashtra. PPAPL also has dealerships of other paper mills including Gayatrishakti Paper & Boards Limited, Tulsi Paper Mills Limited, Kherani Paper Mills Limited, Sachin Paper Mills Private Limited, Shree Kaiwal Paper Mill and Sankalp Paper Mill.

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: India Ratings has continued the ratings assigned to the bank facilities of PPAPL to 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category vide press release dated September 12, 2024 on account of its inability to carry out a review in the absence of the requisite information from the company.

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

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



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/ ST-Cash Credit		-	-	-	10.50	CARE B- / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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Annexure-2: Rating history for last three years

Sr. Name of the No Instrument/Ba . nk Facilities		Current Ratings			Rating History			
	Instrument/Ba	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/ ST-Cash Credit	LT/S T	10.50	CARE B- / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE B / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (30-Oct-23)	1)CARE B / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (29-Sep-22)	1)CARE B / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (29-Jul-21)

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LT/ST: Long term/Short 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/ ST-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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