

## A.K. Soni Hosiery Mills Private Limited

December 16, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating <sup>1</sup>	Rating Action	
Long Term Bank Facilities	17.96	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category	
Short Term Bank Facilities	0.50	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category	

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1

# **Rationale & Key Rating Drivers**

CARE Ratings Ltd. had, vide its press release dated December 11, 2023, placed the rating(s) of A.K. Soni Hosiery Mills Private Limited (ASHMPL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as ASHMPL had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. ASHMPL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails dated October 26, 2024, November 05, 2024, November 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: Not Applicable

## **Detailed description of the key rating drivers:**

Please refer to PR dated December 11, 2023

## **Applicable criteria**

**Definition of Default** 

Policy in respect of non-cooperation by issuers

### **About the company**

A.K Soni Hosiery Mills Private Limited (ASHMPL) incorporated in August, 2004 is currently being managed by Mr. Anand Kumar Soni, Mrs. Rajrani and Mr. Sanjeev Soni. Prior to ASHMPL, the promoters-directors were carrying out operations through a proprietorship firm 'A.K. Soni Hosiery Mills' (operational since 1971) engaged in similar business. The company is engaged in manufacturing of knitted fabric.

**Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA:** Brickwork has continued the rating assigned to the bank facilities of ASHMPL into Issuer Not Cooperating category vide press release dated February 16, 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

<sup>1</sup>Complete definition of ratings assigned are available at <a href="www.careedge.in">www.careedge.in</a> and other CARE Ratings Limited's publications.

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<sup>\*</sup>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-Cash Credit		-	-	-	16.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT-Term Loan		-	-	February 2020	1.96	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - ST- Working Capital Limits			-	-	0.50	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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**Annexure-2: Rating history for last three years** 

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C	Name of the Instrument/ Bank Facilities	Current Ratings		Rating History				
Sr. No		Typ e	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-Term Loan	LT	1.96	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG*	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (11-Dec-23)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (14-Nov-22)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (08-Sep-21)
2	Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit	LT	16.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG*	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (11-Dec-23)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (14-Nov-22)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (08-Sep-21)
3	Fund-based - ST-Working Capital Limits	ST	0.50	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG*	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (11-Dec-23)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (14-Nov-22)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (08-Sep-21)

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

Annexure-4: Complexity level of the various instruments rated

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Sr. No.	Name of the Instrument	Complexity Level					
1	Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit	Simple					
2	Fund-based - LT-Term Loan	Simple					
3	Fund-based - ST-Working Capital Limits	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 <a href="mailto:care@careedge.in">care@careedge.in</a> for any clarifications.

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LT: Long term; ST: Short term



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