

## **Annada Cold Storage Private Limited**

December 12, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating <sup>1</sup>	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	5.60	CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category and Downgraded from CARE B+; Stable

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1.

## Rationale and key rating drivers

CARE Ratings Ltd. had, vide its press release dated November 10, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Annada Cold Storage Private Limited (ACSPL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as ACSPL had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. ACSPL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails dated September 25, 2024, October 05, 2024, October 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).

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

Analytical approach: Standalone

Outlook: Stable

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

Please refer to PR dated November 10, 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'

## **About the company**

Annada Cold Storage Private Limited (ACSPL) was incorporated in 1997. The company is promoted by Mr. Ajoy Kundu. The company provides cold storage services primarily for potatoes to the farmers and traders on a rental basis. The cold storage unit of the company is located at vill- Sahalalpur, PO-Naisarai, PS-Arambagh, Hooghly- 712601, West Bengal. Besides providing cold storage facility, the unit also works as a mediator between the farmers and marketers of potato, to facilitate sale of potatoes stored and it also provides interest bearing advances to farmers for farming purpose against potatoes stored. The day to day operations of the company are looked after by Mr. Ajoy Kundu (Promoter) along with experience Mr. Niranjan Kundu (around 38 years), Mr. Bhudev Kundu (around 13 years), Mr. Swapan Mondal (around 28 years), Mr. Arun Kanti Mondal (around 28 years) respectively, in similar line of business.

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

<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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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		-	-	-	5.00	CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT-Working Capital Limits		-	-	-	0.60	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/Ba nk Facilities	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- Cash Credit	LT	5.00	CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (10-Nov-23)	1)CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (20-Oct-22)	1)CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (24-Aug-21)
2	Fund-based - LT- Working Capital Limits	LT	0.60	CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (10-Nov-23)	1)CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (20-Oct-22)	1)CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (24-Aug-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		
2	Fund-based - LT-Working Capital Limits	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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LT: Long term



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