

Garg Steels_(Jalandhar)

December 23, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	11.00	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 08, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Garg Steels_(Jalandhar) (GS) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as GS had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. GS continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails dated October 23, 2024, November 02, 2024 and November 12, 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 08, 2023

Applicable criteria

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

Policy on Default Recognition

Criteria on Assigning Without' or Batings Watch' to Credit Ratings

Criteria on Assigning 'Outlook' or 'Rating Watch' to Credit Ratings

About the Firm

GS, established in 2005, is a partnership firm being looked after by Mr Suresh Garg, Mr Amit Garg and Mrs Shruti Garg who share profit and loss equally. The firm is engaged in the trading of steel products (CR coils, HR Coil, HR Sheets, HR Plates, GP Sheets, etc.), which find their application in steel and allied products industry.

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Acuite (SMERA) has continued the rating assigned to the bank facilities of GS into Issuer Not Cooperating category vide press release dated October 31, 2024 on account of its inability to carry out a review in the absence of requisite information.

Brickwork has continued the rating assigned to the bank facilities of GS into Issuer Not Cooperating category vide press release dated February 26, 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

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- Cash Credit		-	-	-	11.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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Annexure-2: Rating history for last three years

	Name of the Instrument/Ban k Facilities	Current Ratings		Rating History				
Sr. No		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	11.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (08-Dec-23)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (11-Nov-22)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (29-Sep-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 click here

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

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LT: Long term



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