

G N Ship Breakers January 09, 2025

Facilities/InstrumentsAmount
(₹ crore)Rating¹Rating ActionLong Term / Short Term Bank
Facilities45.00CARE B; Stable / CARE
A4; ISSUER NOT
COOPERATING*Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT
COOPERATING category and LT rating
downgraded from CARE B+; Stable and ST
rating reaffirmed

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1.

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

Rationale and key rating drivers

CARE Ratings Ltd. had, vide its press release dated December 07, 2023, placed the rating(s) of G N Ship Breakers (GNSB) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as GNSB had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. GNSB continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails dated October 22, 2024, November 01, 2024, November 11, 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 GNSB 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 December 07, 2023

Applicable criteria

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

About the company

Incorporated in May 1990, G N Ship Breakers (GNSB) is engaged in the business of ship recycling, breaking and trading. GNSB carry out ship-breaking activity at plot no. B-204 with total plot size of 3645 sq. meters having frontage of 45 meters in the Sosiya belt of Gujarat. The premises are leased out by Gujarat Maritime Board (GMB) in Bhavnagar. Plot is certified by RINA S.P.A.

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Brickwork has continued the ratings assigned to the bank facilities of GNSB to 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category vide press release dated February 05, 2024 on account of its inability to carry out a review in the absence of the requisite information from the firm.

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 <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 |
|---------------------------|------|--------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|
| Non-fund- based-LT/ST | | - | - | - | 45.00 | CARE B; Stable / CARE A4; 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/Ban k Facilities | Туре | Amount Outstandin g (₹ 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 | Non-fund-based- LT/ST | LT/S T | 45.00 | CARE B; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * | - | 1)CARE B+; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (07-Dec-23) | 1)CARE BB-; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (10-Nov-22) | 1)CARE BB; Stable / CARE A4+ (21-Oct- 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 | Non-fund-based-LT/ST | 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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