

Huhtamaki Foodservice Packaging India Private Limited

January 10, 2025

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action		
Long Term Bank Facilities	23.00	CARE C; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUEF NOT COOPERATING category		

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1.

Rationale and key rating drivers

CARE Ratings Ltd. had, vide its press release dated January 11, 2024, placed the rating(s) of Huhtamaki Foodservice Packaging India Private Limited (HFPIPL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as HFPIPL had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. HFPIPL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails dated November 26, 2024, December 06, 2024 and December 16, 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 January 11, 2024

Applicable criteria

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

Policy on Default Recognition

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

About the company

Huhtamaki Foodservice Packaging India Pvt. Ltd (erstwhile known as Valpack Solutions Private Limited (VSPL), incorporated in 2012 by Mr. Vaibhav Garg and Mr. Param Gandhi, is engaged in the manufacturing of paper products such as cups, buckets and lids which find its applications in Food & beverages (F&B), FMCG, Hospitality and other industries. HFP has its manufacturing facility located at Bhiwandi, Maharashtra.

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

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

¹Complete definition of ratings assigned are available at www.careedge.in 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
Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit		-	-	-	13.00	CARE C; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT-Term Loan		-	-	September 2019	10.00	CARE C; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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Annexure-2: Rating history for last three years

No 1	Name of the Instrument/Ban k Facilities	Current Ratings		Rating History				
		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	13.00	CARE C; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE C; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (11-Jan-24)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (13-Dec-22)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (27-Sep-21)
2	Fund-based - LT- Term Loan	LT	10.00	CARE C; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE C; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (11-Jan-24)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (13-Dec-22)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (27-Sep-21)

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LT: Long 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-Cash Credit	Simple		
2	Fund-based - LT-Term Loan	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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