

## **Asaco Private Limited**

January 24, 2025

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating <sup>1</sup>	Rating Action		
Long Term Bank Facilities	5.66	CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category		
Short Term Bank Facilities	20.00	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category		

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 January 09, 2024, placed the rating(s) of Asaco Private Limited (APL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as APL had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. APL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails dated November 24, 2024, December 04, 2024, December 14, 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 09, 2024

#### **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 and credit watch</u>

#### About the Company

Asaco Private Limited (APL) was promoted by Mr. K Mohandas in 1969. APL is engaged in manufacturing of equipment for Aerospace and defence applications and is one of the leading suppliers of critical aerospace components in the country. APL has its manufacturing facilities located in Samuha Aerospace Park, Ibrahimpatnam, Telangana. APL has a marquee clientele comprising of names such as Liquid Propulsion Systems Centre (LPSC), Vikram Sarabhai Space Centre (VSSC) and Hindustan Aeronautics Limited (HAL) etc.

#### 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 instruments/facilities: Annexure-3

#### Complexity level of various instruments rated: Annexure-4

Lender details: Annexure-5

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Complete 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
Fund-based - LT-			_		5.00	CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER
Cash Credit		-	-	-		NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT-			_	01/10/2022	0.66	CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER
Term Loan		-	-	01/10/2022	0.00	NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund-based -		_	_		20.00	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT
ST-Bank Guarantee			-	-	20.00	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 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	Fund-based - LT- Term Loan	LT	0.66	CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (09-Jan-24)	1)CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (07-Nov-22)	1)CARE BB- ; Stable (21-Dec-21)
2	Fund-based - LT- Cash Credit	LT	5.00	CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (09-Jan-24)	1)CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (07-Nov-22)	1)CARE BB- ; Stable (21-Dec-21)
3	Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee	ST	20.00	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (09-Jan-24)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (07-Nov-22)	1)CARE A4 (21-Dec-21)

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LT: Long term; ST: 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	Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit	Simple
2	Fund-based - LT-Term Loan	Simple
3	Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee	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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