

Visakha Foods Private Limited

January 23, 2025

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action		
Long Term Bank Facilities	4.84	CARE C; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category		
Short Term Bank Facilities	0.64	CARE A4; 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 January 04, 2024, placed the rating(s) of Visakha Foods Private Limited (VFPL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as VFPL had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. VFPL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails dated November 19, 2024, November 29, 2024, December 09, 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 04, 2024

Applicable criteria

CARE Rating's criteria on information adequacy risk and issuer non-cooperation
Policy on Default Recognition
Criteria on assigning outlook and credit watch

About the Company

Vizag based, Visakha Foods Private Limited (VFPL) was incorporated in the year 2001 and promoted by Mr. Ravi Aditya, Mr. GVL Prasad, Mr. Ravi Avinash and Ms. Ravi Hemalatha. Presently, the company is engaged in manufacturing of food products like Pasta and Vermicelli.

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

^{*}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		-	-	-	1.60	CARE C; Stable; ISSUER
Credit						NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT-Term			_	March 2023	3.24	CARE C; Stable; ISSUER
Loan		-	-			NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund-based - ST-					0.40	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT
Bank Guarantee		-	-	-	0.40	COOPERATING*
Non-fund-based - ST-	fund-based - ST-				0.24	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT
Standby Line of Credit		_	-	-	0.24	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) 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	3.24	CARE C; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE C; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (04-Jan-24)	1)CARE C; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (09-Nov-22)	1)CARE C; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (13-Sep-21)
2	Fund-based - LT- Cash Credit	LT	1.60	CARE C; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE C; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (04-Jan-24)	1)CARE C; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (09-Nov-22)	1)CARE C; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (13-Sep-21)
3	Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee	ST	0.40	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (04-Jan-24)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (09-Nov-22)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (13-Sep-21)
4	Non-fund-based - ST-Standby Line of Credit	ST	0.24	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (04-Jan-24)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (09-Nov-22)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (13-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		
2	Fund-based - LT-Term Loan	Simple		
3	Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee	Simple		
4	Non-fund-based - ST-Standby Line of Credit	Simple		

LT: Long term; ST: Short term



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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