

Vatsa Automobiles Private Limited

April 23, 2025

| Facilities/Instruments | Amount (₹ crore) | Rating ¹ | Rating Action |
|---------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------------|--|
| Long Term Bank Facilities | 12.04 | CARE D; 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 April 15, 2024, placed the rating(s) of Vatsa Automobiles Private Limited (VAPL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as VAPL had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. VAPL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails dated March 01, 2025, March 11, 2025, March 21, 2025 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: Not applicable

Detailed description of the key rating drivers:

Please refer to PR dated April 15, 2024

Applicable criteria

<u>CARE Ratings' Criteria on Information Adequacy Risk and Issuer Non-Cooperation</u> <u>CARE Ratings' Policy on Default Recognition</u>

About the company

Incorporated on April 10, 2012, Bhagalpur (Bihar) based Vatsa Automobiles Pvt Ltd (VAPL) was promoted by Mr. Shailesh Singh with his wife Mrs. Kiran Singh and son Mr. Chandra Prakash Singh. VAPL is an authorized dealer of Mahindra & Mahindra Ltd for its commercial and passenger vehicle segment. It also offers spare parts, accessories, lubricants& aftersales services (repair and refurbishment) for its vehicle sold. The commercial operation of VAPL was started since September 13, 2013. VAPL has one showroom at Bhagalpur (Bihar) equipped with 3-S facilities (Sales, Service and Spare-parts) which covers Munger, Naogachia and Bhagalpur area of Bihar.

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.

 $^{^1}$ 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- | | _ | _ | _ | 11.00 | CARE D; ISSUER NOT |
| Cash Credit | | _ | _ | _ | 11.00 | COOPERATING* |
| Fund-based - LT- | | _ | _ | May 2019 | 1.04 | CARE D; ISSUER NOT |
| Term Loan | | - | - | May 2019 | 1.04 | 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 2025- 2026 | 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 |
| 1 | Fund-based - LT- Cash Credit | LT | 11.00 | CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* | - | 1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (15-Apr-24) | - | 1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (01-Feb-23) |
| 2 | Fund-based - LT- Term Loan | LT | 1.04 | CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* | - | 1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (15-Apr-24) | - | 1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (01-Feb-23) |

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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 <u>click here</u> |
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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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