

Solapur Solar Energy Private Limited

July 11, 2025

| Facilities/Instruments | Amount (₹ crore) | Rating ¹ | Rating Action |
|---------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|--|
| Long-term bank facilities | 20.98 | 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 Limited (CareEdge Ratings) vide its press release dated February 09, 2021, placed the rating of Solapur Solar Energy Private Limited (SSEPL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as SSEPL failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating. SSEPL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and emails dated March 08, 2025, March 18, 2025, March 28, 2025, April 10, 2025, and July 02, 2025. Considering the extant SEBI guidelines, CareEdge Ratings reviewed the rating based on the best available information whichin CareEdge Ratings 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

Analytical approach: Standalone

Detailed description of key rating drivers:

At the time of the last rating on April 22, 2024, the following were the rating weaknesses:

Key weaknesses

Delays in servicing of debt obligations: Per the feedback from the lender, there were delays in servicing of the debt obligations.

Applicable criteria

<u>Definition of Default</u> <u>Information Adequacy Risk and Issuer Non-Cooperation</u> Policy on curing period

About the company and industry

Industry classification

| Macroeconomic indicator | Sector | Industry | Basic industry |
|-------------------------|--------|----------|------------------|
| Utilities | Power | Power | Power generation |
| | | | |

SHDPL was incorporated in 2014 as a 100% subsidiary of Sunil HiTechEngineers Ltd (SHEL) to implement suitable solar power generation projects. Solar Energy Corporation of India (SECI), a central government SPV invited bids to implement solar power projects for a total quantum of 750 MW, of which SHDPL was successfully awarded with a 5MW project under the Jawaharlal Nehru National Solar Mission (JNNSM) scheme. SHDPL won the bid at a Viability gap funding (VGF) of ₹6.75 crore or ₹1.35 crore per MW. The company achieved COD on July 17, 2015, and entered a power purchase agreement (PPA) for 25 years with SECI for purchase and sale of contracted capacity (CUF) of minimum 7.014 million kwh (MU) and maximum 9.077 million kwh (MU).

| Brief Financials (₹ crore) | March 31, 2022 (A) | March 31, 2023 (A) |
|----------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Total operating income | 3.83 | 4.27 |

¹Complete definition of ratings assigned are available at www.careratings.com and other CARE Ratings Limited's publications.

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



| PBILDT | 3.24 | 3.32 |
|---------------------------|------|------|
| PAT | 0.98 | 0.16 |
| Overall gearing (times) | 1.62 | 1.46 |
| Interest coverage (times) | 1.58 | 1.81 |

A: Audited; Note: these are latest available financial results

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Not applicable

Any other information: Not applicable

Rating history for last three years: Annexure-2

Detailed explanation of covenants of rated instrument / facility: Annexure-3

Complexity level of instruments rated: Annexure-4

Lender details: Annexure-5

Annexure-1: Details of instruments/facilities

| Name of the Instrument | ISIN | Date of Issuance | Coupon Rate (%) | Maturity Date | Size of the Issue (₹ crore) | Rating Assigned and Rating Outlook |
|------------------------------|------|---------------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------------------------|---|
| Fund-based - LT-Term Loan | | - | - | 31-03-2031 | 20.98 | CARE D; 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/Ba nk Facilities | Typ e | Amount Outstandin g (₹ crore) | Rating | Date(s) and Rating(s) assigne d in 2025- 2026 | Date(s) and Rating(s) assigned in 2024-2025 | Date(s) and Rating(s) assigne d in 2023- 2024 | Date(s) and Rating(s) assigned in 2022-2023 |
| 1 | Fund-based - LT- Term Loan | LT | 20.98 | CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* | - | 1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (22-Apr-24) | - | 1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (10-Mar-23) |

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Annexure-3: Detailed explanation of covenants of rated instruments/facilities: Not applicable

LT: Long term; ST: Short term; LT/ST: Long term/Short term



Annexure-4: Complexity level of instruments rated

| Sr. No. | Name of the Instrument | Complexity Level | |
|---------|---------------------------|------------------|--|
| 1 | Fund-based - LT-Term Loan | Simple | |

Annexure-5: Lender details

To view lender-wise details of bank facilities please click here



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