

K A I International Private Limited

June 24, 2022

Ratings

| Facilities/Instruments | Amount (Rs. crore) | Rating ¹ | Rating Action |
|------------------------------|--|---|--|
| Long Term Bank Facilities | 25.00 | CARE BB-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (Double B Minus; Outlook: Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*) | Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category |
| Short Term Bank Facilities | 46.22 | CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (A Four; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*) | Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category |
| Total Bank Facilities | 71.22 (Rs. Seventy-One Crore and Twenty-Two Lakhs Only) | | |

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1

Detailed Rationale & Key Rating Drivers

CARE Ratings Ltd. had, vide its press release dated April 19, 2021, placed the rating(s) of K A I International Private Limited (KIPL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as KIPL had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating and had not paid the surveillance fees for the rating exercise as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. KIPL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated March 05, 2022, March 15, 2022, March 25, 2022.

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).

Detailed description of the key rating drivers

Please refer to PR dated [April 19, 2021](#)

Analytical approach: Standalone

Applicable Criteria

[Policy in respect of Non-cooperation by issuer](#)

[Policy on default recognition](#)

[Criteria on assigning outlook and credit watch](#)

About the Company

Incorporated in 2007, K A I International Private Ltd (KIPL) is engaged in trading of iron ore. The company is promoted by Mr. Suresh Agarwal, Mr. Yeshraj Sethia and Mr. Natwar Kumar Agarwal. KIPL purchases iron ore fines locally and sells it to domestic as well as export market (mainly in China). The promoters are also engaged in trading of iron-ore and coal through another group entity, Kalinga Allied Industries (KAI).

| Brief Financials (Rs. crore) | FY20 (A) | FY21 (A) | FY22 (Prov.) |
|------------------------------|----------|----------|--------------|
| Total operating income | 481.68 | 1184.45 | NA |
| PBILDT | 13.95 | 32.10 | NA |
| PAT | 6.88 | 21.80 | NA |
| Overall gearing (times) | 0.30 | 0.37 | NA |
| Interest coverage (times) | 3.24 | 8.47 | NA |

A: Audited, Prov.: Provisional, NA: Not Available

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: ICRA has put the rating assigned to the bank facilities of KIPL into Issuer Not Cooperating category vide press release dated September 13, 2021 on account of its inability to carry out a review in the absence of the requisite information from the company.

Any other information: Not Applicable

Rating History for last three years: Please refer Annexure-2

Covenants of rated instrument/facility: Annexure-3

¹Complete definition of the ratings assigned are available at www.careedge.in and other CARE Ratings Ltd.'s publications

Complexity level of various instruments rated for this company: Annexure-4

Annexure-1: Details of Instruments/Facilities

| Name of the Instrument | ISIN | Date of Issuance | Coupon Rate | Maturity Date | Size of the Issue (Rs. crore) | Rating Assigned along with Rating Outlook |
|--|------|------------------|-------------|---------------|-------------------------------|---|
| Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit | | - | - | - | 25.00 | CARE BB-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* |
| Non-fund-based - ST-Letter of credit | | - | - | - | 38.00 | CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* |
| Non-fund-based - ST-Forward Contract | | - | - | - | 5.72 | CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* |
| Fund-based - ST-Standby Line of Credit | | - | - | - | 2.50 | CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* |

*Issuer did not cooperate; Based on best available information

Annexure-2: Rating History of last three years

| Sr. No. | Name of the Instrument/Bank Facilities | Current Ratings | | | Rating History | | | |
|---------|--|-----------------|--------------------------------|---|---|---|---|--|
| | | Type | Amount Outstanding (Rs. crore) | Rating | Date(s) and Rating(s) assigned in 2022-2023 | Date(s) and Rating(s) assigned in 2021-2022 | Date(s) and Rating(s) assigned in 2020-2021 | Date(s) and Rating(s) assigned in 2019-2020 |
| 1 | Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit | LT | 25.00 | CARE BB-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* | - | 1)CARE BB-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (19-Apr-21) | - | 1)CARE BB; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (13-Feb-20) |
| 2 | Non-fund-based - ST-Letter of credit | ST | 38.00 | CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* | - | 1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (19-Apr-21) | - | 1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (13-Feb-20) |
| 3 | Non-fund-based - ST-Forward Contract | ST | 5.72 | CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* | - | 1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (19-Apr-21) | - | 1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (13-Feb-20) |
| 4 | Fund-based - ST-Standby Line of Credit | ST | 2.50 | CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* | - | 1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (19-Apr-21) | - | 1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (13-Feb-20) |

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Annexure-3: Detailed explanation of covenants of rated instrument/facility: Not Applicable

Annexure-4: Complexity level of various instruments rated for this company

| Sr. No. | Name of the Instrument | Complexity Level |
|---------|--|------------------|
| 1 | Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit | Simple |
| 2 | Fund-based - ST-Standby Line of Credit | Simple |
| 3 | Non-fund-based - ST-Forward Contract | Simple |
| 4 | Non-fund-based - ST-Letter of credit | Simple |

Annexure-5: Bank lender details for this company

To view the lender wise details of bank facilities please [click here](#)

Note on complexity levels of the rated instrument: CARE 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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