

Intron Life Sciences

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Ratings

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (Rs. crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	8.45	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (Single B Minus; Outlook: Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*)	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category and Revised from CARE B; Stable; (Single B; Outlook: Stable)
Total Bank Facilities	8.45 (Rs. Eight Crore and Forty-Five Lakhs Only)		

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1

Detailed Rationale & Key Rating Drivers

CARE Ratings Ltd. had, vide its press release dated July 16, 2021, placed the rating(s) of Intron Life Sciences (ILS) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as ILS 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. ILS continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated June 01, 2022, June 11, 2022, June 21, 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).

The ratings assigned to the bank facilities of ILS have been revised on account of non-availability of requisite information.

Detailed description of the key rating drivers

Please refer to PR dated July 16, 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 Firm

Intron Life Sciences (ILS) was established as a partnership firm among Mr. A. Sreedhar Reddy and Mr. P.S. Murali Krishna with equal profit sharing ratio in 2009. The firm is engaged in manufacturing of non-pathogenic bacteria, pro-biotics (which strengthens the immune system of the administered) and feed supplements for used in poultry farming and aqua culture. The products are manufactured and marketed in the name of ILS. ILS has its manufacturing unit measuring 1.5 acres located at Ongole, Andhra Pradesh.

Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	FY20 (A)	FY21(A)	FY22(Prov.)	Q1FY23(Prov.)
Total operating income	NA	NA	NA	NA
PBILDT	NA	NA	NA	NA
PAT	NA	NA	NA	NA
Overall gearing (times)	NA	NA	NA	NA
Interest coverage (times)	NA	NA	NA	NA

A: Audited; Prov: Provisional; NA: Not Available

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

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Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Not Applicable

Any other information: Not Applicable

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

Covenants of rated instrument/facility: Annexure 3

Complexity level of various instruments rated for this Firm: 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-Bank Overdraft		-	-		5.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT-Term Loan		-	-	December 2019	0.52	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT-Term Loan		-	-	February 2019	2.93	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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

Annexure-2: Rating history for the last three years

Sr . II N o.	Name of	Current Ratings			Rating History			
	the Instrumen t/ Bank Facilities	Typ e	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-Bank Overdraft	LT	5.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG*	-	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (16-Jul-21)	1)CARE BB-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (03-Jun-20)	-
2	Fund-based - LT-Term Loan	LT	0.52	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG*	-	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (16-Jul-21)	1)CARE BB-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (03-Jun-20)	-
3	Fund-based - LT-Term Loan	LT	2.93	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG*	-	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (16-Jul-21)	1)CARE BB-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (03-Jun-20)	-

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

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

Sr. No.	Name of Instrument	Complexity Level
1	Fund-based - LT-Bank Overdraft	Simple
2	Fund-based - LT-Term Loan	Simple

Annexure-5: Bank lender details for this firm

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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