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# Electro Teknica Switchgears Private Limited

August 25, 2022

Ratings					
Facilities/Instruments Amount (Rs. crore)		Rating <sup>1</sup>	Rating Action		
Long Term Bank Facilities	1.50	CARE C; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (Single C; Outlook: Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*)	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category and Revised from CARE B- ; Stable (Single B Minus; Outlook: Stable)		
Short Term Bank Facilities	5.00	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (A Four; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*)	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category		
Total Bank Facilities	6.50 (Rs. Six Crore and Fifty Lakhs Only)				

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1

#### **Detailed Rationale & Key Rating Drivers**

CARE Ratings Ltd. had, vide its press release dated June 22, 2021, placed the rating(s) of Electro Teknica Switchgears Private Limited (ETSPL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as ETSPL 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. ETSPL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated May 08, 2022, May 18, 2022, May 28, 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 ETSPL have been revised on account of non-availability of requisite information. The ratings further consider significant decline in scale of operations, accumulation of losses, leveraged capital structure and weak debt coverage indicators during FY21 over FY20.

#### Detailed description of the key rating drivers

Please refer to PR dated June 22, 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 May 1988, Electroteknica Switchgears Private Limited (ETSPL) is engaged in the business of manufacturing of electrical equipment like high voltage switchgear and transformer with its facilities located at West Bengal with an aggregate installed capacity of 1310 Pieces Per Annum. Mr. Katkuri VenkataKrishna Reddy, having more than three decades of experience in the same line of industry, looks after the overall management of the company along with the other director Mr. Haranath Babu Boyapati and supported by the team of experienced professionals.

Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	FY20 (A)	FY21 (A)	FY22 (Prov.)	Q1FY23 (Prov.)
Total operating income	1.55	0.47	NA	NA
PBILDT	-2.96	-3.16	NA	NA
PAT	-3.68	-3.86	NA	NA
Overall gearing (times)	-0.12	-0.12	NA	NA
Interest coverage (times)	-15.38	-13.88	NA	NA

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

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Complete definition of the ratings assigned are available at <u>www.careedge.in</u> and other CARE Ratings Ltd.'s publications



**Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA:** India Ratings has continued the rating assigned to the bank facilities of ETSPL into Issuer Not Cooperating category vide press release dated October 22, 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

#### 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		-	-	-	1.50	CARE C; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	
Non-fund-based - ST- Letter of credit		-	-	-	0.50	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	
Non-fund-based - ST- Bank Guarantee		-	-	-	4.50	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	

\*Issuer did not cooperate; Based on best available information

#### Annexure-2: Rating History of last three years

	Name of the Instrume nt/ Bank Facilities	Current Ratings			Rating History			
Sr. No.		Тур е	Amount Outstandin g (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	1.50	CARE C; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERA TING*	-	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (22-Jun-21)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (12-May-20)	-
2	Non-fund- based - ST-Letter of credit	ST	0.50	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERA TING*	-	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (22-Jun-21)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (12-May-20)	-
3	Non-fund- based - ST-Bank Guarantee	ST	4.50	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERA TING*	-	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (22-Jun-21)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (12-May-20)	-

\*Issuer did not cooperate; Based on best available information

#### 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	Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee	Simple		
3	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 <u>care@careedge.in</u> for any clarifications.



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