

# **Agarwal Agency**

May 26, 2022

Ratings			
Facilities / Instruments	Amount (Rs. crore)	<b>Rating</b> <sup>1</sup>	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	7.00	CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (Single B; Outlook: Stable ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*)	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category and Revised from CARE B+; Stable; (Single B Plus; Outlook: Stable)
Total Facilities	7.00 (Rs. Seven Crore Only)		

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

CARE Ratings Ltd. had, vide its press release dated March 10, 2021, placed the rating(s) of Agarwal Agency (AA) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as AA 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. AA continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated January 24, 2022, February 03, 2022, February 13, 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 AA have been revised on account of non-availability of requisite information.

#### Detailed description of the key rating drivers

Please refer to PR dated March 10, 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

Shahjahanpur, Uttar Pradesh based Agarwal Agency (AA) was established in the year 2000 as a proprietorship firm and is currently managed by Mr. Vinay Kumar Agarwal. The firm is engaged in the manufacturing of snacks such as kachri papad, papad, corn grits and processing of pulses into gram flour (besan) and multigrain flour at its manufacturing facility located in Shahjahanpur, Uttar Pradesh.

Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	31-03-2020(A)	31-03-2021(A)	31-03-2022(Prov.)
Total operating income	NA	NA	NA
PBILDT	NA	NA	NA
РАТ	NA	NA	NA
Overall gearing (times)	NA	NA	NA
Interest coverage (times)	NA	NA	NA

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

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: Please refer Annexure 3

#### Complexity level of various instruments rated for this Firm: Please refer Annexure 4

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Complete definitions of the ratings assigned are available at <u>www.careedge.in</u> and in other CARE's publications \*Issuer did not cooperate; Based on best available information



## 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		-	-	-	7.00	CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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# Annexure-2: Rating History of last three years

		Current Ratings			Rating history			
Sr. No.	Name of the Instrument/ Bank Facilities	Туре	Amount Outstanding (Rs. crore)	Rating	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2022- 2023	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2021- 2022	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2020-2021	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2019-2020
1	Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit	LT	7.00	CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERA TING*	-	-	1)CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (10-Mar-21)	1)CARE BB-; Stable (02-Mar-20)

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#### Annexure-3: Detailed explanation of covenants of the rated instrument / 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-Cash Credit	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 <u>care@careedge.in</u> for any clarifications.



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