

Nalli Trust

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Ratings

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (Rs crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	99.87	CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (Single B Plus; Outlook: Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*)	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category and Revised from CARE BB-; Stable; (Double B Minus; Outlook: Stable)
Total Bank Facilities	99.87 (Rs Ninety-Nine Crore and Eighty-Seven Lakhs Only)		

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1

Detailed Rationale & Key Rating Drivers

CARE Ratings Ltd. had, vide its press release dated July 05, 2021, placed the rating(s) of Nalli Trust (NT) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as NT 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. NT continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated May 21, 2022, May 31, 2022, June 10, 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 NT have been revised on account of not availability of requisite information.

Detailed description of the key rating drivers

Please refer to PR dated July 05, 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 Trust

M/s Nalli Trust (NT), a Chennai based family run private trust belonging to the 'Nalli' group, was engaged in retailing of silk sarees, cloth and piece-goods, women's apparels, ready-to-wear menswear, jewellery, accessories. NT was constituted as a Trust (Association of Persons) in the year 1991, in order to expand the geographical presence of the well renowned brand image of 'Nalli' in markets other than that of Chennai and South India. As on January 31, 2018, NT operates 25 textile retail showrooms and one jewellery showroom, spread across 11 cities (Delhi, Mumbai, Bangalore, Chennai, Hyderabad, Coimbatore, Kolkata, Kanchipuram, Ahmedabad, Kochi, and Puducherry).

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

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 $^{^1}$ Complete definition of the ratings assigned are available at $\underline{\text{www.careedge.in}}$ and other CARE Ratings Ltd.'s publications



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 trust: 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-Term Loan		1	-	April 2024	34.87	CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT- Working Capital Limits		-	-	-	65.00	CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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

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) 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-Term Loan	LT	34.87	CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE BB-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (05-Jul-21)	1)CARE BB+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (03-Jul-20)	1)CARE BBB+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (05-Apr-19)
2	Fund-based - LT-Working Capital Limits	LT	65.00	CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE BB-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (05-Jul-21)	1)CARE BB+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (03-Jul-20)	1)CARE BBB+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (05-Apr-19)
3	Fund-based - LT-Term Loan	LT	-	-	-	-	1)Withdrawn (03-Jul-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 trust

Sr. No.	Name of the Instrument	Complexity Level
1	Fund-based - LT-Term Loan	Simple
2	Fund-based - LT-Working Capital Limits	Simple

Annexure 5: Bank Lender Details for this trust

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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