

Lanco Babandh Power Limited

January 27, 2023

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	8,344.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category
Long Term / Short Term Bank Facilities	750.00	CARE D / CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category

Details of facilities in Annexure-1

*Issuer did not cooperate; Based on best available information

Rationale and key rating drivers

CARE Ratings Ltd. had, vide its press release dated November 22, 2021, placed the rating(s) of Lanco Babandh Power Limited (LBPL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as LBPL 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. LBPL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated October 08, 2022, October 18, 2022, October 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).

Detailed description of the key rating drivers

Please refer to PR dated [November 22, 2021](#)

Analytical approach: Standalone

Applicable criteria

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

[Policy on default recognition](#)

About the Company

Lanco Babandh Power Private Limited was incorporated as a private limited company on 30th May, 2007. The company was converted into a limited company and its name was changed to Lanco Babandh Power Limited (LBPL) on 3rd February, 2010. The company is promoted by Lanco Group, to construct, operate and maintain a 1320 MW (2 X 660MW) coal-based power project in Dhenkanal District, Orissa. The flagship company of the Lanco Group is Lanco Infratech Ltd.

Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	March 31, 2021 (A)	March 31, 2022 (A)	9M2023 (Prov.)
Total operating income	NA	NA	NA
PBILDT	NA	NA	NA
PAT	NA	NA	NA
Overall gearing (times)	NA	NA	NA
Interest coverage (times)	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

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: Detailed explanation of the covenants of the rated instruments/facilities is given in Annexure-3

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

Lender details: Annexure 5

Annexure-1: Details of Instruments/ Facilities

Name of the Instrument	ISIN	Date of Issuance (DD-MM-YYYY)	Coupon Rate (%)	Maturity Date (DD-MM-YYYY)	Size of the Issue (₹ crore)	Rating Assigned along with Rating Outlook
Fund-based - LT-Term Loan		-	-	-	8344.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund-based - LT/ST-Bank Guarantee		-	-	-	750.00	CARE D / CARE D; 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 (₹ 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	8344.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (22-Nov-21)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (05-Oct-20)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (29-Jul-19)
2	Non-fund-based - LT/ST-Bank Guarantee	LT/ST	750.00	CARE D / CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE D / CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (22-Nov-21)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (05-Oct-20)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (29-Jul-19)

**Issuer did not cooperate; based on best available information*

Annexure-3: Detailed explanation of covenants of the rated instrument / facilities - 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-Term Loan	Simple
2	Non-fund-based - LT/ ST-Bank Guarantee	Simple

Annexure 5: Lender details

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

Note on complexity levels of the rated instrument: CARE Ratings Ltd. 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.

Contact us**Media Contact**

Mr. Mradul Mishra

Contact No.: +91-22-6754 3573

Email ID – mradul.mishra@careedge.in**Analyst Contact**

Ms. Shachee Vyas

Contact No.: +91-79-4026 5665

Email ID – shachee.tripathi@careedge.in**Relationship Contact**

Name - Dinesh Sharma

Contact no.: +91-11-4533 3288

Email ID: Dinesh.Sharma@careedge.in**About Us:**

Established in 1993, CARE Ratings is one of the leading credit rating agencies in India. Registered under the Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI), it has also been acknowledged as an External Credit Assessment Institution by the RBI. With an equitable position in the Indian capital market, CARE Ratings provides a wide array of credit rating services that help corporates to raise capital and enable investors to make informed decisions. With an established track record of rating companies over almost three decades, CARE Ratings follows a robust and transparent rating process that leverages our domain and analytical expertise, backed by the methodologies congruent with the international best practices. CARE Ratings has played a pivotal role in developing bank debt and capital market instruments including commercial papers, corporate bonds and debentures, and structured credit.

Disclaimer:

The ratings issued by CARE Ratings are opinions on the likelihood of timely payment of the obligations under the rated instrument and are not recommendations to sanction, renew, disburse, or recall the concerned bank facilities or to buy, sell, or hold any security. These ratings do not convey suitability or price for the investor. The agency does not constitute an audit on the rated entity. CARE Ratings has based its ratings/outlook based on information obtained from reliable and credible sources. CARE Ratings does not, however, guarantee the accuracy, adequacy, or completeness of any information and is not responsible for any errors or omissions and the results obtained from the use of such information. Most entities whose bank facilities/instruments are rated by CARE Ratings have paid a credit rating fee, based on the amount and type of bank facilities/instruments. CARE Ratings or its subsidiaries/associates may also be involved with other commercial transactions with the entity. In case of partnership/proprietary concerns, the rating/outlook assigned by CARE Ratings is, inter-alia, based on the capital deployed by the partners/proprietors and the current financial strength of the firm. The ratings/outlook may change in case of withdrawal of capital, or the unsecured loans brought in by the partners/proprietors in addition to the financial performance and other relevant factors. CARE Ratings is not responsible for any errors and states that it has no financial liability whatsoever to the users of the ratings of CARE Ratings. The ratings of CARE Ratings do not factor in any rating-related trigger clauses as per the terms of the facilities/instruments, which may involve acceleration of payments in case of rating downgrades. However, if any such clauses are introduced and triggered, the ratings may see volatility and sharp downgrades.

****For detailed Rationale Report and subscription information,
please visit www.careedge.in**