

# **Eco Cement India Limited**

June 27, 2022

#### Rating

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating <sup>1</sup>	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	10.00	CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (Single B Plus; Outlook: Stable ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*)	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category
Total Bank Facilities	10.00 (₹ Ten Crore Only)		

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1

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

CARE Ratings Ltd. had, vide its press release dated May 05, 2021, placed the rating(s) of Eco Cement India Limited (ECIL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as ECIL 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. ECIL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated March 21, 2022, March 31, 2022, April 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).

## Detailed description of the key rating drivers

Please refer to PR dated May 05,2021

Analytical approach: Standalone

#### **Applicable Criteria**

<u>Policy in respect of Non-cooperation by issuer</u> <u>Policy on default recognition</u>

Criteria on assigning outlook and credit watch

# **About the Company**

Eco Cement India Limited (ECIL) was incorporated in 1996 and is currently being managed by Mr. Bipin Kumar Agarwal and Mr. Kamal Kumar Agarwal. They collectively look after the overall operations of the company. ECIL is primarily engaged in the manufacturing of cement and trading of clinker. The grinding unit for manufacturing Portland Pozzolana Cement (PPC) is situated in Chandauli, Uttar Pradesh.

Brief Financials (₹ crore)	FY20(A)	FY21(A)	FY22 (Prov.)
Total operating income	66.86	44.35	NA
PBILDT	3.54	2.52	NA
PAT	0.68	0.45	NA
Overall gearing (times)	0.93	1.02	NA
Interest coverage (times)	1.96	1.59	NA

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

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Not Applicable

**Any other information:** Not Available

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 company: Please refer Annexure-4

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Complete definition of the ratings assigned are available at <a href="www.careedge.in">www.careedge.in</a> and other CARE 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 (₹ crore)	Rating Assigned along with Rating Outlook
Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit	-	-	-	-	10.00	CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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Annexure-2: Rating History of last three years

Name of the		Current Ratings		Rating History				
Sr. No.	Sr. Instrument	Туре	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-Cash Credit	LT	10.00	CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG*	-	1)CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (05-May-21)	-	1)CARE BB-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (23-Mar-20) 2)CARE BB+; Stable (04-Apr-19)

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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 company

Sr. No.	Name of Instrument	Complexity Level
1	Fund-based - LT-Cash 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 instruments:** CARE Ratings 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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