

## **Energy Development Company Limited**

March 16, 2018

### Rating

Instruments	Amount (Rs. crore)	Rating <sup>1</sup>	Rating Action		
Long term Bank Facilities	10.00	CARE D	Revised from CARE BB+; Stable (Double B Plus; Outlook: Stable)		
Short term Bank Facilities	30.00	CARE D	Revised from CARE A4+ (A Four Plus)		
Total	40.00 (Rs. Forty crore only)				

Details of instrument/facilities in Annexure-1

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

The revision in the ratings assigned to Energy Development Company Limited (EDCL) takes into account the recent delays in debt servicing of the bank facilities by the company.

### Detailed description of the key rating drivers

### **Key Rating Weaknesses**

### Delays in debt servicing

There were recent delays in debt servicing by the company on account of cash flow mismatch arising from delay in receipt of payments from customers.

Analytical approach: Standalone

# **Applicable Criteria**

**CARE's Policy on Default Recognition** 

**Criteria for Short Term Instruments** 

**Criteria on assigning Outlook to Credit Ratings** 

Financial ratios - Non-Financial Sector

**Rating Methodology- Private Power Producers** 

### **About the Company**

EDCL, incorporated in 1995, is engaged in power generation from renewable sources (hydro and wind), contract management in the infrastructure sector (construction of bridges, roads, power plants, operation & maintenance of power plants etc.) and providing consultancy services in hydro power (engineering, designing, project management services, etc in setting up hydro power plants). It is currently operating hydro power plant of 15MW and wind power plant of 3MW. In FY16, EDCL had ventured into trading of power equipment (Hydraulic Hoist System and Solar Photovoltaic module), which continued to form a major source of revenue during FY17.

Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	FY16 (A)	FY17 (A)
Total operating income	134.24	103.69
PBILDT	7.33	4.83
PAT	1.61	3.15
Overall gearing (times)	0.11	0.19
Interest coverage (times)	4.24	1.96

A: Audited

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Not Applicable

 $<sup>^1</sup>$ Complete definition of the ratings assigned are available at  $\underline{www.careratings.com}$  and other CARE publications

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Any other information: Not Applicable

Rating History (Last three years): Please refer Annexure-2

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# **Press Release**



# **Annexure-1: Details of Instruments/Facilities**

Name of the	Date of	Coupon	Maturity	Size of the Issue	Rating assigned along with Rating		
Instrument	Issuance	Rate	Date	(Rs. crore)	Outlook		
Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit	-	-	-	10.00	CARE D		
Non-fund-based - ST-BG/LC	-	-	-	30.00	CARE D		

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

Sr.	Name of the		Current Ratings	gs Rating history		history		
No.	Instrument/Bank	Type	Amount	Rating	Date(s) &	Date(s) &	Date(s) &	Date(s) &
	Facilities		Outstanding		Rating(s)	Rating(s)	Rating(s)	Rating(s)
			(Rs. crore)		assigned in	assigned in	assigned in	assigned in
					2017-2018	2016-2017	2015-2016	2014-2015
1.	Fund-based - LT-Cash	LT	10.00	CARE D	1)CARE BB+;	1)CARE BBB-;	1)CARE BBB-	1)CARE BBB
	Credit				Stable	Stable	(06-Oct-15)	(17-Oct-14)
					(09-Oct-17)	(11-Jan-17)		
2.	Non-fund-based - ST-	ST	30.00	CARE D	1)CARE A4+	1)CARE A3	1)CARE A3	1)CARE A3
	BG/LC				(09-Oct-17)	(11-Jan-17)	(06-Oct-15)	(17-Oct-14)



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