

## Riga Sugar Company Limited

February 14, 2019

### Ratings

Facilities	Amount(Rs. crore)	Ratings <sup>1</sup>	Rating Action
Long-term Bank Facilities	104.14	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING (Single D)	ISSUER NOT COOPERATING; Based on best available information
Short-term Bank Facilities	5.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (Single D)	ISSUER NOT COOPERATING; Based on best available information
<b>Total</b>	<b>109.14</b> <b>(Rupees one hundred and nine crore and fourteen lakh only)</b>		

### Detailed Rationale & Key Rating Drivers

Riga Sugar Company Ltd.(RSCL) has not paid the surveillance fees for the rating exercise as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. In line with the extant SEBI guidelines, CARE's rating on RSCL's bank facilities will now be denoted as **CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING**.

**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 rating assigned to the bank facilities of Riga Sugar Company Ltd (RSCL) takes into account the ongoing delays in interest servicing due to tight liquidity position.

### Detailed description on Key Rating Driver

At the time of last rating/review on 6<sup>th</sup> June, 2018, following were the ratings weakness (updated for the information available from the company's website)

### Key Rating Weaknesses

#### Ongoing delays in the account

The company has confirmed that there are overdue/defaults in servicing their debt obligations.

**Analytical approach:** Standalone

### Applicable Criteria

[CARE's Policy on Default Recognition](#)

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### About the Company

Riga Sugar Company Limited (RSCL), incorporated in September 02, 1980, the flagship company of DHANUKA GROUP, currently has Sugar (5000 TCD), Distillery (50 KLPD), Ethanol (45 KLPD), Power plant (8 MW) & DAP/ Organic Fertilizer facilities in Riga, North Bihar. The sugar factory is one of the oldest sugar factories in India which was set-up in 1933 by The Belsund Sugar & Industries limited under British Management before being taken over by Dhanukas in 1950 and was subsequently transferred w.e.f.1.10.1981 to Riga Sugar Company Limited.

Brief Financials of RSCL (Rs. in crore)	FY17(A)	FY18(A)
Total Operating Income	187.84	106.80
PBILDT	15.12	-16.10
PAT	-4.84	-20.86
Overall Gearing	2.00	2.97
Interest Coverage	1.01	-0.91

Figures of FY17 & FY18 have been computed as per Ind-AS

**Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA:** Nil

<sup>1</sup>Complete definition of the ratings assigned are available at [www.careratings.com](http://www.careratings.com) and other CARE publications

**Any other information:** Not Available

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

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

Name of the Instrument	Date of Issuance	Coupon Rate	Maturity Date	Size of the Issue (Rs. crore)	Rating assigned along with Rating Outlook
Fund-based - LT-Term Loan	-	-	-	26.64	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* Issuer not cooperating; Based on best available information
Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit	-	-	-	77.50	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* Issuer not cooperating; Based on best available information
Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantees	-	-	-	5.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* Issuer not cooperating; 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 (Rs. crore)	Rating	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2018-2019	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2017-2018	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2016-2017	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2015-2016
1.	Fund-based - LT-Term Loan	LT	26.64	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* Issuer not cooperating; Based on best available information	1)CARE D (06-Jun-18)	1)CARE B+; Stable (14-Mar-18)	1)CARE B+; Stable (21-Mar-17) 2)CARE B (14-Apr-16)	-
2.	Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit	LT	77.50	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* Issuer not cooperating; Based on best available information	1)CARE D (06-Jun-18)	1)CARE B+; Stable (14-Mar-18)	1)CARE B+; Stable (21-Mar-17) 2)CARE B (14-Apr-16)	-
3.	Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantees	ST	5.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* Issuer not cooperating; Based on best available information	1)CARE D (06-Jun-18)	1)CARE A4 (14-Mar-18)	1)CARE A4 (21-Mar-17) 2)CARE A4 (14-Apr-16)	-

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