

# Sri Annapoorna Enterprises April 23, 2020

#### Rating

Facilities	Amount (Rs. crore)	Rating <sup>1</sup>	Rating Action		
Long -term Bank Facilities	8.50	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (Single D; Issuer Not Cooperating)	Issuer not cooperating; Revised from CARE B; Stable (Single B; Outlook: Stable) on the basis of best available information		
Total Facilities	8.50 (Rupees Eight Crore Fifty Lakh Only)				

Details of facilities in Annexure-1

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

CARE had, vide its press release dated March 13, 2019, placed the ratings of Sri Annapoorna Enterprises (SAE) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as SAE had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating. The firm continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mail communications from January, 2020 to April 13, 2020 and numerous phone calls. In line with the extant SEBI guidelines, CARE has reviewed the rating on the basis of the best available information which however, in CARE'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

The rating has been revised on account of delays in debt servicing. Key Rating Weaknesses

#### Delays in debt Servicing

SAE has been facing liquidity issues due to which the firm is unable to service the debt obligation. There are delays in interest servicing in working capital facility.

## Partnership nature of constitution with inherent risk of withdrawal of capital

Constitution as a partnership has the inherent risk and possibility of withdrawal of capital at a time of personal contingency which can adversely affect the capital structure of the firm.

#### **Key Rating Strengths**

### Experience of the Partners for more than a decade in tobacco business

Mr. Hari Babu, Managing Partner has more than 10 years of experience in tobacco trading business. His long presence in the industry has helped the firm to establish relationship with customers.

## Analytical Approach: Standalone

#### Applicable criteria

Policy in respect of Non-cooperation by issuer Criteria on assigning Outlook to Credit ratings CARE's Policy on Default Recognition Financial ratios – Non-Financial Sector Rating Methodology- Wholesale Trading

#### About the firm

Andhra Pradesh based, Sri Annaporna Enterprises (SAE) was established in the year 2014 as a partnership firm by Mr. Hari Babu & Mrs. Jayasree. The company is engaged in the trading of tobacco. The company purchases tobacco from local farmers and traders, and sells the same to its clients located across Andhra Pradesh.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Complete definition of the ratings assigned are available at <u>www.careratings.com</u> and other CARE publications

<sup>\*</sup>Issuer did not cooperate; Based on best available information



Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	FY16 (A)	FY17 (A)	
Total operating income	25.52	26.10	
PBILDT	1.08	1.40	
PAT	0.27	0.30	
Overall gearing (times)	1.48	1.46	
Interest coverage (times)	1.50	1.41	

# **A-Audited**

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Not Applicable

Any other information: Not applicable

Rating History for last three years: Please refer Annexure-2

# 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-Cash Credit	-	-	-	8.50	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* Revised from CARE B; Stable; Issuer not cooperating

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# Annexure-2: Rating History of last three years

Sr.	Name of the	Current Ratings			Rating history			
No.	Instrument/Bank	Type	Amount	Rating	Date(s) &	Date(s) &	Date(s) & Rating(s)	Date(s) &
	Facilities		Outstanding		Rating(s)	Rating(s)	assigned in 2018-	Rating(s)
			(Rs. crore)		assigned	assigned	2019	assigned
					in 2020-	in 2019-		in 2017-
					2021	2020		2018
1.	Fund-based - LT-Cash	LT	8.50	CARE D; ISSUER	-	-	1)CARE B; Stable;	-
	Credit			NOT			ISSUER NOT	
				COOPERATING*			COOPERATING*	
				Issuer not			(13-Mar-19)	
				cooperating;			2)CARE B+	
				Revised from CARE			(17-Apr-18)	
				B on the basis of				
				best available				
				information				

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