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Baba Kailashpati Agro Processing Private Limited

April 04, 2024

Ratings

Facilities	Amount (INR crore)	Ratings	Rating Action	Complexity Indicator
Long Term Bank Facilities 17.18		IVR B-/ Negative ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (IVR B minus with negative outlook Issuer Not Cooperating)	Rating reaffirmed and continues to remain in the ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category	Simple
Total	17.18 (Rupees seventeen crore and eighteen lakhs only)			

^{*}Issuer did not cooperate; based on best available information

Details of Facilities are in Annexure 1

Detailed Rationale

The rating reaffirmation is because of lack of adequate information regarding Baba Kailashpati Agro Processing Private Limited's (BKAPPL) performance and hence the uncertainty around its credit risk. Infomerics assesses whether the information available about the company is commensurate with its rating and reviews the same as per its policy.

The lenders, investors and other market participants are thus advised to exercise appropriate caution while using this rating as the rating may not adequately reflect the credit risk profile of the company.

Non-cooperation by Issuer

Infomerics has been regularly following up with the company to provide the required data to monitor its assigned rating to the bank facilities vide e-mail communications dated March 4, 2024, March 5, 2024, March 6, 2024, and March 7, 2024 and concurrently over several phone calls. However, despite repeated requests by Infomerics, the company's management has not submitted surveillance fees and all the essential details required for detailed review of the assigned ratings.



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Availability of information is very critical in rating exercise. In the absence of the requisite information, in consonance with SEBI guidelines, Infomerics has to assign the rating based on the best available information. Accordingly, the long-term rating for the bank loan facilities aggregating to INR 17.18 crore shall continue in the 'ISSUER NOT COOPERATING' category by Infomerics and the ratings will be at 'IVR B-/ Negative ISSUER NOT COOPERATING'; based on best available information (IVR B minus with negative outlook Issuer not cooperating; based on best available information) of Baba Kailashpati Agro Processing Private Limited.

Analytical Approach: Standalone

Applicable Criteria:

Rating Methodology for Services companies

Financial Ratios & Interpretation (Non-Financial Sector)

Guidelines on what constitutes Non-Cooperation by clients

Criteria of assigning Rating Outlook

About the company

Incorporated in August 2015, Baba Kailashpati Agro Processing Private Limited (BKAPPL) is promoted by Mr Subrata Kumar Paul and Mr. Mantu Behari Samanta. BKAPPL is operating a cold storage facility in Arambagh, Hooghly district of West Bengal. The commercial operation of cold storage service has been started from FY18 with an installed capacity of 4,14,148 packets per annum for cold storage of potato. Apart from operating a cold storage facility the company is also engaged in potato trading.

The day-to-day affairs of the company are looked after by Mr. Subrata Kumar Paul (Director) and Mr. Mantu Behari Samanta having experience of around 16 years, 21 years respectively in the cold storage business.

Financials (Standalone)

(INR Crore)

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For the year ended* / As On	31-03-2018	31-03-2019		
	Audited	Audited		
Total Operating Income	1.83	6.75		
EBITDA	0.60	2.02		
PAT	-0.78	-0.83		
Total Debt	11.48	17.53		
Tangible Net worth	2.17	1.34		



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EBITDA Margin (%)	32.85	29.97		
PAT Margin (%)	-41.02	-12.25		
Overall Gearing Ratio (x)	5.28	13.07		

^{*} As per Infomerics Standard

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA:

CARE continues the rating of BKAPPL into the Issuer Non-Cooperating category on account of inadequate information and lack of management cooperation in the rating procedure despite repeated follow ups as per the Press Release dated July 13, 2023.

Any other information: Nil

Rating History for last three years:

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SI. No.	Name of Instrume nt/ Facilities	Туре	Amount	Rating	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2023-24	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned	Date(s) &	
1.	Seasonal Working Capital Loan	Long Term	8.00	IVR B-/ Negative ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	<u></u>	IVR B-/ ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	IVR B-/ ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	
2.	Working Capital Loan	Long Term	0.58	IVR B-/ Negative ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	- (IVR B-/ ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	IVR B-/ ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	
3	Term Loan 1	Long Term	5.35	IVR B-/ Negative ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	IVR B-/ ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	IVR B-/ ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	
4	Term Loan 2	Long Term	3.25	IVR B-/ Negative ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	IVR B-/ ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	IVR B-/ ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	

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About Infomerics:

Infomerics was founded in the year 1986 by a team of highly experienced and knowledgeable finance professionals. Subsequently, after obtaining Securities Exchange Board of India registration and RBI accreditation and the activities of the company are extended to External Credit Assessment Institution (ECAI).

Adhering to best International Practices and maintaining high degree of ethics, the team of knowledgeable analytical professionals deliver credible evaluation of rating.

Infomerics evaluates wide range of debt instruments which helps corporates open horizons to raise capital and provides investors enlightened investment opportunities. The transparent, robust and credible rating has gained the confidence of Investors and Banks.

Infomerics has a pan India presence with Head Office in Delhi, branches in major cities and representatives in several locations.

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Annexure 1: Details of Facility

Name of Facility	Date of Issuance	Coupon Rate/ IRR	Maturity Date	Size of Facility (Rs. Crore)	Rating Assigned/ Outlook
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Seasonal Working Capital Loan	-	-	-	8.00	IVR B-/ Negative ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Working Capital Loan	-	-	-	0.58	IVR B-/ Negative ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Term Loan 1	-	-	June 2026	5.35	IVR B-/ Negative ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Term Loan 2	-	-	Dec 2026	3.25	IVR B-/ Negative ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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Annexure 2: Facility wise lender details: Not Applicable

Annexure 3: List of companies considered for consolidated analysis: Not Applicable

Annexure 4: Detailed explanation of covenants of the rated instrument/facilities: Not Applicable

Note on complexity levels of the rated instrument: Infomerics has classified instruments rated by it on the basis of complexity and a note thereon is available at www.infomerics.com