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Sheetal Cool Products Limited (SCPL) July 16, 2024

Ratings:

Facilities/ Instruments	Amount (Rs. crore)	Current Ratings*	Previous Ratings	Rating Action	Complexity Indicator (Simple/High /Complex)
Long Term Fund Based Facilities	50.00	IVR BB-/Negative; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (IVR Double B Minus with Negative Outlook ISSUER NOT COOPERATING)	IVR BB/Negative; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (IVR Double B with Negative Outlook ISSUER NOT COOPERATING)	Downgraded, and continues under Issuer Not Cooperating Category	<u>Simple</u>
Total	50.00 (Fifty Crore Only)				

^{*}Issuer not cooperating, based on best available information

Details of Facilities/Instruments are in Annexure 1.

Facility wise lender details are at Annexure 2.

Detailed explanation of covenants is at Annexure 3.

Detailed Rationale

The aforesaid rating downgrade to the bank facilities of Sheetal Cool Products Limited reflects lack of adequate information available about the performance of the company and the uncertainty around its credit risk. Infomerics assesses whether the information available about the entity 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 entity, despite the rating revision.

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Note on non-cooperation.

Infomerics has repeatedly followed up with the company to provide information to monitor the rating(s) vide e-mail July 02, 2024, July 03, 2024, July 05, 2024 and July 10, 2024, along with telephonic conversations. However, despite repeated requests, the company has failed to submit data for review.

Availability of information is very critical in rating exercise. In the absence of the relevant information, in consonance with SEBI guidelines, Infomerics has moved the ratings assigned to the bank loan facilities of Sheetal Cool Products Limited aggregating to INR 50.00 crore to the 'ISSUER NOT COOPERATING' category. The rating is now denoted as IVR BB-/ Negative Outlook; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING

Analytical Approach: Standalone Approach

Applicable Criteria:

Policy on Issuer Not Cooperating

Rating Methodology for Manufacturing companies

Financial Ratios & Interpretation (Non-Financial Sector)

Criteria for assigning Rating outlook.

Policy on Default Recognition

Complexity Level of Rated Instruments/Facilities

About the Company

Sheetal Cool Products Limited (SCPL) was established in the year 2000 as a proprietorship firm by late Shri Jagdishbhai D. Bhuva as M/s. Shree Shital Industries for the purpose of carrying out the business of manufacturing Ice-Cream under the name, Sheetal and J'adore, at Amreli (Gujarat). The company manufactures ice-cream, milk and milk products (lassi, buttermilk, and flavored milk), frozen foods, confectionery items, and snacks.



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Financials (Standalone):

(In Crore)

For the year ended / INR. Crore	31-03-2022	31-03-2023	
	Audited	Audited	
Total Operating Income	329.93	341.98	
EBITDA	40.52	44.83	
PAT	18.33	20.47	
Total Debt	74.98	86.80	
Tangible Net Worth	73.11	92.88	
EBITDA Margin (%)	12.28	13.11	
PAT Margin (%)	5.56	5.99	
Overall Gearing Ratio (x)	1.03	0.93	
Interest Coverage	8.24	6.00	

^{*}Classification as per Infomerics' standards.

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: None

Any other information: None

Rating History for last three years:

	Name of		Current Rating (Year 2024-25)		Rating History for the past 3 years			
SI. No.	Instrument/ Facilities	Туре	Amount outstandi ng (INR crore)	Assigned Rating	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 23- 24	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 22-23	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 21-22	
					July 04, 2023	May 31, 2022	April 05, 2021	
1.	Long Term Fund Based Facilities	Long Term	50.00	IVR BB-/Negative; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (IVR Double B Minus with Negative Outlook ISSUER NOT COOPERATING)	IVR BB/Negative; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G (IVR Double B with Negative Outlook ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G)	IVR BB+/ ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG (IVR Double B Plus ISSUER NOT COOPERATI	IVR BBB-/ Stable (IVR Triple B Minus with Stable Outlook)	



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Annexure 1: Details of Facilities:

Name of Facility	Date of Issuance	Coupon Rate/ IRR	Maturity Date	Size of Facility (Rs. Crore)	Rating Assigned/ Outlook
Cash Credit	-	-	-	27.75	IVR BB-/Negative; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING
Term Loan	-	-	-	2225	IVR BB-/Negative; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING

Annexure 2: Facility wise lender details (Hyperlink to be added): Not Applicable

Annexure 3: Detailed explanation of covenants of the rated Security/facilities: Not Applicable

Name of the Security	Detailed Explanation		
Financial Covenant			
i.			
ii.			
Non-financial Covenant			
i.			
ii.			

Annexure 4: List of companies considered for consolidated/Combined analysis: 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.