

October 28, 2024

BMS Projects: Continues to remain under issuer Non-Cooperating category

Summary of rating action

| Instrument^ | Previous Rated Amount (Rs. crore) | Current Rated Amount (Rs. crore) | Rating Action |
|---|---|--|--|
| Long-Term-Fund Based-Cash Credit | 5.00 | 5.00 | [ICRA]B- (Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*; Rating continues to remain under 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category |
| Short-Term-Non - Fund Based-Others | 4.00 | 4.00 | [ICRA]A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*; Rating continues to remain under 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category |
| Long-Term / Short- Term -Unallocated | 1.00 | 1.00 | [ICRA]B- (Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING /[ICRA]A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*; Rating continues to remain under 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category |
| Total | 10.00 | 10.00 | |

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

Rationale

ICRA has kept the long-term and short-term ratings of BMS Projects in the 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category. The rating is denoted as "[ICRA]B- (Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING /[ICRA]A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING"

As part of its process and in accordance with its rating agreement with BMS Projects, ICRA has been trying to seek information from the entity so as to monitor its performance Further, ICRA has been sending repeated reminders to the entity for payment of surveillance fee that became due. Despite multiple requests by ICRA, the entity's management has remained non-cooperative. In the absence of requisite information and in line with the aforesaid policy of ICRA, the rating has been continued to the "Issuer Not Cooperating" category. The rating is based on the best available information.

Please refer to the following link for the previous detailed rationale that captures Key rating drivers and their description, Liquidity position, Rating sensitivities, Key financial indicators: <u>Click Here</u> ICRA is unable to provide the latest information because of non-cooperation by the entity.

Analytical approach

| Analytical Approach | Comments | | |
|---------------------------------|---|--|--|
| Applicable Rating Methodologies | Policy in respect of non-cooperation by the rated entity Corporate Credit Rating Methodology Construction | | |
| Parent/Group Support | NA | | |
| Consolidation/Standalone | Standalone | | |

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[^]Instrument details are provided in Annexure-1



About the company

Established in September 2014 as a partnership firm, BMS is engaged in construction of buildings and roads in the state of Chhattisgarh. The firm is a registered Class I category contractor with P.W.D. - Chhattisgarh. The promoters have been engaged in the civil construction business for around a decade through its erstwhile company, Baldev Infra Projects Pvt. Ltd

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA:

| CRA | Status | Date of release |
|------|--|-----------------|
| CARE | [CARE]B- (Stable)/[CARE]A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING | June 20, 2024 |

Any other information: None

Rating history for past three years

| Instrument | Current Rating (FY2025) | | | Chronology of Rating History for the past 3 years | | | |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------|--|---|---|---|--|
| | Туре | Amount Rated (Rs. crore) | Date & Rating in | Date & Rating in FY2024 | Date & Rating in FY2023 | Date & Rating in FY2022 | |
| | | | Oct 28, 2024 | Aug 25, 2023 | Jun 23, 2022 | Apr 26, 2021 | |
| 1 Cash Credit | Long Term | 5.00 | [ICRA]B- (Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING | [ICRA]B- (Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING | [ICRA]B- (Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING | [ICRA]B- (Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING | |
| 2 Non-Fund- Based- Others | Short Term | 4.00 | [ICRA]A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING | [ICRA]A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING | [ICRA]A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING | [ICRA]A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING | |
| 3 Unallocated Limits | | | [ICRA]B-(Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING /[ICRA]A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING | [ICRA]B- (Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING /[ICRA]A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING | [ICRA]B- (Stable)/[ICRA]A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING | [ICRA]B- (Stable)/[ICRA]A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING | |

Complexity level of the rated instrument

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| Instrument | Complexity Indicator | | | |
| Cash Credit | Simple | | | |
| Non-Fund-Based-Others | Very Simple | | | |
| Unallocated Limits | Not Applicable | | | |

The Complexity Indicator refers to the ease with which the returns associated with the rated instrument could be estimated. It does not indicate the risk related to the timely payments on the instrument, which is rather indicated by the instrument's credit rating. It also does not indicate the complexity associated with analyzing an entity's financial, business, industry risks or complexity related to the structural, transactional, or legal aspects. Details on the complexity levels of the instruments, is available on ICRA's website: Click Here

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Annexure-1: Instrument details

| ISIN No | Instrument Name | Date of Issuance / Sanction | Coupon Rate | Maturity Date | Amount Rated (RS Crore) | Current Rating and Outlook |
|---------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|-------------|------------------|-------------------------|--|
| NA | Cash Credit | - | - | - | 5.00 | [ICRA]B- (Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING |
| NA | Bank Guarantee | - | - | - | 4.00 | [ICRA]A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING |
| NA | Unallocated Limits | - | - | - | 1.00 | [ICRA]B- (Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING /[ICRA]A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING |

Source: BMS Projects

Annexure-2: List of entities considered for consolidated analysis: Not Applicable

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