

CARE/HO/RL/2019-20/4992

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March 27, 2020

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Dear Sir,

Credit Rating for Bank facilities

This is with reference to our rating agreement dated December 21, 2017, wherein you had agreed to provide information and pay annual surveillance fee to monitor and conduct the surveillance/review of the rating over the lifetime of rated bank facilities.

2. In the absence of adequate co-operation from your end despite repeated requests, CARE has reviewed the rating(s) as follows:

Facilities	Amount (Rs. Crore)	Ratings ¹	Rating Action
Long-term Bank Facilities	208.75	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING (Single D)	Issuer Not Cooperating; Based on best available information
Short-term Bank Facilities	91.25	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING (Single D)	Issuer Not Cooperating; Based on best available information
Total facilities	300.00 (Rupees Three Hundred Crore only)		

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3. We would be issuing a press release shortly to inform the regulators, investors and public at large. A draft of the Press Release is enclosed.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

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Encl.: As above

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Annexure 1 Details of Rated Facilities

1. Long-term facilities

1. A. Term loans

(Rs. Crore)

Sr.	Lender	Type of facility	Rated	Debt Repayment Terms
No			Amount	
1.	ICICI Bank	Fund-based – LT – Rupee term Ioan	25.26	10 years (2 years moratorium) – repayment from Jan 31, 2017
2.		Fund-based – LT – Working capital term loan	0.97	7 years (2 years moratorium) – repayment from Jan 31, 2017
3		Fund-based – LT – Funded interest term Ioan I	3.70	6 years (2 years moratorium) – repayment from Jan 31, 2017
4		Fund-based – LT – Funded interest term loan II	0.12	6 years (2 years moratorium) – repayment from Jan 31, 2017
5	IDBI Bank	Fund-based – LT – Rupee term Ioan	6.67	5 years (2 years moratorium) – repayment from Jan 01, 2017
6		Fund-based – LT – Working capital term loan	7.80	7 years (2 years moratorium) – repayment from Jan 01, 2017
7		Fund-based – LT – Funded interest term Ioan I	1.25	6 years (2 years moratorium) – repayment from Jan 01, 2017
8		Fund-based – LT – Funded interest term loan II	1.00	6 years (2 years moratorium) – repayment from Jan 01, 2017
9	Punjab National	Fund-based – LT – Term Ioan II	3.09	4 years (2 years moratorium) – repayment from Jan 2017
10	Bank	Fund-based – LT – Term Ioan III	3.46	4 years (2 years moratorium) – repayment from Jan 2017
11		Fund-based – LT – Funded interest term loan I	1.16	6 years (2 years moratorium) – repayment from Jan 2017
12]	Fund-based – LT – Working capital term loan	11.70	7 years (2 years moratorium) – repayment from Jan 2017
13		Fund-based – LT – Funded interest term loan II	1.50	6 years (2 years moratorium) – repayment from Jan 2017



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Sr.	Lender	Type of facility	Rated	Remarks
No			Amount	
14	Shamrao	Fund-based – LT – Rupee	0.11	6 years (2 years moratorium) –
	Vithal Co-	term loan	0.11	repayment from January 2017
15	operative	Fund-based – LT – Rupee		4 years 9 months (2 years moratorium) –
	bank limited	term loan II	1.90	repayment from Jan 2017
16		Fund-based – LT – Rupee		8 years 11 months (2 years moratorium)
		term loan III	4.69	 repayment from Jan 2017
17		Fund-based – LT – Working	8.77	7 years (2 years moratorium) –
		capital term loan	0.77	repayment from January 2017
18		Fund-based – LT – Funded		5 years 3 months (2 years moratorium) –
		interest term loan I	1.12	repayment from January 2017
19		Fund-based – LT – Funded	1.06	
		interest term loan II	1.00	
20	Union Bank of	Fund-based – LT – Term loan	0.60	6 years (2 years moratorium) –
	India		0.00	repayment from Jan 01, 2017
21		Fund-based – LT – Working	9.75	7 years (2 years moratorium) –
		capital term loan	5.75	repayment from Jan 01, 2017
22		Fund-based – LT – Funded	0.33	7 years (2 years moratorium) –
		interest term loan I	0.00	repayment from January 2017
23		Fund-based – LT – Funded	1.25	4 years (2 years moratorium) –
		interest term loan II	1.25	repayment from January 2017
24	Proposed		2.73	
		Total	100.00	

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Annexure 1 (Contnd.)

1. B. Fund Based limits sanctioned

Sr. No.	Name of Bank	Fund Based Limits (Rs. Crore)				
140.		Cash Credit	Others	Total fund- based limits		
1	ICICI Bank	4.00	-	4.00		
2	IDBI Bank	Bank 14.50		14.50		
3	Punjab National Bank	35.00	-	35.00		
4	Shamrao Vithal Co-operative bank limited	34.50	-	34.50		
5	Union bank of India	19.00	-	19.00		
6	Proposed	1.75	-	1.75		
	Total	108.75		108.75		

Total long-term facilities as at (1.A. + 1.B) = Rs. 208.75 crore

2. Short-term facilities

2. A. Non-Fund Based limits

Sr. No.	Name of Bank	Non Fund Based Limits (Rs. Crore)				
-		Letter of credit	Bank Guarantee	Total		
1	IDBI Bank	19.00	-	19.00		
2	Punjab National Bank	13.75	5.55	19.30		
3	Shamrao Vithal Co-operative Bank Limited	2.00	-	2.00		
4	Union bank of India	22.00	0.70	22.70		
5	Additional amount to be proposed	23.25	5.00	28.25		
	Total	80.00	11.25	91.25		

Total short-term facilities (2) = Rs 91.25 crore

Total facilities (1 + 2) = Rs. 300.00 crore

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Annexure 2 Press Release Kisan Mouldings Limited

Ratings

Facilities	Amount (Rs. crore)	Ratings ^[1]	Rating Action	
Long term bank facilities	208.75	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING (Single D)	Issuer Not Cooperating Based on best available information	
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Total	300.00 (Rupees Three hundred crores only)			

Details of facilities as per Annexure-I

Detailed rating rationale & key rating drivers

CARE has been seeking information from Kisan Mouldings Limited to monitor the rating vide emails dated January 09, 2020, February 03, 2020, February 17, 2020, March 09, 2020, March 12, 2020, March 13, 2020, March 16, 2020, March 17, 2020; and numerous telephonic interactions. However, despite our repeated requests, the company has not provided the requisite information for monitoring the ratings. The company has also not paid the surveillance fees for the rating exercise as agreed in its Rating Agreement. In line with the extant SEBI (Securities and Exchange Board of India) guidelines, CARE has reviewed the ratings on the basis of best available information which however, in CARE's opinion is not sufficient to arrive at a fair rating. The rating on the company'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).

Detailed description of key rating drivers:

At the time of last rating on April 09, 2019, the following were the ratings weaknesses.

Key Rating Weaknesses

Delays in servicing of debt obligation

There are continuing delays in debt servicing as reported by the lenders and company.

Analytical approach: Consolidated



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(The company has a wholly-owned subsidiary – KML Tradelinks Private Limited)

Applicable Criteria

Policy in respect of Non-Cooperation by issuer Criteria on assigning Credit Watch CARE's Policy on Default Recognition

About the Company

Established in the year 1982, Kisan Mouldings Limited is primarily involved in manufacturing of PolyVinyl Chloride (PVC) pipes and fittings. They also manufacture custom moulded articles, moulded furniture and water tanks. The company processes around 50,000 metric tonnes of polymer each year. The products are marketed under its own brand viz. KISAN & KML CLASSIC through 11 branch offices spread across major cities catering to existing base with 100 distributors and 3,000 dealers' network. It has 5 manufacturing units located in Maharashtra, Karnataka, Madhya Pradesh and Union Territory of Dadra and Nagar Haveli.

Brief Financials	FY18 (A)	FY19 (A)
Total Operating Income	562.88	534.70
PBILDT	45.10	31.94
PAT	0.42	-9.68
Overall Gearing (times)	1.24	1.26
Interest Coverage (times)	1.26	0.98

A – Audited

The financials has been reclassified as per CARE standards.

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: CRISIL Limited continues to put the ratings assigned to Kisan Mouldings Limited under 'Non-Cooperation' category vide press release dated July 24, 2019, due to non-submission of information.

Any other information: Not Applicable

Rating History: Please refer Annexure-2

Note on complexity levels of the rated instrument: CARE has classified instruments rated by it on the basis of complexity. This classification is available at www.careratings.com. Investors/market intermediaries/regulators or others are welcome to write to care@careratings.com for any clarifications.

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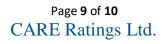


Annexure-1: Details of Instruments/Facilities

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-Cash Credit	-	-	-	108.75	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* Issuer not cooperating; Based on best available information
Fund-based - LT- Funded Interest term Loan	-	-	-	12.50	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* Issuer not cooperating; Based on best available information
Fund-based - LT-Term Loan	-	-	-	48.51	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* Issuer not cooperating; Based on best available information
Fund-based - LT- Working capital Term Loan	-	-	-	38.99	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* Issuer not cooperating; Based on best available information
Non-fund-based - ST- Bank Guarantees	-	-	-	11.25	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* Issuer not cooperating; Based on best available information
Non-fund-based - ST- ILC/FLC	-	-	-	80.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* Issuer not cooperating; Based on best available information

Annexure-2: Rating History of last three years

Sr.	Name of		Curre	ent Ratings	R	ating histo	γ	
No.	the	Туре	Amount	Rating	Date(s) & Rating(s)	Date(s) &	Date(s) &	Date(s) &
	Instrument		Outstandin		assigned in 2019-	Rating(s)	Rating(s)	Rating(s)
	/Bank		g		2020	assigned	assigned	assigned
	Facilities		(Rs. crore)			in 2018-	in 2017-	in 2016-
						2019	2018	2017
1.	Fund-based	LT	108.75	CARE D; ISSUER NOT	1)CARE D	1)CARE D	1)CARE	-
	- LT-Cash			COOPERATING*	(09-Apr-19)	(06-Sep-	B+; Stable	
	Credit			Issuer not cooperating;	2)CARE D; ISSUER	18)	(12-Jan-	
				Based on best available	NOT COOPERATING*		18)	
				information	(03-Apr-19)			





Sr.	Name of		Curre	ent Ratings	R	ating histor	ry	
No.	the	Туре	Amount	Rating	Date(s) & Rating(s)		Date(s) &	
	Instrument		Outstandin		assigned in 2019-	Rating(s)	Rating(s)	Rating(s)
	/Bank		g		2020	assigned	assigned	assigned
	Facilities		(Rs. crore)			in 2018-	in 2017-	in 2016-
						2019	2018	2017
2.	Fund-based	LT	12.50	CARE D; ISSUER NOT	1)CARE D		1)CARE	-
	- LT-			COOPERATING*	(09-Apr-19)	• •	B+; Stable	
	Funded			Issuer not cooperating;	2)CARE D; ISSUER	18)	(12-Jan-	
	Interest			Based on best available	NOT COOPERATING*		18)	
	term Loan			information	(03-Apr-19)			
3.	Fund-based	LT	48.51	CARE D; ISSUER NOT	1)CARE D		1)CARE	-
	- LT-Term			COOPERATING*	(09-Apr-19)	• •	B+; Stable	
	Loan			Issuer not cooperating;	2)CARE D; ISSUER	18)	(12-Jan-	
				Based on best available	NOT COOPERATING*		18)	
				information	(03-Apr-19)			
4.	Fund-based	LT	38.99	CARE D; ISSUER NOT			1)CARE	-
	- LT-			COOPERATING*	(09-Apr-19)	• •	B+; Stable	
	Working			Issuer not cooperating;	2)CARE D; ISSUER	18)	(12-Jan-	
	capital			Based on best available	NOT COOPERATING*		18)	
	Term Loan			information	(03-Apr-19)			
	Non-fund-	ST	11.25	CARE D; ISSUER NOT	1)CARE D		1)CARE A4	-
	based - ST-			COOPERATING*	(09-Apr-19)	(06-Sep-	(12-Jan-	
	Bank			Issuer not cooperating;	2)CARE D; ISSUER	18)	18)	
	Guarantees			Based on best available	NOT COOPERATING*			
				information	(03-Apr-19)			
	Non-fund-	ST	80.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT	1)CARE D		1)CARE A4	-
	based - ST-			COOPERATING*	(09-Apr-19)	· ·	(12-Jan-	
	ILC/FLC			Issuer not cooperating;	2)CARE D; ISSUER	18)	18)	
				Based on best available	NOT COOPERATING*			
				information	(03-Apr-19)			
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