

#### December 12, 2023

# **Duratex Silk Mills Private Limited: 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 – Term Loan	17.09	17.09	[ICRA]B (Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*; Rating continues to remain under 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category
Long Term-Fund Based- Cash Credit	7.10	7.10	[ICRA]B (Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*; Rating continues to remain under 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category
Long Term / Short Term -Unallocated	5.81	5.81	[ICRA]B(Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING /[ICRA]A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*; Rating continues to remain under 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category
Total	30.00	30.00	

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

#### Rationale

ICRA has kept the Long-Term and Short-term rating of Duratex Silk Mills Private Limited 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 Duratex Silk Mills Private Limited, 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: <u>Click here</u> ICRA is unable to provide the latest information because of non-cooperation by the entity.

## **Analytical approach**

Analytical Approach	Comments			
	Policy in respect of non-cooperation by the rated entity			
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Applicable Rating Methodologies	Rating Methodology – Textile (Apparels)			
	Rating Methodology – Textile (Fabric)			
Parent/Group Support	NA			
Consolidation/Standalone Standalone				

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<sup>^</sup>Instrument details are provided in Annexure-1



## **About the company**

The Duratex Group was founded in the early 1970s by Mr. Durga Prasad Agarwal. Subsequently, his two brothers, Mr. Narendra Agarwal and Mr. Sanjay Agarwal, joined the business. The Group's flagship company, Duratex Silk Mills Private Limited, manufactures finished fabrics, while Duratex Exports finished fabrics procured from Duratex Silk Mills Private Limited. Duratex Apparels manufactures readymade garments, particularly shirts and boxers, and caters to the domestic as well as export markets. The Group has around 310 looms with an approximate fabric manufacturing capacity of 100 lakh meters per annum, as well as around 350 sewing machines and a shirt manufacturing capacity of 6.85 lakh units per annum. The company's capacity utilisation remained mature at 85-90% of its installed manufacturing capacity during FY2019.

## **Key financial indicators:**

Standalone	FY 2022	FY 2023
Operating Income (Rs. crore)	73.38	86.93
PAT (Rs. crore)	2.72	2.70
OPBDITA/OI (%)	6.34%	5.78%
PAT/OI (%)	3.71%	3.10%
Total Outside Liabilities/Tangible Net Worth (times)	0.75	0.54
Total Debt/OPBDITA (times)	0.09	0.05
Interest Coverage (times)	15.00	11.97

PAT: Profit after Tax; OPBDITA: Operating Profit before Depreciation, Interest, Taxes and Amortisation.

Source: MCA

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: NA

Any other information: None

## Rating history for past three years

		Current Rating (FY2024)				Chronology of Rating History for the past 3 years		
	Instrument	Type Ra	Amount Rated	Amount Outstanding (Rs. Crore)	Date & Rating in	Date & Rating in FY 2023	Date & Rating in FY 2022	Date & Rating in FY 2021
			(Rs. Crore)		Dec 12 , 2023	Sep 21, 2022	July 30, 2021	April 08, 2020
1.	Fund Based –	17	17.09	_	[ICRA]B(Stable); ISSUER NOT	[ICRA]B(Stable); ISSUER NOT	[ICRA]B(Stable); ISSUER NOT	[ICRA]BB(Stable)
	Term Loan	Term			COOPERATING	COOPERATING	COOPERATING	
2.	Fund Based – Cash Credit	Long Term	7.10	-	[ICRA]B(Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	[ICRA]B(Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	[ICRA]B(Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	[ICRA]BB(Stable)
3.	Unallocated	Long/ Short Term	5.81	-	[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	[ICRA]BB(Stable)/ [ICRA]A4

## Complexity level of the rated instrument

Instrument	Complexity Indicator
Long Term-Fund Based-Term Loan	Simple
Long Term-Fund Based-Cash Credit	Simple
Long Term / Short Term-Unallocated	Not Applicable

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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 analysing 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	Long Term-Fund Based- Term Loan	-	-	-	17.09	[ICRA]B(Stable);ISSUER NOT COOPERATING
NA	Long Term-Fund Based- Cash Credit	-	-	-	7.10	[ICRA]B(Stable);ISSUER NOT COOPERATING
NA	Long Term / Short Term- Unallocated	-	-	-	581	[ICRA]B(Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING /[ICRA]A4;ISSUER NOT COOPERATING

Source: Duratex Silk Mills Private Limited

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

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