

April 22, 2024

Shreyas Shipping And Logistics Limited: Ratings withdrawn

Summary of rating action

Instrument*	Previous Rated Amount Current Rated Amount (Rs. crore) (Rs. crore)		Rating Action	
Long-term Fund-based – Term loan	52.60	52.60	[ICRA]BBB+ (Stable); withdrawn	
Long-term – Unallocated Limits	7.40	7.40	[ICRA]BBB+ (Stable); withdrawn	
Total	60.00	60.00		

^{*}Instrument details are provided in Annexure-I

Rationale

ICRA has withdrawn the ratings assigned to the bank facilities of Shreyas Shipping And Logistics Limited (SSLL) at the request of the company, and upon receipt of the No Objection Certificate (NOC) from the banker, and in accordance with ICRA's policy on withdrawal of credit ratings. However, ICRA does not have information to suggest that the credit risk has changed since the time the rating was last reviewed.

The key rating drivers, liquidity position and rating sensitivities have not been captured as the rated instruments are being withdrawn. The previous detailed rating rationale is available at the following link: <u>Click Here.</u>

Analytical approach

Analytical Approach	Comments		
Applicable rating methodologies	Corporate Credit Rating Methodology Shipping Policy on withdrawal of Credit Ratings		
Parent/Group support	Not Applicable		
Consolidation/Standalone	Standalone		

About the company

Shreyas Shipping and Logistics Limited (SSLL), incorporated in 1988, is the Indian-flagged vessel owning company and part of the Transworld Group. SSLL was incorporated by the late Mr. R Sivaswamy to own and operate vessels for container feeder operations between Indian and international container trans-shipment ports. It was the first to provide coastal trans-shipment services at several domestic ports. Post the sale of its containerised domestic coastal and EXIM feeder shipping business in 2021 to Transworld Feeders Private Limited, the company only owns vessels and majority of the vessels are under a long-term chartering arrangement. SSLL has a fleet of 11 container feeder ships with an aggregate capacity of 24,544 TEUs. SSLL also owns two handysized dry bulk carriers with an aggregate capacity of 69,000 DWT.

The Transworld Group consists of multiple companies with interests in shipping agency business, operating container vessels, freight forwarding, transportation & logistics solutions, operating container freight stations, container park management, ship repairs and ship handling & transportation.

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Key financial indicators (audited)

Standalone	FY2022	FY2023	9M FY2024*	
Operating income	513.6	483.8	192.8	
PAT	251.4	196.8	-53.4	
OPBDIT/OI	43.8%	50.9%	2.9%	
PAT/OI	49.0%	40.7%	-17.4%	
Total outside liabilities/Tangible net worth (times)	0.5	0.7	-	
Total debt/OPBDIT (times)	1.0	2.0	-	
Interest coverage (times)	18.7	13.4	0.2	

Source: Company, ICRA Research; * Provisional numbers; All ratios as per ICRA's calculations; Amount in Rs. Crore; PAT: Profit after tax; OPBDIT: Operating profit before depreciation, interest, taxes and amortisation

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Not applicable

Any other information: None

Rating history for past three years

		Current rating (FY2025)			Chronology of rating history for the past 3 years				
	Instrument	Amount Type rated (Rs. crore)	rated	Amount outstanding as of Mar 31, 2023	Date & rating in FY2025	Date & rating in FY2024		Date & rating in FY2023	Date & rating in FY2022
			(Rs. crore)	April 22, 2024	Nov 20, 2023	Jun 26, 2023	-	-	
1	Term loan	Long term	52.60	52.60	[ICRA]BBB+ (Stable); withdrawn	[ICRA]BBB+ (Stable)	[ICRA]A- (Stable)	-	-
2	Unallocated Limits	Long term	7.40		[ICRA]BBB+ (Stable); withdrawn	[ICRA]BBB+ (Stable)	[ICRA]A- (Stable)	-	-

Complexity level of the rated instruments

Instrument	Complexity Indicator	
Long-term Fund-based – Term loan	Simple	
Long-term – 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 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 are available on ICRA's website: Click Here

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Annexure I: Instrument details

ISIN	Instrument Name	Date of Issuance	Coupon Rate	Maturity	Amount Rated (Rs. crore)	Current Rating and Outlook
NA	Long-term Fund- based – Term loan	March-2023	-	March-2031	52.60	[ICRA]BBB+ (Stable); withdrawn
NA	Long-term – Unallocated Limits	NA	NA	NA	7.40	[ICRA]BBB+ (Stable); withdrawn

Source: Company

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Annexure II: List of entities considered for consolidated analysis – Not Applicable

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