

June 12, 2024

Asian Construction Company: 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
Short Term-Non-Fund Based- Others	45.00	45.00	[ICRA]A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*; Rating continues to remain under 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category
Long Term-Fund Based-Cash Credit	27.50	27.50	[ICRA]B+(Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*; Rating continues to remain under 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category
Total	72.50	72.50	

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

[^]Instrument details are provided in Annexure-1

Rationale

ICRA has kept the Long-Term and Short-term ratings of Asian Construction Company in the 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category. The rating is denoted as [ICRA]B+(Stable)/[ICRA]A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*.

As part of its process and in accordance with its rating agreement with Asian Construction Company, 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: [Click here](#) 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

About the company

Asian Construction Company (ACC) was established in 1989 as a partnership firm engaged in civil construction business. The partners have significant experience in the field of civil construction and have implemented various projects for government entities such as Central Public Works Department (CPWD), Military Engineering Services (MES) and Public Works Department (PWD). Mr. Ajit Singh Yadav is the managing partner of the firm and runs the family-owned business.

The firm secures orders from public sector enterprises or their sub-contractors through tender participation which largely takes place online. Basically, ACC is engaged in the construction of college buildings, hostels, hospitals, Border Security Forces (BSF) and Central Reserve Police Force (CRPF) quarters primarily in the states of Rajasthan and Madhya Pradesh. Recently, ACC has also forayed to area like Delhi, Tamil Nadu and Bihar which have increased its geographical spread.

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA:

CRA	Rating Action	Date of Release
Brickworks Ratings	BWR BB + (Stable)/A4 +; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	December 22, 2023

Any other information: None

Rating history for past three years

	Instrument	Current Rating (FY2025)				Chronology of Rating History for the past 3 years		
		Type	Amount Rated (Rs. Crore)	Amount Outstanding (Rs. Crore)	Date & Rating in	Date & Rating in FY2024	Date & Rating in FY2023	Date & Rating in FY2022
					12-June-2024	26-May-2023	28-April-2022	-
1	Non-Fund Based- Others	Short Term	45.00	-	[ICRA]A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	[ICRA]A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	[ICRA]A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	-
2	Fund Based- Cash Credit	Long Term	27.50	-	[ICRA]B+(Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	[ICRA]B+(Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	[ICRA]B+(Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	-

Complexity level of the rated instrument

Instrument	Complexity Indicator
Non-Fund Based- Others	Very Simple
Fund Based-Cash Credit	Simple

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](#)

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	Non-Fund Based- Others	NA	NA	NA	45.00	[ICRA]A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING
NA	Fund Based-Cash Credit	NA	NA	NA	27.50	[ICRA]B+(Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING

Source: Asian Construction Company

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

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