

August 19, 2024

Bhatia Coke & Energy 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
Short Term-Non-Fund Based-Others	75.50	75.50	[ICRA]D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*; Rating continues to remain under 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category
Long-Term-Fund- Based-Term Loan	110.83	110.83	[ICRA]D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*; Rating continues to remain under 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category
Long Term-Non-Fund Based-Others	14.00	14.00	[ICRA]D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*; Rating continues to remain under 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category
Long Term-Fund Based-Cash Credit	24.00	24.00	[ICRA]D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*; Rating continues to remain under 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category
Long Term- Unallocated	75.67	75.67	[ICRA]D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*; Rating continues to remain under 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category
Total	300.00	300.00	

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

Rationale

ICRA has kept the long-term and Short-term rating of Bhatia Coke & Energy Limited in the 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category. The rating is denoted as [ICRA]D/[ICRA]D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING.

As part of its process and in accordance with its rating agreement with Bhatia Coke & Energy 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, Key Financial indicators: <u>Click here</u> ICRA is unable to provide the latest information because of non-cooperation by the entity.

www.icra .in Page 1

[^]Instrument details are provided in Annexure-1



Analytical approach

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

About the company

A part of Bhatia Group of Indore, Bhatia Coke & Energy Limited (BCEL) is a manufacturer of coke with an installed capacity of 340,000 MTPA. In addition, the company also has 22.5MW capacity for power generation using waste heat recovered from coke oven plant. BCEL was incorporated in June 2008; however, it didn't undertake any operations till business transfer agreement was signed with erstwhile flagship company of the group i.e. Bhatia International Limited, which has been renamed to Asian Natural Resources (India) Limited (ANRIL). As a part of Bhatia Group's restructuring plans, coke manufacturing unit having capacity of 168,000 MTPA and 10MW power plant based on waste heat recovered from coke oven plant were transferred to BCEL. The effective date of transfer of business to BCEL was October 2009; however, actual transfer happened in February 2011 after appraisal and approval of bankers. Subsequently in FY2013, BCEL completed brown-field capacity expansion program at its unit in Gummidipoondi, Tamil Nadu, whereby coke manufacturing capacity was doubled to about 340,000 MTPA and power generation capacity was increased to about 22.5 MW.

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: NA

Any other information: None

Rating history for past three years

	Instrument	Current Rating (FY2025)			Chronology of Rating History for the past 3 years			
		Type Amour Rated (Rs. Crore)		Date & Rating in	Date & Rating in FY2024	Date & Rating in FY2023	Date & Rating in FY2022	
			1.	19-August-2024	13-July-2023	13-April-2022	-	
1	Non-Fund Based-Others	Short Term	75.50	[ICRA]D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	[ICRA]D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	[ICRA]D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	-	
2	Fund-Based- Term Loan	Long Term	110.83	[ICRA]D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	[ICRA]D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	[ICRA]D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	-	
3	Non-Fund Based-Others	Long Term	14.00	[ICRA]D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	[ICRA]D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	[ICRA]D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	-	
4	Fund Based- Cash Credit	Long Term	24.00	[ICRA]D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	[ICRA]D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	[ICRA]D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	-	
5	Unallocated	Long Term	75.67	[ICRA]D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	[ICRA]D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	[ICRA]D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	-	

www.icra .in Page | 2



Complexity level of the rated instrument

Instrument	Complexity Indicator
Short-Term Non-Fund Based-Others	Very Simple
Fund-Based-Term Loan	Simple
Long-Term- Non-Fund Based-Others	Very Simple
Fund Based-Cash Credit	Simple
Unallocated	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, 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	Short-Term Non- Fund Based- Others	-	-	-	75.50	[ICRA]D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING
NA	Fund-Based-Term Loan	-	-	-	110.83	[ICRA]D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING
NA	Long-Term- Non- Fund Based- Others	-	-	-	14.00	[ICRA]D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING
NA	Fund Based-Cash Credit	-	-	-	24.00	[ICRA]D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING
NA	Unallocated	-	-	-	75.67	[ICRA]D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING

Source: Bhatia Coke & Energy Limited

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



ANALYST CONTACTS

Girishkumar Kadam +91-22-61143441 girishkumar@icraindia.com Subhechha Banerjee +91 33 7150 1151 subhechha.banerjee@icraindia.com

Susmita Biswas +91-033 7150 1182 susmita.biswas@icraindia.com

RELATIONSHIP CONTACT

L. Shivakumar +022-61693300 shivakumar@icraindia.com

MEDIA AND PUBLIC RELATIONS CONTACT

Ms. Naznin Prodhani
Tel: +91 124 4545 860
communications@icraindia.com

Helpline for business queries

+91-9354738909 (open Monday to Friday, from 9:30 am to 6 pm)

info@icraindia.com

About ICRA Limited:

ICRA Limited was set up in 1991 by leading financial/investment institutions, commercial banks and financial services companies as an independent and professional investment Information and Credit Rating Agency.

Today, ICRA and its subsidiaries together form the ICRA Group of Companies (Group ICRA). ICRA is a Public Limited Company, with its shares listed on the Bombay Stock Exchange and the National Stock Exchange. The international Credit Rating Agency Moody's Investors Service is ICRA's largest shareholder.

For more information, visit www.icra.in



ICRA Limited



Registered Office

B-710, Statesman House, 148, Barakhamba Road, New Delhi-110001 Tel: +91 11 23357940-45



© Copyright, 2024 ICRA Limited. All Rights Reserved.

Contents may be used freely with due acknowledgement to ICRA.

ICRA ratings should not be treated as recommendation to buy, sell or hold the rated debt instruments. ICRA ratings are subject to a process of surveillance, which may lead to revision in ratings. An ICRA rating is a symbolic indicator of ICRA's current opinion on the relative capability of the issuer concerned to timely service debts and obligations, with reference to the instrument rated. Please visit our website www.icra.in or contact any ICRA office for the latest information on ICRA ratings outstanding. All information contained herein has been obtained by ICRA from sources believed by it to be accurate and reliable, including the rated issuer. ICRA however has not conducted any audit of the rated issuer or of the information provided by it. While reasonable care has been taken to ensure that the information herein is true, such information is provided 'as is' without any warranty of any kind, and ICRA in particular, makes no representation or warranty, express or implied, as to the accuracy, timeliness or completeness of any such information. Also, ICRA or any of its group companies may have provided services other than rating to the issuer rated. All information contained herein must be construed solely as statements of opinion, and ICRA shall not be liable for any losses incurred by users from any use of this publication or its contents.