

#### November 19, 2024

# Sharp Travels (India) 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- Cash Credit	9.75	9.75	[ICRA]B+(Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*; Rating continues to remain under 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category		
Short Term- Non Fund Based-Others	0.25	0.25	[ICRA]A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*; Rating continues to remain under 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category		
Total	10.00	10.00			

\*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 Sharp Travels (India) 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 Sharp Travels (India) 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 the 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		
	Corporate Credit Rating Methodology		
Applicable rating methodologies	Policy In Respect of Non-Cooperation by a Rated Entity		
	Hotels		
Parent/Group support	Not Applicable		
Consolidation/Standalone	Standalone		

#### About the company

Incorporated in 1987, Sharp Travels (India) Limited (STIL) is an integrated travel solutions provider agency in India and is also an IATA (International Air Transport Association) accredited agent, with an established market presence in domestic and international air ticketing on pan India basis, majorly concentrated in northern part of India. The company also provides various



travel related services like visa processing, travel insurance, currency exchange, leisure travel packages, hotel reservations, MICE (Meeting, Incentive, Conference & Exhibition), money transfer and railway bookings across the globe.

The company has a network of 8 other branches located at Mumbai, Kolkata, Chennai, Banglore, Vishakhapatnam, Chandigarh & Jammu part from head office located in New Delhi and all the branches are IATA approved. It has a well diversified clientele of more than 100 corporate and retail clients mostly comprise of the employees of these corporate. Its head office is located in New Delhi from where the company generates maximum revenue. It is one of the leading travel agency in northern India. It is a "One Stop Travel Shop" that provides its customers the complete gamut of travel related services. It has an employee base of ~150.

#### **Key financial indicators : NA**

#### Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: NA

#### Any other information: None

#### **Rating history for past three years**

				Current RatingChronology of Rating History(FY2025)for the past 3 years							
	Instrument		Amount	ount Date & Rating in		FY2024		FY2023		FY2022	
		Туре	Rated (Rs. Crore)	NOV-19-2024	Date	Rating	Date	Rating	Date	Rating	
1		Long	9.75	[ICRA]B+(Stable);	31-	[ICRA]B+(Stable);	27-	[ICRA]B+(Stable);	22-	[[ICRA]B+(Stable);	
	Cash Credit	Term		ISSUER NOT	Aug-	ISSUER NOT	Jun-	ISSUER NOT	Apr-	ISSUER NOT	
				COOPERATING	2023	COOPERATING	2022	COOPERATING	2021	COOPERATING	
2	Non-Fund	Short	0.25	[ICRA]A4; ISSUER	31-	[ICRA]A4; ISSUER	27-	[ICRA]A4; ISSUER	22-	[ICRA]A4; ISSUER	
	Based	Term		NOT	Aug-	NOT	Jun-	NOT	Apr-	NOT	
				COOPERATING	2023	COOPERATING	2022	COOPERATING	2021	COOPERATING	

## **Complexity level of the rated instrument**

Instrument	Complexity Indicator		
Cash Credit	Simple		
Non Fund Based	Very 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: <u>Click Here</u>



#### **Annexure-I: Instrument details**

ISIN No	Instrument Name	Date of Issuance / Sanction	Coupon Rate	Maturity Date	Amount Rated (RS Crore)	Current Rating and Outlook
NA	Cash Credit	NA	NA	NA	9.75	[ICRA]B+(Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING
NA	Non-Fund NA Based		NA	NA	0.25	[ICRA]A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING

Source: Sharp Travels (India) Limited.

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



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