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Anmol Feeds Private Limited: Ratings downgraded based on best available information; outlook revised to Stable from Negative; ratings continue to remain under Non-Cooperating category

Summary of rating action

Instrument^	Previous Rated Amount (Rs. crore)	Current Rated Amount (Rs. crore)	Rating Action
Long-term Fund-based – Working Capital Facilities	18.00	18.00	[ICRA]BB+ (Stable) ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*; downgraded from [ICRA]BBB, outlook revised to Stable from Negative; rating continues to remain under 'Issuer Non-Cooperating' category
Short-term Non-Fund based – Interchangeable [#]	(20.00)	(20.00)	[ICRA]A4+ ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*; downgraded from [ICRA]A3+; rating continues to remain under 'Issuer Non- Cooperating' category
Total	18.00	18.00	

^ Instrument details are provided in Annexure-I; * Issuer did not cooperate; based on best available information

Non-fund based working capital facilities are the sub-limit of the cash credit facility

Rationale

ICRA has downgraded and kept the ratings for the bank facilities of **Anmol Feeds Private Limited** in the 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category. The rating is denoted as "[ICRA]BB+ (Stable)/ [ICRA]A4+ ISSUER NOT COOPERATING".

As part of its process and in accordance with its rating agreement with **Anmol Feeds Private Limited**, ICRA has been trying to seek information from the entity 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 ratings have been remained as 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category. The ratings are 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, Key Financial Indicators: <u>Click here</u>. ICRA is unable to provide the latest information because of non-cooperation by the entity.

Analytical approach				
Analytical Approach	Comments			
Applicable rating methodologies	Corporate Credit Rating Methodology Policy in respect of non-cooperation by the rated entity			
Parent/Group support Not Applicable				
Consolidation/Standalone	The ratings are based on the standalone financial statements of the company			

Analytical approach

About the company

Incorporated in 2001, Anmol Feeds Private Limited (AFPL) manufactures animal feed, particularly poultry feed, layer feed, cattle feed, pig feed, and fish feed. The manufacturing facilities of the company are located in West Bengal, Bihar, Uttar Pradesh and Jammu with a combined annual production capacity of 2,76,000 metric tonnes (MT). Besides, the company produces shrimp feed through contract manufacturing based in Andhra Pradesh. The company sells its produce under the brands Anmol, Hentech, Nutri Choice, Hentonic and Damona.



Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA

CRA	Status of non- cooperation	Date of press release
CRISIL	CRISIL B+/ Stable/ CRISIL A4, ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	December 21, 2023

* Issuer did not cooperate; based on best-available information

Any other information: None

Rating history for past three year

		Current Rating (FY2025)					Chronology of Rating History for the past 3 years			
	Instrument	Туре	Amount Rated (Rs.	Date & Rating in FY2025			Date & Rating in FY2024	Date & Rating in FY2023	Date & Rating in FY2022	
			crore)	Dec 6, 2024	Jul 11, 2024	Jun 7, 2024	Sep 21, 2023	Jun 27, 2022	-	
1	Cash Credit/ WCDL ¹	Long Term	18.00	[ICRA]BB+ (Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	[ICRA]BBB (Negative); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	[ICRA]BBB (Negative)	[ICRA]BBB+ (Stable)	[ICRA]BBB+ (Stable)	-	
2	LC/ BG/ Derivative	Short Term	-	-	-	-	-	[ICRA]A2	-	
3	Interchangeable (LC/ BG) ²	Short Term	(20.00)	[ICRA]A4+; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	[ICRA]A3+; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	[ICRA]A3+	[ICRA]A2	[ICRA]A2	-	

1 WCDL is the sub-limit of the cash credit facility

2 Letter of Credit and Bank Guarantee facilities are the sub-limit of the cash credit facility

Complexity level of the rated instrument

Instrument	Complexity Indicator
Long-term fund-based – Working Capital Facilities	Simple
Short-term non-fund based – Interchangeable	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, are 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/ WCDL ¹	-	-	-	18.00	[ICRA]BB+ (Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
NA	Letter of Credit ²	-	(10.00)	(10.00)	[ICRA]A4+; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	
NA	Bank Guarantee ²	-	-	-	(10.00)	[ICRA]A4+; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

Source: Anmol Feeds Private Limited; * Issuer did not cooperate; based on best available information

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Annexure-II: List of entities considered for consolidated analysis

Not applicable



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