

#### March 21, 2025

# TK Toll Road Private 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-Term Loan	370.95	370.95	[ICRA]D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*; Rating continues to remain under 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category
Total	370.95	370.95	

<sup>\*</sup>Issuer did not cooperate; based on best available information.

#### **Rationale**

ICRA has kept the long-term of TK Toll Road Private Limited in the 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category. The rating is denoted as [ICRA]D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING".

As part of its process and in accordance with its rating agreement with TK Toll Road Private 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: <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	Policy in respect of non-cooperation by the rated entity Corporate Credit Rating Methodology Policy on Default Recognition Roads - BOT Toll		
Parent/Group Support	NA		
Consolidation/Standalone	Standalone		

# About the company

TK Toll Road Private Limited (TKTRPL) was incorporated in March 2007 as a wholly owned subsidiary of R-Infra, to implement the project for strengthening and widening the existing two-lane stretch of NH-67 from Trichy to Karur in Tamil Nadu to a fourlane one. The project was awarded by the National Highways Authority of India (NHAI) on a BOT basis with a concession period of 30 years commencing from January 15, 2008. The project became operational and started tolling on 75% of the total stretch, i.e., ~63 km from February 2014.

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<sup>^</sup>Instrument details are provided in Annexure-1



# **Key financial indicators**

Standalone	FY2023	FY2024
Operating Income (Rs. crore)	54.44	58.74
PAT (Rs. crore)	-37.89	-33.68
OPBDIT/OI (%)	53.6%	0.57
PAT/OI (%)	-69.6%	-0.57
Total Outside Liabilities/Tangible Net Worth (times)	-152.72	2.71
Total Debt/OPBDIT (times)	17.14	2.82
Interest Coverage (times)	0.81	0.79

Source:MCA

# Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA:

CRA	Status	Date of release
BRICKWORK	[BWR] D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	January 27, 2025

# Any other information: None

#### Rating history for past three years

		Current Rating (FY2025)			Chronology of Rating History for the past 3 years			
	Instrument	Туре	Amount Rated (Rs. Crore)	Date & Rating in	Date & Rating in Py2024 Py2023 Date & Rating in Py2023		Date & Rating in FY2022	
				21-Mar-2025	29-Jan-2024	24-Nov-2022	13-Oct-2021	
1	Term Loan	Long Term	370.95	[ICRA] D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	[ICRA] D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	[ICRA] D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	[ICRA] D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	

# **Complexity level of the rated instrument**

Instrument	Complexity Indicator		
Long Term - Fund Based Term	Simple		
Loan			

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

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# **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	Term Loan	NA	NA	NA	370.95	[ICRA] D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING

Source: TK Toll Road Private Limited

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

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