

## May 12, 2025

# Bansal Foods (India): 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	4.50	4.50	[ICRA]B+(Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*; Rating continues to remain under 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category
Long Term-Fund Based-Term Loan	4.50	4.50	[ICRA]B+(Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*; Rating continues to remain under 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category
Total	9.00	9.00	

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

## **Rationale**

ICRA has kept the long-term ratings of Bansal Foods (India) in the 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category. The rating is denoted as "[ICRA]B+(Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING".

As part of its process and in accordance with its rating agreement with Bansal Foods (India), 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.

## **Analytical approach**

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

# About the company

BNF was set up in December, 2013 as a proprietorship firm by Mr Jodha Ram Bansal in Samana (Punjab). The firm is engaged in the milling of paddy into rice (basmati), with bran and husk as the byproducts. The firm's plant, which has a capacity of 4

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



metric tonnes per hour, commenced commercial operations from September 29,2014 and caters entirely to the export markets through third parties. Mr Bansal is assisted by his two sons in this business.

## Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA:

CRA	Status	Date of Release
CRISIL	CRISIL B+(Stable); Issuer Not	October 30, 2023
	Cooperating	

# Any other information: None

# **Rating history for past three years**

		Current Rating (FY2026)			Chronology of Rating History for the past 3 years			
	Instrument	Туре	Amount Rated (Rs. Crore)	Date & Rating in	Date & Rating in FY2025	Date & Rating in FY2024	Date & Rating in FY2023	
				12-May-2025	-	22-Mar-2024	21-Feb-2023	
1	Cash Credit	Long- Term	4.50	[ICRA]B+(Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	_	[ICRA]B+(Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	[ICRA]B+(Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	
2	Term Loan	Long- Term	4.50	[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		
Fund Based-Cash Credit	Simple		
Fund Based-Term Loan	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

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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	Fund-Based-Cash Credit	NA	NA	NA	4.50	[ICRA]B+(Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING
NA	Fund-Based-Term Loan	NA	NA	NA	4.50	[ICRA]B+(Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING

Source: Bansal Foods (India)

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

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