

Press Release

Mitech Bus Door Systems Private Limited

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Rating Update

Total Bank Facilities Rated*	Rs. 11.00 Cr. #
Long Term Rating	ACUITE BB+ (Downgraded from ACUITE BB+/ Stable) Issuer not co-operating*
Short Term Rating	ACUITE A4+ Issuer not co-operating* (Downgraded from ACUITE A3)

Refer Annexure for details

* The issuer did not co-operate; Based on best available information.

Rating Rationale

Acuité has downgraded the long-term rating to '**ACUITE BB+** (read as ACUITE double B plus) from '**ACUITE BBB-/Stable**' and short-term rating to '**ACUITE A4+** (read as ACUITE A four plus)' from **ACUITE A3** on the Rs.11.00 crore bank facilities of Mitech Bus Door Systems Private Limited (MBPL). The rating continues to be flagged as "Issuer Not-Cooperating" and is downgraded on account of information risk.

Incorporated in 2010 and based in Chennai, MBPL is engaged in the manufacture of bus doors and systems such as Jack & Knife Door, Inswing Door, Outswing Door, Driver Door, Emergency Door, and Luggage Panel Doors, among others. The day to day operations are managed by the promoter Mr. S.Raghupathi and Mr. V.Shammugham. MBPL has a manufacturing facility located at Chennai (Tamil Nadu).

Non-cooperation by the issuer/borrower

Acuité has been requesting for data, information and undertakings from the rated entity for conducting surveillance & review of the rating. However, the issuer/borrower failed to submit such information before due date.

Acuité believes that information risk is a critical component in such ratings, and non-cooperation by the issuer along with unwillingness to provide information could be a sign of potential deterioration in its overall credit quality

Applicable Criteria

- Default Recognition - <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-52.htm>
- Manufacturing Sector Entities - <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-59.htm>

Limitation regarding information availability

The rating is based on information available from sources other than the issuer / borrower (in the absence of information provided by the issuer / borrower). Acuité endeavoured to gather information about the entity / industry from the public domain. Therefore, Acuité cautions lenders and investors regarding the use of such information, on which the indicative credit rating is based.

About the Rated Entity - Key Financials

The rated entity has not shared the latest financial statements despite repeated requests

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA (if applicable)

Not Applicable

Any other information

Acuité is yet to receive the latest No Default Statement (NDS) from the rated entity, despite repeated requests and follow-ups.

Rating History (Upto last three years)

Date	Name of Instrument / Facilities	Term	Amount (Rs. Cr.)	Ratings/Outlook
09-Apr-2019	Cash Credit	Long Term	3.50	ACUITE BBB- / Stable (Assigned)
	Term loans	Long Term	4.01	ACUITE BBB- / Stable (Assigned)
	Term loans	Long Term	3.40	ACUITE BBB- / Stable (Assigned)
	Bank guarantee	Short Term	0.09	ACUITE A3 (Assigned)

#Annexure – Details of instruments rated

Name of the Facilities	Date of Issuance	Coupon Rate	Maturity Date	Size of the Issue (Rs. Cr.)	Ratings/Outlook
Cash Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	3.50	ACUITE BB+ (Downgraded from ACUITE BBB-/ Stable) Issuer not co-operating*
Term loans	Not Available	Not Applicable	Not Available	4.01	ACUITE BB+ (Downgraded from ACUITE BBB-/ Stable) Issuer not co-operating*
Term loans	Not Available	Not Applicable	Not Available	3.40	ACUITE BB+ (Downgraded from ACUITE BBB-/ Stable) Issuer not co-operating*
Bank guarantee	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	0.09	ACUITE A4+ Issuer not co-operating* (Downgraded from ACUITE A3)

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