

Press Release

Muthalamman Metal Industries

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Rating Update

Total Bank Facilities Rated*	Rs. 5.95 Cr.#
Long Term Rating	ACUITE D Issuer not co-operating*
Short Term Rating	ACUITE D Issuer not co-operating*

#Refer Annexure for details

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

Acuité has reviewed long-term rating of '**ACUITE D**' (**read as ACUITE D**) and short-term rating of '**ACUITE D**' (**read as ACUITE D**) on the Rs. 5.95 crore bank facilities of Muthalamman Metal Industries (MMI). This rating is now an indicative rating and is based on best available information.

Muthalamman Metal Industries (MMI) was established as a partnership firm in 2006 by Mr. Sundralingam, Mrs. Jaya Sivakumar and Mr. Sivakumar (Chief Executive). The firm is engaged in manufacturing of aluminium circles which is used to produce household utensils and cookware. The manufacturing unit is located at Kodungaiyur (Chennai).

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.

This rating continues to be flagged as "Issuer not-cooperating", in line with prevailing SEBI regulations and Acuité's policies.

Applicable Criteria

- Default Recognition - <https://www.acuite.in/criteria-default.htm>
- Financial Ratios And Adjustments - <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-20.htm>
- Manufacturing Entities - <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-4.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 attempts.

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

None

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
27-July-2018	Cash Credit	Long Term	2.50	ACUITE D (Indicative)
	Letter of credit/ Bank Guarantee	Short Term	1.30	ACUITE D (Indicative)
	Term Loans	Long Term	1.15	ACUITE D (Indicative)
	Term Loans	Long Term	1.00	ACUITE D (Indicative)
08-May-2017	Cash Credit	Long Term	2.50	ACUITE D (Downgraded)*
	Letter of credit/ Bank Guarantee	Short Term	1.30	ACUITE D (Downgraded)*
	Term Loans	Long Term	1.15	ACUITE D (Downgraded)
	Term Loans	Long Term	1.00	ACUITE D (Downgraded)*
15-Feb-2017	Cash Credit	Long Term	2.50	ACUITE B (Indicative)
	Letter of credit/ Bank Guarantee	Short Term	1.30	ACUITE B (Indicative)
	Term Loans	Long Term	2.15	ACUITE A4 (Indicative)

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#Annexure – Details of instruments rated

Name of the Facilities	Date of Issuance	Coupon Rate	Maturity Date	Size of the Issue (Rs. Crore)	Ratings/Outlook
Cash Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	2.50	ACUITE D (Indicative)
Letter of credit/ Bank Guarantee	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	1.30	ACUITE D (Indicative)
Term Loans	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	1.15	ACUITE D (Indicative)
Term Loans	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	1.00	ACUITE D (Indicative)

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