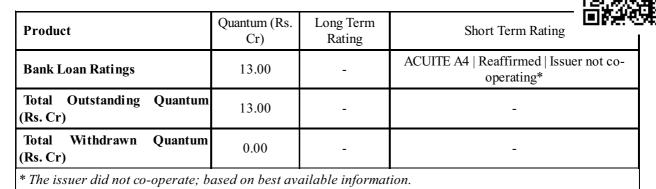


Press Release

INDUSTRIAL TECHNICAL CONSULTANT October 22, 2024

Rating Reaffirmed and Issuer not co-operating



Rating Rationale

Acuité has reaffirmed the short-term rating of 'ACUITE A4' (read as ACUITE A four) on the Rs. 13.00 crore bank facilities of Industrial Technical Consultant. The rating continues to be flagged as "Issuer Not-Cooperating" and is based on the best available information.

About the Company

Industrial Technical Consultant (ITC), established in 2000, is a Chhattisgarh based partnership firm engaged in providing consultancy services and undertaking turnkey projects of steel and power sector plants. The day to day operations of the firm are managed by Mr. S Narayana and Ms. Kavita Sharma.

Unsupported Rating

Not Applicable

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 the 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

This rating is, therefore, being flagged as "Issuer not-cooperating", in line with prevailing SEBI regulations and Acuité's policies.

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 endeavored 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 ratingis based.

Rating Sensitivity

"No information provided by the issuer / available for Acuite to comment upon."

Liquidity Position

"No information provided by the issuer / available for Acuite to comment upon."

Outlook

Not Applicable

Other Factors affecting Rating

None

Key Financials

Particulars	Unit	FY 16 (Actual)	FY 15 (Actual)
Operating Income	Rs. Cr.	54.44	10.25
PAT	Rs. Cr.	1.00	0.84
PAT Margin	(%)	1.83	8.18
Total Debt/Tangible Net Worth	Times	1.21	0.08
PBDIT/Interest	Times	3.65	6.59

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA

Not Applicable

Any other information

None

Applicable Criteria

- Infrastructure Sector: https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-51.htm
- Default Recognition: https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-52.htm
- Application Of Financial Ratios And Adjustments: https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-53.htm

Note on complexity levels of the rated instrument

In order to inform the investors about complexity of instruments, Acuité has categorized such instruments in three levels: Simple, Complex and Highly Complex. Acuite's categorisation of the instruments across the three categories is based on factors like variability of the returns to the investors, uncertainty in cash flow patterns, number of counterparties and general understanding of the instrument by the market. It has to be understood that complexity is different from credit risk and even an instrument categorized as 'Simple' can carry high levels of risk. For more details, please refer Rating Criteria "Complexity Level Of Financial Instruments" on www.acuite.in.

Rating History

Date	Name of Instruments/Facilities	Term	Amount (Rs. Cr)	Rating/Outlook		
25 Jul	PC/PCFC	PC/PCFC Short 13.00		ACUITE A4 (Reaffirmed & Issuer not co-		
2023	rc/rcrc	Term	13.00	operating*)		
27 Apr	PC/PCFC	Short	13.00	ACUITE A4 (Reaffirmed & Issuer not co-		
2022	022	Term		operating*)		
25 Jan	PC/PCFC	Short	13.00	ACUITE A4 (Reaffirmed & Issuer not co-		
2021	FC/FCFC	Term	13.00	operating*)		

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

Annexure - Details of instruments rated

Lender's Name	ISIN	Facilities	Date Of Issuance	Coupon Rate		Quantum (Rs. Cr.)	Complexity Level	Rating
Indian Bank	Not avl. / Not appl.	PC/PCFC	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	13.00	Simple	ACUITE A4 Reaffirmed Issuer not co-operating*

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