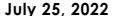


Press Release

Shri Veerganapathi Steels Private Limited





Rating Reaffirmed and Issuer not co-operating

Product	Quantum (Rs. Cr)	Long Term Rating	Short Term Rating	
Bank Loan Ratings	15.00	-	ACUITE A4 Reaffirmed Issuer not co-operating*	
Bank Loan Ratings	20.00	ACUITE C Reaffirmed Issuer not co-operating*	-	
Total Outstanding Quantum (Rs. Cr)	35.00	-	-	
Total Withdrawn Quantum (Rs. Cr)	0.00	-	-	

Rating Rationale

Acuité has reaffirmed the long-term rating of 'ACUITE C' (read as ACUITE C) and the short-term rating of 'ACUITE A4' (read as ACUITE A Four) on the Rs. 35.00 Crore bank facilities of SHRI VEERGANAPATHI STEELS PRIVATE LIMITED. The rating continues to be flagged as "Issuer Not Cooperating" and is based on the best available information.

About the Company

SVSPL incorporated in 1997, is a Chennai -based company engaged in the trading of steel angles, channels, plates among others. The company's day to day activities are managed by Mr. Narayan Maheswari, Managing Director and his son, Mr. Vidhur Maheswari. SVSPL has branch offices at Visakhapatnam, Raipur and Kolkata.

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. 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 rating is based.

About the Rated Entity - Key Financials

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

Rating Sensitivity

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

Material Covenants

None

Liquidity Position

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

Outlook

Not applicable

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA

CRISIL, vide its press release dated June 08, 2022 had denoted the long term rating of Shri Veerganapathi Steels Private Limited as 'CRISIL D (ISSUER NOT COOPERATING)' on account of lack of adequate information required for monitoring of ratings. The earlier rating, however, also stood at 'CRISIL D (ISSUER NOT COOPERATING)' vide its press release dated April 23, 2021.

Any other information

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

Applicable Criteria

- Trading Entities: https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-61.htm
- Default Recognition: https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-52.htm

Note on Complexity Levels of the Rated Instrument

https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-55.htm

Rating History

Date	Name of Instruments/Facilities	Term	Amount (Rs. Cr)	Rating/Outlook		
26 Apr 2021	Bank Guarantee	Short Term	5.00	ACUITE A4 (Issuer not co- operating*)		
	Cash Credit	Long Term	20.00	ACUITE C (Issuer not co- operating*)		
	Letter of Credit	Short Term	10.00	ACUITE A4 (Issuer not co- operating*)		
	Cash Credit	Long Term	20.00	ACUITE C (Downgraded from ACUITE BB-)		
29 Jan 2020	Letter of Credit	Short Term	10.00	ACUITE A4 (Downgraded from ACUITE A4+)		
	Bank Guarantee	Short Term	5.00	ACUITE A4 (Downgraded from ACUITE A4+)		
27 Dec 2019	Proposed Bank Guarantee	Short Term	5.00	ACUITE A4+ (Issuer not co- operating*)		
	Proposed Letter of Credit	Short Term	10.00	ACUITE A4+ (Issuer not co- operating*)		
	Cash Credit	Long Term	20.00	ACUITE BB- (Issuer not co- operating*)		
08 Oct 2018	Cash Credit	Long Term	20.00	ACUITE BB- (Issuer not co- operating*)		
	Letter of Credit Short Term		10.00	ACUITE A4+ (Issuer not co- operating*)		
	Bank Guarantee	Short Term	5.00	ACUITE A4+ (Issuer not co- operating*)		
	Cash Credit	Long Term	20.00	ACUITE BB- (Issuer not co- operating*)		

01 Mar	Letter of Credit	Letter of Credit Short Term		ACUITE A4+ (Issuer not co- operating*)		
2017	Bank Guarantee	Short Term	5.00	ACUITE A4+ (Issuer not co- operating*)		
18 Nov 2015	Cash Credit	Long Term	20.00	ACUITE BB- Stable (Assigned)		
	Proposed Letter of Credit	Short Term	10.00	ACUITE A4+ (Assigned)		
	Proposed Bank Guarantee	Short Term	5.00	ACUITE A4+ (Assigned)		

Annexure - Details of instruments rated

Lender's Name	ISIN	Facilities	Date Of Issuance	Coupon Rate	Maturity Date	Quantum (Rs. Cr.)	Rating
Bank of India	Not Applicable	Bank Guarantee/Letter of Guarantee	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	5 1 11 1	ACUITE A4 Reaffirmed Issuer not co- operating*
Bank of India	Not Applicable	Cash Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable		ACUITE C Reaffirmed Issuer not co- operating*
Bank of India	Not Applicable	Letter of Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable		ACUITE A4 Reaffirmed Issuer not co- operating*

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