

Press Release

Zuha Leather Private Limited

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Rating Update

Total Bank Facilities Rated*	Rs. 14.75 Cr. #
Long Term Rating	SMERA BB- Issuer not co-operating*
Short Term Rating	SMERA A4+ Issuer not co-operating*

Refer Annexure for details

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

SMERA has reviewed long-term rating of '**SMERA BB-**' (**read as SMERA BB minus**) and short term rating of '**SMERA A4+**' (**read as 'SMERA A four plus'**) on the Rs. 14.75 crore bank facilities of Zuha Leather Private Limited. This rating is now an indicative rating and is based on best available information.

Non-cooperation by the issuer/borrower

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

Applicable Criteria

- Default Recognition - <https://www.smera.in/criteria-default.htm>
- Manufacturing Entities - <https://www.smera.in/criteria-manufacturing.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). SMERA endeavoured to gather information about the entity / industry from the public domain. Therefore, SMERA cautions lenders and investors regarding the use of such information, on which the indicative credit rating is based.

About the Rated Entity

Zuha Leathers a Chennai based company promoted by Mr. Shabbeer Ahmed was established in 1986 as a partnership firm and converted to private limited in 2004. The company is engaged in manufacturing of finished leather used to make shoes bags and garments. The company's tanneries are located in Vaniyambadi Tamil Nadu

For FY 2014-15 the company reported profit after tax (PAT) of Rs.0.18 crore on operating income of Rs. 37.18 crore as compared with PAT of Rs. 0.30 crore on operating income of Rs.34.38 crore for FY 2013-14

Rating History (Upto last three years)

Date	Name of Instrument / Facilities	Term	Amount (Rs. Cr.)	Ratings/Outlook

27-Jan-2016	Cash Credit	Long Term	INR 0.5	SMERA BB- / Stable
	Long Term (Proposed)	Long Term	INR 0.65	SMERA BB- / Stable
	Packing Credit	Short Term	INR 2.5	SMERA A4+
	Foreign Bill Discounting	Short Term	INR 1	SMERA A4+
	Letter of Credit	Short Term	INR 7	SMERA A4+
	Bank Guarantee	Short Term	INR 0.1	SMERA A4+
	Foreign Bill Discounting	Short Term	INR 3	SMERA A4+

#Annexure - Details of instruments rated

Name of the Facilities	Date of Issuance	Coupon Rate	Maturity Date	Size of the Issue (Rs. Cr.)	Ratings
PC/PCFC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	2.50	SMERA A4+ Issuer not co-operating*
Cash Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	0.50	SMERA BB- Issuer not co-operating*
Purchase bill discounting	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	1.00	SMERA A4+ Issuer not co-operating*
Letter of credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	7.00	SMERA A4+ Issuer not co-operating*
Bank guarantee/Letter of Guarantee	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	0.10	SMERA A4+ Issuer not co-operating*
Letter of credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	3.00	SMERA A4+ Issuer not co-operating*
Proposed	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	0.65	SMERA BB- Issuer not co-operating*

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