

## Press Release

### Sparkline Equipments Private Limited

February 11, 2022



#### Rating Downgraded and Issuer not co-operating

| Product                            | Quantum (Rs. Cr) | Long Term Rating                                  | Short Term Rating                                 |
|------------------------------------|------------------|---|---|
| Bank Loan Ratings                  | 5.00             | ACUITE B+   Downgraded   Issuer not co-operating* | -   |
| Bank Loan Ratings                  | 17.00            | -   | ACUITE A4   Downgraded   Issuer not co-operating* |
| Total Outstanding Quantum (Rs. Cr) | 22.00            | -   | -   |
| Total Withdrawn Quantum (Rs. Cr)   | 0.00             | -   | -   |

# Refer Annexure for details

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

#### Rating Rationale

Acuite has downgraded the long-term rating to '**ACUITE B+**' (read as **ACUITE single B plus**) from '**ACUITE BB-**' (read as **ACUITE double B minus**) and the short term rating to '**ACUITE A4**' (read as **ACUITE A four**) from '**ACUITE A4+**' (read as **ACUITE A four plus**) on the Rs. 22.00 crore bank facilities of Sparkline Equipments Private Limited (SEPL). The rating continues to be flagged as "Issuer Not-Cooperating" and is downgraded on account of information risk.

#### About the Company

Sparkline Equipments Private Limited (SEPL), incorporated in 1994, is a Pune-based company promoted by Mr. S. A. Doshi and Mrs. Vrushi Doshi. The company is engaged in the designing, manufacturing, testing, erection and commissioning of electric overhead travelling (EOT) cranes, electric wire rope hoists and other material handling equipment.

#### Non-cooperation by the issuer/borrower:

Acuite 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.

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

This rating is therefore being flagged as "Issuer not-cooperating", in line with prevailing SEBI regulations and Acuite'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). Acuite endeavored to gather information about the entity/industry from the public domain. Therefore, Acuite 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

Not Applicable.

### Liquidity Indicators

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

### Outlook

Not Applicable.

### Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA

Not Applicable

### Any other information

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

### Applicable Criteria

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

### Rating History

| Date        | Name of Instruments/Facilities | Term       | Amount (Rs. Cr) | Rating/Outlook                                       |
|-------------|--------------------------------|------------|-----------------|--|
| 12 Nov 2020 | Cash Credit                    | Long Term  | 5.00            | ACUITE BB- (Downgraded and Issuer not co-operating*) |
|             | Letter of Credit               | Short Term | 12.00           | ACUITE A4+ (Issuer not co-operating*)                |
|             | Bank Guarantee                 | Short Term | 5.00            | ACUITE A4+ (Issuer not co-operating*)                |
| 28 Aug 2019 | Cash Credit                    | Long Term  | 5.00            | ACUITE BB (Issuer not co-operating*)                 |
|             | Bank Guarantee                 | Short Term | 5.00            | ACUITE A4+ (Issuer not co-operating*)                |
|             | Letter of Credit               | Short Term | 12.00           | ACUITE A4+ (Issuer not co-operating*)                |
| 06 Jun 2018 | Cash Credit                    | Long Term  | 5.00            | ACUITE BB (Issuer not co-operating*)                 |
|             | Bank Guarantee                 | Short Term | 5.00            | ACUITE A4+ (Issuer not co-operating*)                |
|             | Letter of Credit               | Short Term | 12.00           | ACUITE A4+ (Issuer not co-operating*)                |
| 29 Mar 2017 | Cash Credit                    | Long Term  | 5.00            | ACUITE BB   Stable (Reaffirmed)                      |
|             | Letter of Credit               | Short Term | 12.00           | ACUITE A4+ (Reaffirmed)                              |
|             | Bank Guarantee                 | Short Term | 5.00            | ACUITE A4+ (Reaffirmed)                              |
|             | Cash Credit                    | Long Term  | 5.00            | ACUITE BB   Stable (Assigned)                        |

|             |                  |            |       |                       |
|-------------|------------------|------------|-------|-----------------------|
| 07 Apr 2016 | Letter of Credit | Short Term | 12.00 | ACUITE A4+ (Assigned) |
|             | Bank Guarantee   | Short Term | 5.00  | ACUITE A4+ (Assigned) |

**Note:**

1. Letter of Credit includes sublimit of Rs. 5.00 crore buyer's credit.
2. Bank Guarantee- Total non-fund based limit should not exceed the limit of Rs. 15.00 crore

**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 (BLR) | Not Applicable   | Not Applicable | Not Applicable | 5.00              | ACUITE A4   Downgraded   Issuer not co-operating* |
| Bank of India | Not Applicable | Cash Credit          | Not Applicable   | Not Applicable | Not Applicable | 5.00              | ACUITE B+   Downgraded   Issuer not co-operating* |
| Bank of India | Not Applicable | Letter of Credit     | Not Applicable   | Not Applicable | Not Applicable | 12.00             | ACUITE A4   Downgraded   Issuer not co-operating* |

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