



Press Release

Kalathil Exports India Private Limited

October 13, 2018

Rating Update

Total Bank Facilities Rated*	Rs. 7.75 Cr.#
Long Term Rating	ACUITE B+ Issuer not co-operating*

#Refer Annexure for details

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

Rating Rationale

Acuité has reviewed the long-term rating of '**ACUITE B+**' (**read as ACUITE double B plus**) on the Rs. 7.75 crore bank facilities of Kalathil Exports India Private Limited. This rating is now an indicative rating and is based on best available information.

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

Applicable Criteria

- Default Recognition -<https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-17.htm>
- Infrastructure Entities-<https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-14.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:

Kalathil Exports established in 2004 (commercial operations started in 2013), was a Kerala based proprietorship concern promoted by Mr. Kalathil Muhammed Bashir. The firm was then taken over by Kalathil Exports India Private Limited (incorporated in September 2015) in 2016. The company is engaged in the trading and exporting of various products like rice, atta, maida, rubber, coconut, herbals products, sea foods, garments & textiles, building materials, electrical items among others

For FY2015-16, the concern reported net profit of Rs.0.21 crore on total income of Rs.4.20 crore, as compared with net profit of Rs.0.17 crore on total income of Rs.2.24 crore in FY2014-15.

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
15-Sep-17	Proposed Secured Overdraft	Long term	7.75	ACUITE B+ (Issuer not co-operating)
19-May-16	Proposed Secured Overdraft	Long term	7.75	ACUITE B+/Stable (Assigned)

*Annexure – Details of instruments rated

Name of the Facilities	Date of Issuance	Coupon Rate	Maturity Date	Size of the Issue (Rs. Crore)	Ratings/Outlook
Proposed Secured Overdraft	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	7.75	ACUITE B+ Issuer not co-operating*

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