

## Press Release

### Bharat Engineering Construction Company Private Limited

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#### Rating Update

<b>Total Bank Facilities Rated*</b>	Rs. 61.25 Cr.#
<b>Long Term Rating</b>	ACUITE B Issuer not co-operating*
<b>Short Term Rating</b>	ACUITE A4 Issuer not co-operating*

\*Refer Annexure for details

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

Acuité has reviewed the long-term rating of '**ACUITE B**' (**read as ACUITE B**) and the Short-term rating of '**ACUITE A4**' (**read as ACUITE A four**) on the Rs. 61.25 crore bank facilities of Bharat Engineering Construction Company Private Limited(BECC). The rating continues to be flagged as "Issuer Not-Cooperating" and is based on the best available information.

The Tamil Nadu-based, BECC was incorporated in 2006 by Mr. H. Syed Abdul Kader and Mr. M.S. Thaika Sahib. The company undertakes infrastructure projects related to water supply, sewerage and solid waste management apart from constructing roads, bridges, flyovers and dams. The company has also executed a real estate project 'Alpha Lotus Towers' at Avadi (Chennai) in FY2017.

#### 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.

#### Applicable Criteria

- Default Recognition - <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-52.htm>
- Infrastructure Entities- <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-51.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 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.

**Liquidity Indicators** - "No information provided by the issuer / available for Acuite to comment upon."

**Rating Sensitivity** - "No information provided by the issuer / available for Acuite to comment upon."

#### About the Rated Entity - Key Financials

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

#### 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 (Up to last three years)

Date	Name of Instrument / Facilities	Term	Amount (Rs. Cr)	Ratings/Outlook
09-Jan-2020	Cash Credit	Long term	20.50	ACUITE B (Downgraded from ACUITE B+/ Stable) Issuer not co-operating*
	Cash Credit	Long term	10.75	ACUITE B (Downgraded from ACUITE B+/ Stable) Issuer not co-operating*
	Bank Guarantee	Short term	25.00	ACUITE A4 Issuer not co-operating*
	Proposed Bank Facility	Long term	5.00	ACUITE B (Downgraded from ACUITE B+/ Stable) Issuer not co-operating*
01-Nov-2018	Cash Credit	Long term	20.50	ACUITE B+/ Stable (Downgraded from ACUITE BB/ Stable)
	Cash Credit	Long term	10.75	ACUITE B+/ Stable (Downgraded from ACUITE BB/ Stable)
	Bank Guarantee	Short term	25.00	ACUITE A4 (Downgraded from ACUITE A4+)
	Proposed Bank Facility	Long term	5.00	ACUITE B+/ Stable (Assigned)
23-Aug-2017	Cash Credit	Long term	20.50	ACUITE BB/ Stable (Reaffirmed)
	Cash Credit	Long term	10.75	ACUITE BB/ Stable (Reaffirmed)
	Bank Guarantee	Short term	15.00	ACUITE A4+ (Reaffirmed)

### \*Annexure – Details of instruments rated

Name of the Facilities	Date of Issuance	Coupon Rate	Maturity Date	Size of the Issue (Rs. Crore)	Ratings/Outlook
Cash Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	20.50	ACUITE B Issuer not co-operating*
Cash Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	10.75	ACUITE B Issuer not co-operating*
Bank Guarantee	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	25.00	ACUITE A4 Issuer not co-operating*
Proposed Bank Facility	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	5.00	ACUITE B Issuer not co-operating*

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