

## Press Release

### Pinnacle Vehicles & Services Private Limited

July 20, 2021



### Rating Update

<b>Total Bank Facilities Rated*</b>	Rs. 11.00 Cr.#
<b>Long Term Rating</b>	ACUITE B+ (Downgraded from ACUITE BB-) Issuer not co-operating*

#Refer Annexure for details

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

Acuité has downgraded the long term rating to '**ACUITE B+** (read as **ACUITE B plus**) from '**ACUITE BB-**' (read as **ACUITE double B minus**) on the Rs. 11.00 crore bank facilities of Pinnacle Vehicles & Services Private Limited (PVSPL). The rating continues to be flagged as "Issuer Not-Cooperating" and is downgraded on account of information risk.

PVSPL was incorporated in the year 2014 by Mr. P.M. Shabeen and Mr. A. T. Moosa. PVSPL is a Kerala based authorized dealer for Skoda and Hyundai. PVSPL is engaged in sale of passenger vehicles, spare parts and accessories and servicing of vehicles.

#### Non-cooperation by the issuer/borrower: missing the second para

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.

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

This rating continues to be 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>
- Trading Entities - <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-61.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
23-Apr-2020	Cash Credit	Long Term	11.00	ACUITE BB- Issuer not co-operating*
21-Feb-2019	Cash Credit	Long Term	11.00	ACUITE BB- Issuer not co-operating*
09-Jan-2018	Cash Credit	Long Term	11.00	ACUITE BB/Stable (Upgraded from ACUITE B)

### #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	11.00	ACUITE B+ (Downgraded from ACUITE BB-) Issuer not co-operating*

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