Press Release

P.S.S. Jayam & Company

October 19, 2022

Rating Reaffirmed and Issuer not co-operating

Product	Quantum (Rs. Cr)	Long Term Rating	Short Term Rating
Bank Loan Ratings	3.00	-	ACUITE A4 | Reaffirmed | Issuer not co-operating*
Bank Loan Ratings	3.00	ACUITE B | Reaffirmed | Issuer not co-operating*	-
Total Outstanding Quantum (Rs. Cr)	6.00	-	-
Total Withdrawn Quantum (Rs. Cr)	0.00	-	-

Rating Rationale

Acuité has reaffirmed 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.6.00 crore bank facilities of P.S.S. Jayam & Company. The rating continues to be flagged as "Issuer Not-Cooperating" and is based on the best available information.

About the Company

PSS Jayam & Company (PSS) was established in the year of 2000 by Mr. Stanley Shyamraj. The company is engaged in trading of steel, cement and paint. The registered office is located in Tuticorin, district of Tamil Nadu.

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.
Acuité believes that information risk is a critical component in such ratings, and noncooperation by the issuer along with 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 Acuité'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). 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.

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
None

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

Outlook
Not Applicable

Other Factors affecting Rating
Not Applicable

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA
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.

Applicable Criteria
• Trading Entities: https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-61.htm
• Default Recognition: https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-52.htm
• Application Of Financial Ratios And Adjustments: https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-53.htm

Note on Complexity Levels of the Rated Instrument
https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-55.htm

Rating History

Date	Name of Instruments/Facilities	Term	Amount (Rs. Cr)	Rating/Outlook
22 Jul 2021	Cash Credit	Long Term	3.00	ACUITE B (Issuer not co-operating*)
	Letter of Credit	Short Term	3.00	ACUITE A4 (Issuer not co-operating*)
25 Apr 2020	Letter of Credit	Short Term	3.00	ACUITE A4 (Issuer not co-operating*)
	Cash Credit	Long Term	3.00	ACUITE B (Issuer not co-operating*)
01 Mar 2019	Cash Credit	Long Term	3.00	ACUITE B (Issuer not co-operating*)
	Letter of Credit	Short Term	3.00	ACUITE A4 (Issuer not co-operating*)
02 Feb 2018	Cash Credit	Long Term	3.00	ACUITE B | Stable (Reaffirmed)
	Letter of Credit	Short Term	3.00	ACUITE A4 (Reaffirmed)
24 Oct 2016	Cash Credit	Long Term	3.00	ACUITE B | Stable (Assigned)
	Letter of Credit	Short Term	3.00	ACUITE A4 (Assigned)

Annexure - Details of instruments rated

Lender's Name	ISIN	Facilities	Date Of Issuance	Coupon Rate	Maturity Date	Quantum (Rs. Cr.)	Rating
Tamilnad Mercantile Bank Limited	Not Applicable	Cash Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	3.00	ACUITE B | Reaffirmed | Issuer not co-operating*
Tamilnad Mercantile Bank Limited	Not Applicable	Letter of Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	3.00	ACUITE A4 | Reaffirmed | Issuer not co-operating*

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About Acuité Ratings & Research

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