

Press Release

Bhaskar Fertilisers Limited

June 29, 2022

Rating Reaffirmed and Issuer not co-operating

Product	Quantum (Rs. Cr)	Long Term Rating	Short Term Rating	
Bank Loan Ratings	6.50	-	ACUITE A4 Reaffirmed Issuer not co-operating*	
Bank Loan Ratings	7.50	ACUITE B Reaffirmed Issuer not co-operating*	-	
Total Outstanding Quantum (Rs. Cr)	14.00	-	-	
Total Withdrawn Quantum (Rs. Cr)	0.00	-	-	

[#] Refer Annexure for details

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. 14.00 crore bank facilities of Bhaskar Fertilisers Limited (BFL). The rating continues to be flagged as "Issuer Not-Cooperating" and is based on the best available information.

About the Company

BFL was incorporated as a private limited company in 2006 by Mr. C. Vijaya Bhaskar. The company is based at Anantapur district of Andhra Pradesh and is engaged in manufacturing of Single Super Phosphate (SSP) and Nitrogen-Phosphorus-Potassium (NPK) fertilizers with an installed capacity of 350 MTPA for SSP and 400 MTPA for NPK.

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 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 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

^{*}The issuer did not co-operate; Based on best available information.

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

Other Factors affecting Rating

Not Applicable

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA

Not Applicable

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

- Manufacturing Entities: https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-59.htm
- Default Recognition: https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-52.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
31 Mar 2021	Bank Guarantee	Short Term	0.50	ACUITE A4 (Issuer not co- operating*)
	Cash Credit	Long Term	7.50	ACUITE B (Issuer not co- operating*)
	Letter of Credit	Short Term	6.00	ACUITE A4 (Issuer not co- operating*)
30 Dec 2019	Bank Guarantee	Short Term	0.50	ACUITE A4 (Issuer not co- operating*)
	Cash Credit	Long Term	7.50	ACUITE B (Issuer not co- operating*)
	Letter of Credit	Short Term	6.00	ACUITE A4 (Issuer not co- operating*)
29 Oct 2018	Bank Guarantee	Short Term	0.50	ACUITE A4 (Reaffirmed)
	Cash Credit	Long Term	7.50	ACUITE B Stable (Reaffirmed)
	Letter of Credit	Short Term	6.00	ACUITE A4 (Reaffirmed)

	Cash Credit	Long Term	7.50	ACUITE B (Issuer not co- operating*)	
17 Mar 2018	Bank Guarantee	Short Term	0.50	ACUITE A4 (Issuer not co- operating*)	
	Letter of Credit	Short Term	6.00	ACUITE A4 (Issuer not co- operating*)	
17 Jan 2017	Cash Credit	Long Term	7.50	ACUITE B Stable (Assigned)	
	Bank Guarantee	Short Term	0.50	ACUITE A4 (Assigned)	
	Letter of Credit	Short Term	6.00	ACUITE A4 (Assigned)	

Annexure - Details of instruments rated

Lender's Name	ISIN	Facilities	Date Of Issuance	Coupon Rate	Maturity Date	Quantum (Rs. Cr.)	Rating
State Bank of India	Not Applicable	Bank Guarantee (BLR)	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	0.50	ACUITE A4 Reaffirmed Issuer not co- operating*
State Bank of India	Not Applicable	Cash Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	7.50	ACUITE B Reaffirmed Issuer not co- operating*
State Bank of India	Not Applicable	Letter of Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	6.00	ACUITE A4 Reaffirmed Issuer not co- operating*

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