

Press Release

Pollutech Engineering

16 December, 2019



Rating Downgrade & Withdrawn

Total Bank Facilities Rated*	Rs. 20.00 Cr.
Long Term Rating	ACUITE BB+ Issuer non-cooperating* (Downgraded & Withdrawn)
Short Term Rating	ACUITE A4+ Issuer non-cooperating* (Downgraded & Withdrawn)

* Refer Annexure for details

Rating Rationale

Acuité has downgrade and withdrawn the long term rating to '**ACUITE BB+** (read as **ACUITE double B plus**) from '**ACUITE BBB**' (read as **ACUITE triple B**) and short term rating to '**ACUITE A4+** (read as **ACUITE A four plus**) from '**ACUITE A3**' (read as **ACUITE A three**) on the Rs.20.00 crore bank facilities of Pollutech Engineering. The rating downgrade is on account of information risk.

The rating is being withdrawn on account of request received from the company and NOC from the Bankers.

PE was established in 1995 by Mr. Dilip Kumar Tripathi as a proprietary concern and converted into a partnership firm in 2005. In 2003, the firm entered into an agreement with Volvo India Private Limited (Volvo) for distribution of earthmoving equipment. PE is the sole dealer of Volvo equipment in Orissa with 6 branches, 19 onsite service points and a workshop at Bhuvaneshwar. The firm also undertakes sales of spares and servicing of construction equipment's.

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>
- Trading Entities- <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-6.htm>
- Financial Ratios And Adjustments - <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-20.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 - Key Financials

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

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
08-July-2019	Cash Credit	Long Term	13.00	ACUITE BBB- Issuer not co-operating*
	Term Loan	Long Term	5.00	ACUITE BBB- Issuer not co-operating*
	Letter of Credit	Short Term	2.00	ACUITE A3 Issuer not co-operating*
12-Apr-2018	Cash Credit	Long Term	13.00	ACUITE BBB- Issuer not co-operating*
	Term Loan	Long Term	5.00	ACUITE BBB- Issuer not co-operating*
	Letter of Credit	Short Term	2.00	ACUITE A3 Issuer not co-operating*
25-Apr-2017	Cash Credit	Long Term	13.00	ACUITE BBB-/Stable (Upgraded)
	Term Loan	Long Term	5.00	ACUITE BBB-/Stable (Upgraded)
	Letter of Credit	Short Term	2.00	ACUITE A3 (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
Cash Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	13.00	ACUITE BB+ Issuer not co-operating* (Downgrade & Withdrawn)
Term Loan	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	5.00	ACUITE BB+ Issuer not co-operating* (Downgrade & Withdrawn)

Letter of Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	2.00	ACUITE A4+ Issuer not co-operating* (Downgrade & Withdrawn)
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