

Press Release

H F Metalart Private Limited

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Rating Reaffirmed and Issuer not co-operating

Product	Quantum (Rs. Cr)	Long Term Rating	Short Term Rating		
Bank Loan Ratings	10.25	-	ACUITE A4 Reaffirmed Issuer not co-operating*		
Bank Loan Ratings	3.75	ACUITE B Reaffirmed Issuer not co-operating*	-		
Total Outstanding Quantum (Rs. Cr)	14.00	-	-		
Total Withdrawn Quantum (Rs. Cr)	0.00	-	-		

Rating Rationale

Acuité has reaffirmed the long-term rating of 'ACUITE B' (read as ACUITE B) and short term rating of 'ACUITE A4' (read as ACUITE A four) on the Rs. 14.00 crore bank facilities of HF Metalart Private Limited. The rating continues to be flagged as "Issuer Not-Cooperating" and is based on the best available information.

About the Company

HF Metal Art Private Limited (HFMPL), incorporated in 2005, was promoted by Mr. Hanspeter Faude and Mr. Benjamin Merkli. The company is engaged in the manufacture and export of gift items such as gold and silver coins, medals, trophies, pendants, among others. The company purchases gold from MMTC Limited, brass and copper from the domestic market and imports pendants from Germany (on order basis). The manufacturing facility located at Jaipur has capacity of 10000 gold and silver coins and around 1000 brass medals per day. Around 90 per cent of the manufactured products are exported to Switzerland with the balance 10 per cent sold in the domestic market.

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.

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

Not Applicable

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

- 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
25 Jan 2021	Bank Guarantee	Short Term	7.00	ACUITE A4 (Issuer not co- operating*)
	Cash Credit	Long Term	3.75	ACUITE B (Issuer not co- operating*)
	Packing Credit	Short Term	3.25	ACUITE A4 (Issuer not co- operating*)
08 Nov 2019	Cash Credit	Long Term	3.75	ACUITE B (Issuer not co- operating*)
	Packing Credit	Short Term	3.25	ACUITE A4 (Issuer not co- operating*)
	Bank Guarantee	Short Term	7.00	ACUITE A4 (Issuer not co- operating*)
20 Aug 2018	Cash Credit	Long Term	3.75	ACUITE B (Issuer not co- operating*)
	Packing Credit	Short Term	3.25	ACUITE A4 (Issuer not co- operating*)
	Bank Guarantee	Short Term	7.00	ACUITE A4 (Issuer not co- operating*)
05 Jun 2017	Cash Credit	Long Term	3.75	ACUITE B Stable (Assigned)
	Packing Credit	Short Term	3.25	ACUITE A4 (Assigned)
	Bank Guarantee	Short Term	7.00	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/Letter of Guarantee	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	7.00	ACUITE A4 Reaffirmed Issuer not co- operating*
State Bank of India	Not Applicable	Cash Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	4 / 5	ACUITE B Reaffirmed Issuer not co- operating*
State Bank of India	Not Applicable	PC/PCFC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	3.25	ACUITE A4 Reaffirmed Issuer not co- operating*

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