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Sri Balaji Assemblies **February**

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Rating Downgraded Reaffirmed and Issuer not co-operating								
Product	Quantum (Rs. Cr)	N Long Term Pating Short Term Pating						
Bank Loan Ratings	52.00	ACUITE BB Downgraded Issuer not co-operating*	-					
Bank Loan Ratings	1.00	-	ACUITE A4+ Reaffirmed Issuer not co-operating*					
Total Outstanding Quantum (Rs. Cr)	53.00	-	-					

Rating Rationale

Acuité has downgraded its long-term rating to 'ACUITE BB' (read as ACUITE double B) from 'Acuite BB+' (Read as ACUITE Double B plus) and reaffirmed its short-term rating of 'ACUITE A4+' (read as ACUITE A four plus) on the Rs.53.00 Cr bank facilities of Sri Balaji assemblies and Plastics Private limited (SBAPPL).

The rating is now flagged as "Issuer NotCooperating" and is based on the best available information as the company has not provided NDS(No default statement) for the last 03 consecutive months.

About the Company

Established in 1988 as a proprietorship firm Sri Balaji Assemblies And Plastics Private Limited was later reconstituted in 2003 as a private limited company. The company is primarily catering to the auto electrical industry and is engaged in assembling of automotive wiring harness, cover and brush plate, ignition coils. In addition the company is also manufacturing electrical panels and pumps for power sub stations and agricultural industry. The company was promoted by Mr. D. Sridhar and currently the business is headed by the four brothers namely Mr. D. Sridhar, Mr. L. Narasimhan, Mr. D. Parthasarathy and Mr. D. Sundarrajan. The Company is based in Chennai, Tamil Nadu.

Unsupported Rating

Not Applicable

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 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.



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

Liquidity Position

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

Outlook: Not Applicable

Other Factors affecting Rating

None

Key Financials

Particulars	Unit	FY 22 (Actual)	FY 21 (Actual)
Operating Income	Rs. Cr.	234.21	150.79
PAT	Rs. Cr.	7.10	1.31
PAT Margin	(%)	3.03	0.87
Total Debt/Tangible Net Worth	Times	1.51	1.19
PBDIT/Interest	Times	6.09	3.14

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA

Not Applicable

Any other information

None

Applicable Criteria

- Application Of Financial Ratios And Adjustments: https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-53.htm
- Default Recognition: https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-52.htm
- Manufacturing Entities: https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-59.htm

Note on Complexity Levels of the Rated Instrument

In order to inform the investors about complexity of instruments, Acuité has categorized such instruments in three levels: Simple, Complex and Highly Complex. Acuite's categorisation of the instruments across the three categories is based on factors like variability of the returns to the investors, uncertainty in cash flow patterns, number of counterparties and general understanding of the instrument by the market. It has to be understood that complexity is different from credit risk and even an instrument categorized as 'Simple' can carry high levels of risk. For more details, please refer Rating Criteria "Complexity Level Of Financial Instruments" on http://www.acuite.in.

Rating History

Date	Name of Instruments/Facilities	Term	Amount (Rs. Cr)	Rating/Outlook
20 Dec 2022	Term Loan	Long Term	2.25	ACUITE BB+ Positive (Upgraded from ACUITE BB)
	Bank Guarantee	Short Term	1.00	ACUITE A4+ (Reaffirmed)
	Term Loan	Long Term	8.00	ACUITE BB+ Positive (Assigned)
	Cash Credit	Long Term	26.00	ACUITE BB+ Positive (Upgraded from ACUITE BB)
	Term Loan	Long Term	6.73	ACUITE BB+ Positive (Upgraded from ACUITE BB)
	Term Loan	Long Term	3.02	ACUITE BB+ Positive (Upgraded from ACUITE BB)
	Cash Credit	Long Term	6.00	ACUITE BB+ Positive (Assigned)
15 Jun 2022	Proposed Long Term Loan	Long Term	0.95	ACUITE BB (Reaffirmed and Issuer not co-operating*)
	Bank Guarantee	Short Term	1.00	ACUITE A4+ (Reaffirmed and Issuer not co-operating*)
	Term Loan	Long Term	2.25	ACUITE BB (Reaffirmed and Issuer not co-operating*)
	Standby Line of Credit	Short Term	3.00	ACUITE A4+ (Reaffirmed and Issuer not co-operating*)
	Term Loan	Long Term	3.02	ACUITE BB (Reaffirmed and Issuer not co-operating*)
	Cash Credit	Long Term	26.00	ACUITE BB (Reaffirmed and Issuer not co-operating*)
	Letter of Credit	Short Term	1.00	ACUITE A4+ (Reaffirmed and Issuer not co-operating*)
	Term Loan	Long Term	1.78	ACUITE BB (Reaffirmed and Issuer not co-operating*)
	Term Loan	Long Term	2.25	ACUITE BB (Downgraded and Issuer not co-operating*)
	Cash Credit	Long Term	26.00	ACUITE BB (Downgraded and Issuer not co-operating*)
17 Mar 2021	Term Loan	Long Term	1.78	ACUITE BB (Downgraded and Issuer not co-operating*)
	Term Loan	Long Term	3.02	ACUITE BB (Downgraded and Issuer not co-operating*)
	Standby Line of Credit	Short Term	3.00	ACUITE A4+ (Reaffirmed and Issuer not co-operating*)
	Proposed Long Term Loan	Long Term	0.95	ACUITE BB (Downgraded and Issuer not co-operating*)
	Bank Guarantee	Short Term	1.00	ACUITE A4+ (Reaffirmed and Issuer not co-operating*)
	Letter of Credit	Short Term	1.00	ACUITE A4+ (Reaffirmed and Issuer not co-operating*)

Annexure - Details of instruments rated

Lender's Name	ISIN	Facilities	Date Of Issuance	Coupon Rate	Maturity Date	Complexity Level	Quantum (Rs. Cr.)	Rating
State Bank of India	Not avl. / Not appl.	Bank Guarantee/Letter of Guarantee	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	Simple	1.00	ACUITE A4+ Reaffirmed Issuer not CO- operating*
State Bank of India	Not avl. / Not appl.	Cash Credit	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	Simple	6.00	ACUITE BB Downgraded Issuer not CO- operating*
State Bank of India	Not avl. / Not appl.	Cash Credit	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	Simple	26.00	ACUITE BB Downgraded Issuer not co- operating*
State Bank of India	Not avl. / Not appl.	Term Loan	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	Simple	3.02	ACUITE BB Downgraded Issuer not co- operating*
State Bank of India	Not avl. / Not appl.	Term Loan	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	Simple	6.73	ACUITE BB Downgraded Issuer not co- operating*
State Bank of India	Not avl. / Not appl.	Term Loan	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	Simple	2.25	ACUITE BB Downgraded Issuer not co- operating*
State Bank of India	Not avl. / Not appl.	Term Loan	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	Simple	8.00	ACUITE BB Downgraded Issuer not co- operating*

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