

Press Release

Vardhman Rice Exports Private Limited



Rating Reaffirmed and Issuer not co-operating



Product	Quantum (Rs. Cr)	Long Term Rating	Short Term Rating
Bank Loan Ratings	14.50	ACUITE B+ Reaffirmed Issuer not co-operating*	
Total Outstanding Quantum (Rs. Cr)	14.50	-	-
Total Withdrawn Quantum (Rs. Cr)	0.00	-	-

Rating Rationale

Acuité has reaffirmed the long-term rating of 'ACUITE B+' (read as ACUITE B plus) on the Rs. 14.50 crore bank facilities of Vardhman Rice Exports Private Limited (VREPL). The rating continues to be flagged as "Issuer Not-Cooperating" and is based on the best available information.

About the Company

Vardhman Rice Exports Private Limited (VREPL) was established in 2013 by Mr. Sunil Kumar, Mr. Jiwan Garg and Mr.Raj Kumar. The company is engaged in the processing of parboiled rice and has installed capacity of 5 tons per day. The manufacturing facility is located at Patran, Punjab.

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 an unwillingness to provide information could be a sign of potential deterioration in its overall credit quality.

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 Acuité to comment upon.

Outlook

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
19 May 2021	Cash Credit	Long Term	10.00	ACUITE B+ (Issuer not co- operating*)
	Term Loan	Long Term	4.50	ACUITE B+ (Issuer not co- operating*)
24 Feb 2020	Term Loan	Long Term	4.50	ACUITE B+ (Issuer not co- operating*)
	Cash Credit	Long Term	10.00	ACUITE B+ (Issuer not co- operating*)
12 Dec 2018	Cash Credit	Long Term	10.00	ACUITE B+ (Issuer not co- operating*)
	Term Loan	Long Term	4.50	ACUITE B+ (Issuer not co- operating*)
10 Oct 2017	Cash Credit	Long Term	10.00	ACUITE B+ Stable (Assigned)
	Term Loan	Long Term	4.50	ACUITE B+ Stable (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	Cash Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	10.00	ACUITE B+ Reaffirmed Issuer not co- operating*
State Bank of India	Not Applicable	Term Loan	Not available	Not available	Not available	4.50	ACUITE B+ Reaffirmed Issuer not co- operating*

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