

Press Release

NKCM Spinners Private Limited

October 28, 2020

Rating Update



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| Total Bank Facilities Rated | Rs. 39.14 Cr. # |
| Long Term Rating | ACUITE BB- Issuer not co-operating* (Downgraded from ACUITE BB/Stable) |
| Short Term Rating | ACUITE A4 Issuer not co-operating* (Downgraded from ACUITE A4+) |

Refer Annexure for details

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

Acuité has downgraded the long-term rating to '**ACUITE BB-**' (read as **ACUITE double B minus**) from '**ACUITE BB**' (read as **ACUITE double B**) and the short term rating to '**ACUITE A4**' (read as **ACUITE A four**) from '**ACUITE A4+**' (read as **ACUITE A four plus**) on the Rs. 39.14 crore bank facilities of NKCM Spinners Private Limited (NSPL). This rating is now an indicative rating and is based on the best available information. Acuité has downgraded the rating on account of information risk.

Incorporated in 2008, NSPL manufactures 100 per cent viscose staple fibre of counts ranging from 20s to 60s, cotton yarn and blends of cotton/polyester at Namakkal in Tamil Nadu. The company, led by Managing Director Mr. Narendra Kumar Nakhat, has installed capacity of 15,160 spindles.

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.

Applicable Criteria

- Default Recognition - <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-52.htm>
- Manufacturing Entities - <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-59.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 requests.

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA (if applicable)

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.

Rating History (Upto last three years)

| Date | Name of Instrument / Facilities | Term | Amount (Rs. Cr.) | Ratings/Outlook |
|-------------|---------------------------------|------------|------------------|-------------------------------|
| 20-Aug-2019 | Cash Credit | Long Term | 30.00 | ACUITE BB/Stable (Reaffirmed) |
| | Term Loan | Long Term | 1.64 | ACUITE BB/Stable (Reaffirmed) |
| | Letter of Credit | Short Term | 3.00 | ACUITE A4+ (Reaffirmed) |
| | Bank Guarantee | Short Term | 0.64 | ACUITE A4+ (Reaffirmed) |
| | Proposed Bank Facility | Long Term | 3.86 | ACUITE BB/Stable (Reaffirmed) |
| 25-Feb-2019 | Cash Credit | Long Term | 30.00 | ACUITE BB (Indicative) |
| | Term Loan | Long Term | 5.50 | ACUITE BB (Indicative) |
| | Letter of Credit | Short Term | 3.00 | ACUITE A4+ (Indicative) |
| | Bank Guarantee | Short Term | 0.64 | ACUITE A4+ (Indicative) |
| 15-Dec-2017 | Cash Credit | Long Term | 30.00 | ACUITE BB /Stable (Assigned) |
| | Term Loan | Long Term | 5.50 | ACUITE BB /Stable (Assigned) |
| | Letter of Credit | Short Term | 3.00 | ACUITE A4+ (Assigned) |
| | Bank Guarantee | Short Term | 0.64 | ACUITE A4+ (Assigned) |

#Annexure – Details of instruments rated

| Name of the Facilities | Date of Issuance | Coupon Rate | Maturity Date | Size of the Issue (Rs. Cr.) | Ratings |
|------------------------|------------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------------------|--|
| Cash Credit | Not Applicable | Not Applicable | Not Applicable | 30.00 | ACUITE BB- Issuer not co-operating* (Downgraded from ACUITE BB/Stable) |
| Term Loan | 2016 | Not Applicable | 2020 | 1.64 | ACUITE BB- Issuer not co-operating* (Downgraded from ACUITE BB/Stable) |
| Letter of Credit | Not Applicable | Not Applicable | Not Applicable | 3.00 | ACUITE A4 Issuer not co-operating* (Downgraded from ACUITE A4+) |
| Bank Guarantee | Not Applicable | Not Applicable | Not Applicable | 0.64 | ACUITE A4 Issuer not co-operating* (Downgraded from ACUITE A4+) |
| Proposed Bank Facility | Not Applicable | Not Applicable | Not Applicable | 3.86 | ACUITE BB- Issuer not co-operating* (Downgraded from ACUITE BB/Stable) |

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