

Press Release

Blow Can Industries

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Rating Update

Total Bank Facilities Rated*	Rs 10.00Cr.#
Long Term Rating	ACUITE BB- (Downgraded From ACUITE BB) Issuer not co-operating
Short Term Rating	ACUITE A4+ Issuer not co-operating

#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 short-term rating to **ACUITE A4+ (read as ACUITE A four plus)** on the Rs. 10.00 crore bank facilities of Blow Can Industries. The rating continues to be flagged as "Issuer Not-Cooperating" and is downgraded on account of information risk.

Blow Can Industries (BCI), a partnership firm established in 2002, is engaged in the manufacturing and supply of plastic blow moulded drums, barrels, containers, caps and other plastic articles. The manufacturing facilities are located at Chennai and Pondicherry with installed capacity of 3 Lakh kg/annum. The firm also plans to enter into chemical industry packaging soon.

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-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 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
12-Apr-2019	Cash Credit	Long Term	3.00	ACUITE BB Issuer not co-operating
	Term Loans	Long Term	1.00	ACUITE BB Issuer not co-operating
	Proposed Cash Credit	Long Term	1.00	ACUITE BB Issuer not co-operating
	Letter of Credit	Short Term	3.00	ACUITE A4+ Issuer not co-operating
	Bank Guarantee	Short Term	0.30	ACUITE A4+ Issuer not co-operating
	Proposed Letter of Credit	Short Term	1.00	ACUITE A4+ Issuer not co-operating
	Proposed Bank Guarantee	Short Term	0.70	ACUITE A4+ Issuer not co-operating
31-Jan-2018	Cash Credit	Long Term	3.00	ACUITE BB/ Stable (Assigned)
	Term Loans	Long Term	1.00	ACUITE BB/ Stable (Assigned)
	Proposed Cash Credit	Long Term	1.00	ACUITE BB/ Stable (Assigned)
	Letter of Credit	Short Term	3.00	ACUITE A4+ (Assigned)
	Bank Guarantee	Short Term	0.30	ACUITE A4+ (Assigned)
	Proposed Letter of Credit	Short Term	1.00	ACUITE A4+ (Assigned)
	Proposed Bank Guarantee	Short Term	0.70	ACUITE A4+ (Assigned)

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***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	3.00	ACUITE BB- (Downgraded from ACUITE BB) Issuer non-cooperating*
Term Loans	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	1.00	ACUITE BB- (Downgraded from ACUITE BB) Issuer non-cooperating*
Proposed Cash Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	1.00	ACUITE BB- (Downgraded from ACUITE BB) Issuer non-cooperating*
Letter of Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	3.00	ACUITE A4+ Issuer not co-operating
Bank Guarantee	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	0.30	ACUITE A4+ Issuer not co-operating
Proposed Letter of Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	1.00	ACUITE A4+ Issuer not co-operating
Proposed Bank Guarantee	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	0.70	ACUITE A4+ Issuer not co-operating

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