

Press Release

Pritika Autocast Limited (PAL)

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Rating Update



Total Bank Facilities Rated*	Rs. 24.50 Cr. #
Long Term Rating	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.

Rating Rationale

Acuite has reviewed the long term rating of '**ACUITE BB**' (read as **ACUITE double B**) and short term rating of '**ACUITE A4+**' (read as **ACUITE A four plus**) on the Rs.24.50 crore bank facilities of Pritika Autocast Limited(PAL). This rating is now an indicative rating and is based on best available information.

Pritika Autocast Ltd. is promoted by Mr. Raminder Singh Nibber & Harpreet Singh Nibber. The Company is engaged in Manufacturing of machined castings and forging for tractor /automobile manufacturers in India. Pritika Autocast Ltd is flagship Company of Pritika Group of Industries which is a manufacturer of machined casting and forging in North India.

Analytical Approach

ACUITE has consolidated the risk profiles of Pritika Autocast Limited, Pritika Industries Limited and Nibber Casting Private Limited on account of same promoter group, cross corporate guarantees and significant business linkages.

Non-cooperation by the issuer/borrower:

Acuite 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 Acuite's policies.

Applicable Criteria

- Manufacturing Entities - <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-4.htm>
- Default Recognition: <https://www.acuite.in/criteria-default.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). Acuite endeavored to gather information about the entity / industry from the public domain. Therefore, Acuite 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

Acuite is yet to receive the latest no default statement (NDS) from the rated entity, despite repeated requests and follow-ups.

Rating History (Up to last three years)

Date	Name of Instrument / Facilities	Term	Amount (Rs. Cr.)	Ratings/Outlook
15-Mar-2018	Term Loan	Long Term	1.00	ACUITE BB/Stable (Assigned)
	Cash Credit	Long Term	21.00	ACUITE BB/Stable (Assigned)
	Bank Guarantee	Short Term	1.00	ACUITE A4+/Stable (Assigned)
	Letter of Credit	Short Term	1.50	ACUITE A4+/Stable (Assigned)

*Annexure – Details of instruments rated

Name of the Facilities	Date of Issuance	Coupon Rate	Maturity Date	Size of the Issue (Rs. Cr.)	Ratings/Outlook
Term Loan	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	1.00	ACUITE BB Issuer not co-operating*
Cash Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	21.00	ACUITE BB Issuer not co-operating*
Bank Guarantee	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	1.00	ACUITE A4+ Issuer not co-operating*
Letter of Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	1.50	ACUITE A4+ Issuer not co-operating*

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