

Press Release

Dev Bhumi Cold Chain Private Limited

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Rating Update



Total Bank Facilities Rated*	Rs. 65.75 Cr. #
Long Term Rating	ACUITE BB+ Issuer not co-operating*

Refer Annexure for details

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

Acuite has reviewed the long-term rating of '**ACUITE BB+**' (read as **ACUITE double B plus**) on the Rs. 65.75 crore bank facilities of Dev Bhumi Cold Chain Private Limited. This rating is now an indicative rating and is based on best available information.

DBCC is a Delhi-based company incorporated in 2003 and is promoted by Mr. Sanjay Aggarwal and Mrs. Sunila Aggarwal. The company is a fully integrated cold chain company i.e. from Farm to Retail. The company is engaged in farm level procurement, logistics and allied services, along with marketing and distribution of varieties of fruits including apples, kiwis, grapes, citrus, plums and frozen peas. The company has strategic distribution centers in the form of cold storage facilities at various locations including Delhi, Mumbai, Chennai, Bangalore, Hyderabad, Ahmedabad and Kolkata. The company has one Control Atmosphere Storage (CAS) with capacity of 5200 metric tonnes per annum located in Himachal Pradesh and frozen peas processing unit on lease basis located at Uttarakhand with a capacity of 1500 metric tonnes per annum. The company procures fruits and vegetables from the domestic and overseas market while it sells the same only in the domestic market through a network of wholesalers.

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

- Default Recognition - <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-17.htm>
- Entities in Trading Sector - <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-6.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 endeavoured 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)

Not Applicable

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
16-July-2018	Cash Credit	Long Term	57.50 (Revised from Rs. 15.75 cr.)	ACUITE BB+ /Stable (Reaffirmed)
	Term Loan	Long Term	7.39	ACUITE BB+ /Stable (Assigned)
	Term Loan	Long Term	0.21	ACUITE BB+ /Stable (Assigned)
	Term Loan	Long Term	0.20	ACUITE BB+ /Stable (Assigned)
	Term Loan	Long Term	0.39	ACUITE BB+ /Stable (Assigned)
	Proposed Term Loan	Long Term	0.06	ACUITE BB+ /Stable (Assigned)
04-July-2018	Cash Credit	Long Term	15.75	ACUITE BB+/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
Cash Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	57.50	ACUITE BB+ Issuer not co-operating*
Term Loan	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	7.39	ACUITE BB+ Issuer not co-operating*
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