

Press Release

Navodaya Packing Industries

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Rating Update



Total Bank Facilities Rated	Rs. 6.00 Cr. #
Long Term Rating	ACUITE B- 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 B-**' (read as **ACUITE B minus**) on the Rs. 6.00 crore bank facilities of Navodaya Packing Industries (NPI). This rating is now an indicative rating and is based on best available information.

NPI, a Hyderabad based proprietorship firm established in 2000 promoted by Mr. Siva Rama Krishna. It is engaged in manufacturing of HDPE drums and fiber drums mainly catering to the pharma industry. The firm's manufacturing facility is located at Sanga Reddy District (Telangana) with an installed capacity of 12,00,000 drums per annum. The firm caters to more than 100 customers across Telangana, Karnataka, and Andhra Pradesh.

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.

Acuite believes that information risk is a critical component in such ratings, and non-cooperation by the issuer along with 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 Acuite'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). 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 requests.

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 (Upto last three years)

Date	Name of Instrument / Facilities	Term	Amount (Rs. Cr.)	Ratings/Outlook
08-Mar-2019	Cash Credit	Long Term	6.00	ACUITE B- /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	6.00	ACUITE B- Issuer not co-operating*

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