

Press Release

Class India Company May 24, 2024

Rating Downgraded Regitirmed and Issuer not co-operating —						
Product	Quantum (Rs. Cr)	Long Term Rating	Short Term Rating			
Bank Loan Ratings	16.75	ACUITE B- Downgraded Issuer not co-operating*	-			
Bank Loan Ratings	3.25	-	ACUITE A4 Reaffirmed Issuer not co-operating			
Total Outstanding Quantum (Rs. Cr)	20.00	-	-			

Rating Rationale

Acuité has downgraded the long-term rating to 'ACUITE B-' (read as ACUITE B minus) from 'ACUITE B' (read as ACUITE B) and reaffirmed the short-term rating of 'ACUITE A4' (read as ACUITE A four) on the Rs.20.00 Cr. bank facilities of Class India Company (CIC). The rating continues to be flagged as "Issuer Not-Cooperating" and is downgraded on account of information risk.

About the Company

Nalagarh, Himachal Pradesh based Class India Company was established in 2018 by Mr. Rajesh Gupta, Mr. Gaurav Gupta, Mr. Puneet Gupta and Ms. Vishakha Aggarwal. The primary business of the firm is manufacturing/Extrusion of All metals, i.e. Brass, Copper, Aluminum/ Stainless steel and all allied items, i.e. Rod, Pipe, Hollow, Flat etc. and Cosmetic, Herbs and all trading activities.

Unsupported Rating

Not Applicable

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 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.

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 endeavored 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.

Rating Sensitivity

"No information provided by the issuer / available for Acuite to comment upon."

Liquidity Position

"No information provided by the issuer / available for Acuite to comment upon."

Outlook

Not Applicable

Other Factors affecting Rating

None

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA

Not Applicable

Any other information

None

Applicable Criteria

- Manufacturing Entities: https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-59.htm
- Default Recognition: https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-52.htm
- Application Of Financial Ratios And Adjustments: https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-53.htm

Note on Complexity Levels of the Rated Instrument

In order to inform the investors about complexity of instruments, Acuité has categorized such instruments in three levels: Simple, Complex and Highly Complex. Acuite's categorisation of the instruments across the three categories is based on factors like variability of the returns to the investors, uncertainty in cash flow patterns, number of counterparties and general understanding of the instrument by the market. It has to be understood that complexity is different from credit risk and even an instrument categorized as 'Simple' can carry high levels of risk. For more details, please refer Rating Criteria "Complexity Level Of Financial Instruments" on www.acuite.in.

Rating History

Date	Name of Instruments/Facilities	Term	Amount (Rs. Cr)	Rating/Outlook
24 Feb 2023	Proposed Bank Guarantee	Short Term	0.75	ACUITE A4 (Reaffirmed & Issuer not co-operating*)
	Proposed Cash Credit	Long Term	14.75	ACUITE B (Reaffirmed & Issuer not co- operating*)
	Proposed Letter of Credit	Short Term	2.50	ACUITE A4 (Reaffirmed & Issuer not co-operating*)
	Proposed Term Loan	Long Term	2.00	ACUITE B (Reaffirmed & Issuer not co- operating*)
29 Nov 2021	Proposed Bank Guarantee	Short Term	0.75	ACUITE A4 (Reaffirmed & Issuer not co-operating*)
	Proposed Cash Credit	Long Term	14.75	ACUITE B (Reaffirmed & Issuer not co- operating*)
	Proposed Letter of Credit	Short Term	2.50	ACUITE A4 (Reaffirmed & Issuer not co-operating*)
	Proposed Long Term Loan	Long Term	2.00	ACUITE B (Reaffirmed & Issuer not co- operating*)

Annexure - Details of instruments rated

Lender's Name	ISIN	Facilities	Date Of Issuance	Coupon Rate	Maturity Date	Complexity Level	Quantum (Rs. Cr.)	Rating
Not Applicable	Not avl. / Not appl.	Proposed Bank Guarantee	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	Simple	0.75	ACUITE A4 Reaffirmed Issuer not co- operating*
Not Applicable	Not avl. / Not appl.	Credit	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	Simple	14.75	ACUITE B- Downgraded Issuer not co- operating* (from ACUITE B)
Not Applicable	Not avl. / Not appl.	Credit	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	Simple	2.50	ACUITE A4 Reaffirmed Issuer not co- operating*
Not Applicable	Not avl. / Not appl.	Term Loan		Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	Simple	2.00	ACUITE B- Downgraded Issuer not co- operating* (from ACUITE B)

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