

Press Release

Birla Vidya Vihar Trust

August 23, 2021

Rating Downgraded & Withdrawn



Total Bank Facilities Rated*	Rs.6.00 Cr.
Long Term Rating	ACUITE BBB (Downgraded & Withdrawn) *Issuer not cooperating

* Refer Annexure for details

Rating Rationale

Acuite has downgraded and withdrawn the long term rating to '**ACUITE BBB**' (read as **ACUITE triple B**) from '**ACUITE A-**' (read as **ACUITE A minus**) on the Rs.6.00 crore bank facilities of Birla Vidya Vihar Trust (BVVT). The rating withdrawal is in accordance with Acuite's policy on withdrawal of rating. The rating downgrade is on account of information risk.

The rating is being withdrawn on account of request received from the company and NDC received from the banker.

About the company

Kolkata based Birla Vidya Vihar Trust (BVVT) was established in 1959 by Late Mr. Basant Kumar Birla and Mrs. Sarla Birla. The trust operates three schools and one college under its umbrella and offers primary and secondary education along with courses in Tea Management. At present, it has two-member trustees – Mrs. Jayshree Mohta and Mrs Jayshree Mantri.

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.

Analytical Approach

Acuite has considered the standalone business and financial risk profiles of BVVT to arrive at the rating.

Applicable Criteria

- Default Recognition - <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-52.htm>
- Financial Ratios And Adjustments - <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-53.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.

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

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

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	Ratings/Outlook
			(Rs. Crore)	
27 September, 2019	Cash Credit	Long term	6.00	ACUITE A-/Stable (Assigned)

*Annexure – Details of instruments rated

Lender Name	Name of the Facilities	Date of Issuance	Coupon Rate	Maturity Date	Size of the Issue (Rs. Cr.)	Ratings/Outlook
DCB Bank	Cash Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	6.00	ACUITE BBB (Downgraded and Withdrawn) *Issuer not cooperating

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