



#### **Press Release**

Megha Projects July 31, 2024

Rating Downgraded and Issuer not co-operating

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Product	Quantum (Rs. Cr)	Long Term Rating	Short Term Rating		
Bank Loan Ratings	10.80	ACUITEB   Downgraded   Issuer not co-operating*	-		
Total Outstanding Quantum (Rs. Cr)	10.80	-	-		

# **Rating Rationale**

Acuité has downgraded the long-term rating to 'ACUITE B' (read as ACUITE B) from 'ACUITE B+' (read as ACUITE B plus) on the Rs.10.80 crore bank facilities of Megha Projects (MP) on account of information risk. The rating continues to be flagged as "Issuer Not-Cooperating" and is based on the best available information.

# **About the Company**

Megha Projects is a Bangalore based partnership firm established in February 2019. The firm established to manufacture 'Aerated Autoclave Concrete (AAC) blocks. The firm is setting up a plant with a capacity of 15 lakh meters per annum. The firm is promoted by Mr. Dharmesha H V, Ms. Nalini and Mr. Venu.

#### **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 ratingis based.

**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

#### **Key Financials**

Particulars	Unit	FY 20 (Provisional)	FY 19 (Actual)
Operating Income	Rs. Cr.	0.00	0.00
PAT	Rs. Cr.	(0.22)	0.00
PAT Margin	(%)	0.00	0.00
Total Debt/Tangible Net Worth	Times	2.89	0.00
PBDIT/Interest	Times	(0.32)	0.00

# Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA

Not Applicable

#### Any other information

None

# **Applicable Criteria**

- Infrastructure Sector: https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-51.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

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# Rating History

Date	Name of Instruments/Facilities	Term	Amount (Rs. Cr)	Rating/Outlook
04 May 2023	Term Loan	Long Term	10.80	ACUITE B+ (Reaffirmed & Issuer not co-operating*)
03 Feb 2022	Term Loan	Long Term	10.80	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
Canara Bank	Not avl. / Not appl.		Not avl. / Not appl.	/ Not	Not avl. / Not appl.	Simple	10.80	ACUITE B   Downgraded   Issuer not co- operating* (from ACUITE B+)

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