



Press Release

Swastik Constructions December 03, 2024

Rating Downgraded and Issuer not co-operating

Product	Quantum (Rs. Cr)	Long Term Rating	Short Term Rating			
Bank Loan Ratings	10.00	ACUITE BB+ Downgraded Issuer not co-operating*	-			
Bank Loan Ratings	30.00	-	ACUITE A4+ Downgraded Issuer not co-operating*			
Total Outstanding Quantum (Rs. Cr)	40.00	-	-			
Total Withdrawn Quantum (Rs. Cr)	0.00	-	-			
* The issuer did not co-operate: hased on hest available information						

Rating Rationale

Acuité has downgraded the long-term rating to 'ACUITE BB+' (read as ACUITE double B plus) from 'ACUITE BBB-' (read as ACUITE triple B minus) and the short-term rating to 'ACUITE A4+' (read as ACUITE A four plus) from 'ACUITE A3' (read as ACUITE A three) on the Rs. 40.00 crore bank facilities of Swastik Constructions. The rating downgrade is on account of information risk. The rating is now flagged as "Issuer Not-Cooperating" on account of information risk and is based on the best available information.

About the Company

Maharashtra based Swastik Constructions (SC) was established as a partnership firm in 2004. The firm is specialized in water management infrastructure development. SE is engaged in development in various areas such as process designing, installation, civil constructions, commissioning and operation & maintenance services like Water Supply Schemes, Lift Irrigation Schemes, wastewater treatment and distribution. Thus, the company is specialized in providing end to end solutions for handling of water i.e., lifting the water from the source like dam etc., laying the pipelines for the same and erecting distribution systems. Mr. Hemant Shah, Ms. Anita Shah and Mr. Parth Shah are the current partners of the firm.

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 noncooperation by the issuer along with unwillingness to provide information could be a sign of potential deterioration in its overall credit

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 has endeavoured 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.

Rating Sensitivities

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 23 (Actual)	FY 22 (Actual)
Operating Income	Rs. Cr.	174.40	100.72
PAT	Rs. Cr.	11.97	7.61
PAT Margin	(%)	6.87	7.56
Total Debt/Tangible Net Worth	Times	0.36	0.51
PBDIT/Interest	Times	13.78	11.71

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA

Not Applicable

Any other information

None

Applicable Criteria

• Application Of Financial Ratios And Adjustments: https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-53.htm

• Default Recognition: https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-52.htm

• Infrastructure Sector: https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-51.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
18 Sep 2023	Bank Guarantee/Letter of Guarantee	Short Term	9.00	ACUITE A3 (Reaffirmed)
	Bank Guarantee (BLR)	Bank Guarantee (BLR) Short Term		ACUITE A3 (Assigned)
	Bank Guarantee (BLR)	Short Term	10.00	ACUITE A3 (Assigned)
	Secured Overdraft	Long Term	1.00	ACUITE BBB- Stable (Reaffirmed)
	Secured Overdraft	Long Term	4.00	ACUITE BBB- Stable (Assigned)
	Secured Overdraft	Long Term	5.00	ACUITE BBB- Stable (Assigned)
02 Jun 2023	Bank Guarantee/Letter of Guarantee	Short Term	9.00	ACUITE A3 (Reaffirmed)
	Secured Overdraft	Long Term	1.00	ACUITE BBB- Stable (Reaffirmed)
07 Mar 2022	Bank Guarantee/Letter of Guarantee	Short Term	9.00	ACUITE A3 (Upgraded from ACUITE A4+)
	Secured Overdraft	Long Term	1.00	ACUITE BBB- Stable (Upgraded from ACUITE BB+ Stable)

Annexure - Details of instruments rated

Lender's Name	ISIN	Facilities	Date Of Issuance	Coupon Rate	Maturity Date	Quantum (Rs. Cr.)	Complexity Level	Rating
HDFC Bank Ltd	Not avl. / Not appl.		Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	11.00	Simple	ACUITE A4+ Downgraded Issuer not co-operating* (from ACUITE A3)
Yes Bank Ltd	Not avl. / Not appl.		Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	10.00	Simple	ACUITE A4+ Downgraded Issuer not co-operating* (from ACUITE A3)
HDFC Bank Ltd	Not avl. / Not appl.	Bank Guarantee/Letter of Guarantee	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	9.00	Simple	ACUITE A4+ Downgraded Issuer not co-operating* (from ACUITE A3)
HDFC Bank Ltd	Not avl. / Not appl.	Secured Overdraft	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	4.00	Simple	ACUITE BB+ Downgraded Issuer not co-operating* (from ACUITE BBB-)
Yes Bank Ltd	Not avl. / Not appl.		Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	5.00	Simple	ACUITE BB+ Downgraded Issuer not co-operating* (from ACUITE BBB-)
HDFC Bank Ltd	Not avl. / Not appl.	Secured Overdraft	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	1.00	Simple	ACUITE BB+ Downgraded Issuer not co-operating* (from ACUITE BBB-)

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

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