



Press Release

Frontier Furniture September 02, 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	5.50	ACUITE BB- Downgraded Issuer not co-operating*	-		
Total Outstanding Quantum (Rs. Cr)	5.50	-	-		

Rating Rationale

Acuité has downgraded its long-term rating to 'ACUITE BB-' (read as ACUITE double B Minus) from 'ACUITE BB' (read as ACUITE double B) on the Rs.5.50 crore bank facilities of Frontier Furniture (FF). The rating is downgraded 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

Mumbai-based Frontier Furniture (FF) was established in 2004 as a proprietorship firm by Mr. Yuvraj Singh. FF is a design and build turnkey interior firm providing interior designing solutions to many reputed companies predominantly in the BFSI sector. The firm caters to many reputed customers like Standard Chartered Bank, HDFC bank and RBL bank to name a few.

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.

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 22 (Actual)	FY 21 (Actual)
Operating Income	Rs. Cr.	23.78	14.63
PAT	Rs. Cr.	0.98	0.20
PAT Margin	(%)	4.13	1.39
Total Debt/Tangible Net Worth	Times	0.55	0.88
PBDIT/Interest	Times	7.02	4.77

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
- Service Sector: https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-50.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
13 Jun	Secured Overdraft	Long Term	2.00	ACUITE BB Stable (Reaffirmed)
2023	Secured Overdraft	Long Term	3.50	ACUITE BB Stable (Reaffirmed)
28 Mar 2022	Secured Overdraft	Long Term	2.00	ACUITE BB Stable (Reaffirmed)
	Secured Overdraft	Long Term	3.50	ACUITE BB Stable (Reaffirmed)

Annexure - Details of instruments rated

Lender's Name	ISIN	Facilities	Date Of Issuance	Coupon Rate	Maturity Date	Complexity Level	Quantum (Rs. Cr.)	Rating
RBL Bank	Not avl. / Not appl.		Not avl. / Not appl.	/ NIot	Not avl. / Not appl.	Simple	2.00	ACUITE BB- Downgraded Issuer not co- operating* (from ACUITE BB)
RBL Bank	Not avl. / Not appl.		Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	Simple	3.50	ACUITE BB- Downgraded Issuer not co- operating* (from ACUITE BB)

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