

Press Release

B Square Developers A pril 03, 2024

Rating Reaffirmed and Issuer not co-operating

Product	Quantum (Rs. Cr)	Long Term Rating	Short Term Rating
Bank Loan Ratings	99.00	ACUITE BB- Reaffirmed Issuer not co-operating*	-
Total Outstanding Quantum (Rs. Cr)	99.00	-	-

Rating Rationale

Acuité has reaffirmed its long-term rating of 'ACUITE BB-' (read as ACUITE Double B Minus) on the Rs.99.00 crore bank facilities of B Square Developers (BSD). The rating continues to be flagged as "Issuer Not-Cooperating" and is based on the best available information.

About the Company

B Square Developers, established on 7th January 2019, is a partnership firm to develop Karnavati Agriculture Market Yard in Ahmedabad with the objective of developing, operating, and maintaining APMC. They are developing this market to facilitate, coordinate and promote the marketing and trading activities of the farmers in agricultural and other commodities, articles, and goods. Partners of B Square Developers are Mr. Bipinbhai Naranbhai Patel, Mr. Dhruv Bipinbhai Patel, Mr. Lalitkumar Babubhai Patel and Mr. Vaibhav Babubhai Patel.

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.



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

- Service Sector: https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-50.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
04 Jan 2023	Term Loan	Long Term		ACUITE BB- (Downgraded and Issuer not co-operating*)
14 Oct 2021	Term Loan	Long Term	99.00	ACUITE BB Stable (Assigned)

Annexure - Details of instruments rated

Lender's Name	ISIN	Facilities	Date Of Issuance	Coupon Rate	Maturity Date	Complexity Level	Quantum (Rs. Cr.)	Rating
The Jammu and Kashmir Bank	Not avl. / Not appl.		Not avl. / Not appl.	/ Not	Not avl. / Not appl.	Simple	99.00	ACUITE BB- Reaffirmed Issuer not co- operating*

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