

Press Release

Brahamdutt & Sons

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Rating Reaffirmed and Issuer not co-operating

Product	Quantum (Rs. Cr)	Long Term Rating	Short Term Rating
Bank Loan Ratings	5.81	ACUITE B Reaffirmed Issuer not co-operating*	-
Total Outstanding Quantum (Rs. Cr)	5.81	-	-
Total Withdrawn Quantum (Rs. Cr)	0.00	-	-

Rating Rationale

Acuité has reaffirmed the long-term rating of 'ACUITE B' (read as ACUITE B) on the Rs. 5.81 Cr bank facilities of Brahamdutt & Sons (BDS). The rating continues to be flagged as "Issuer Not-Cooperating" and is based on the best available information.

About the Company

BDS, established in 1988 is an Uttar-Pradesh-based proprietorship firm promoted by Mrs. Meenu Arya. The firm is engaged in the wholesale trading of agricultural commodities such as rice, wheat, sugar and edible oils.

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 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.

About the Rated Entity - Key Financials

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."

Material Covenants

Not Applicable

Liquidity Position

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

Outlook

Not Applicable

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA

None

Any other information

Acuité is yet to receive the latest No Default Statement (NDS) from the rated entity, despite repeated requests and follow-ups.

Applicable Criteria

• Trading Entities: https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-61.htm

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

Note on Complexity Levels of the Rated Instrument

https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-55.htm

Rating History

Date	Name of Instruments/Facilities	Term	Amount (Rs. Cr)	Rating/Outlook
21 Apr 2021	Cash Credit	Long Term	5.81	ACUITE B (Issuer not co-operating*)
29 Jan 2020	Cash Credit	Long Term	5.81	ACUITE B (Issuer not co-operating*)
19 Nov 2018	Cash Credit	Long Term	5.81	ACUITE B (Issuer not co-operating*)
26 Sep 2017	Cash Credit	Long Term	5.81	ACUITE B (Issuer not co-operating*)
02 Jun 2016	Cash Credit	Long Term	5.81	ACUITE B Stable (Upgraded from ACUITE B- Stable)
12 Feb 2015	Cash Credit	Long Term	5.81	ACUITE B- Stable (Reaffirmed)
03 Oct 2013	Cash Credit	Long Term	5.81	ACUITE B- Stable (Assigned)

Annexure - Details of instruments rated

Lender'	I ININI	Facilities	Date Of Issuance	Coupon Rate	Maturity Date	Quantum (Rs. Cr.)	Rating
Unior Bank c India	1 1/1/17	Cash Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	5.81	ACUITE B Reaffirmed Issuer not co- operating*

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